JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Position Title: Graduate Student Researchers
Duration: Fall 2021 with possibility to extend into Spring 2022
Expected Hours: up to 8 hours/week, fee remission is not available for this position
Compensation Range: Dependent on Year

The Othering & Belonging Institute is a hub of researchers and community networks who are generating work centered on realizing a world where all people belong, where belonging entails being respected at a level that includes the right to both contribute and make demands upon society and political and cultural institutions.

Professor john a. powell is the Director of the Othering & Belonging Institute and holder of the Robert D. Haas Chancellor’s Chair in Equity and Inclusion. He is a Professor of Law, Ethnic and African American Studies and is seeking 2-3 graduate student researchers for the Fall semester with the potential to extend into Spring.

Principal Duties:
Graduate Student Researchers may be asked to conduct research and analysis on a wide variety of topics including, but not limited to: inequality, political polarization, demographic trends, implicit bias, immigration, health disparities and much more. GSRs will be tasked with supporting Professor powell in preparing presentations, conferences, interviews, and other speaking engagements by creating and assembling speaking points, background research, and slide presentations.

Required Qualifications:
- Excellent communication skills
- Demonstrated writing ability
- Experience with slide deck software (such as Power Point or Prezi)
- Ability to meet deadlines
- Good organizational skills and the ability to work independently
- A demonstrated interest in social justice
- Coursework in the social sciences
- Experience and familiarity with the Chicago Manual of Style

To Apply: Send resume, letter of interest (no more than two pages), and writing sample to the O&B Institute Research Director, Stephen Menendian, at smenendian@berkeley.edu. We aim to have positions filled by the start of the Fall 2021 semester. Please submit your application early.