## UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON HUMAN RESOURCES

## **Fall Graduate Students Guidelines**

Fall assignments for Teaching Assistants (TA), Teaching Fellows (TF), Instructional Assistants (IA), Graduate Assistants (GA), Research Assistants (RA), and Research Assistant/Tuition Eligible (RA/TE), start on 9/01 for new hires, rehires, transfers, return from summer work break, and return from leave of absence.

All new hires or rehires with more than one year of separation, must have a completed I-9, Direct Deposit, and 4-page Personal Data Sheet. Departments must ensure that employees do not have outstanding debt with the university campuses before initiating an ePAR.

**Teaching Assistants, Teaching Fellows, and Instructional Assistants** are 9-month employees and their assignment starts 9/01 and continues through the Spring semester. If this assignment will not continue into the Spring semester, then create a change Employment Status ePAR to terminate assignment effective 1/16.

Teaching Assistants, Teaching Fellows, and Instructional Assistants who are **enrolled** and working during the Fall should be placed in one of the job codes listed below.

1100 Teaching Assistant1110 Teaching Fellow1120 Instructional Assistant

Graduate Assistants, Research Assistants, and Research Assistant/Tuition Eligible are 12-month employees and their assignment starts on 9/01 and continues through the Spring semester. If this assignment will not continue into the Spring semester, create a Change Employment Status ePAR to terminate assignment effective 1/16.

Graduate Assistants and Research Assistants who are **enrolled** and working during the Fall should be placed in one of the job codes listed below.

3080 Research Assistant
 3160 Graduate Assistant
 3081 Research Assistant/Tuition Eligible

**Graduate students who are <u>enrolled</u>, but are not eligible** for the above titles are to be paid an hourly rate. This title is not insurance eligible and will NOT generate a stipend for the employee.

5050 Graduate Assistant/Non-Exempt