

Center For Environmental Prediction

Criteria for the Appointment and Reappointment of Teaching Assistants

I. Criteria for the Appointment of Teaching Assistants

A. Major Importance

1. The ability to communicate
2. A firm grasp of the type of material covered in the courses to which the Teaching Assistant is to be assigned
3. Organizational skills

B. Lessor Importance

1. Grade point averages and Graduate Record Examination scores
2. Financial need
3. Availability/accessibility

II. Criteria for the Reappointment of Teaching Assistants

A. Major Importance

1. Outstanding performance of those duties specified in the letter of appointment
2. Development of appropriate teaching skills

B. Lesser Importance

1. Outstanding performance in the course of study as delineated by the student and his/her advisor
2. Lack of other financial support