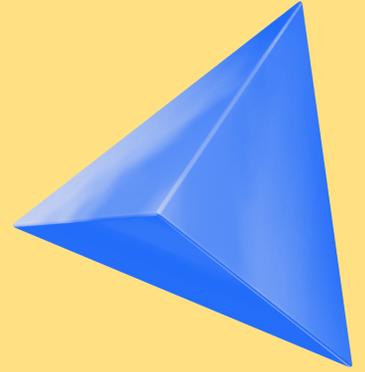




JOIN the TEAM!



SATAL is Hiring

WE ARE LOOKING FOR MOTIVATED STUDENTS INTERESTED IN ADVANCING TEACHING AND LEARNING AT UCM

- Working for SATAL, you will partner with instructors to support their classroom assessment efforts
- You will collect your peers' perspective on their learning by conducting mid-semester feedback, observations, focus groups, etc. to support instructors in gaining a better sense of the learning experience in their classes.
- You will receive training in protocols for classroom assessment
- You will advance your research skills with data collection, analysis, and reporting opportunities
- You will advance your oral and written communication skills
- You will work flexible hours



For more information about SATAL visit our website. Contact Adriana Signorini <asignorini@ucmerced.edu>, program coordinator with your interest/questions.



WHAT THE STUDENTS ARE SAYING

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I really have enjoyed this [SATAL program] relationship because it has taught me a lot about conducting research, a career in academia, and paths to graduate schools. I also have a very meaningful relationship with my coordinator/advisor—she has supported all my endeavors in research and extracurriculars and is always willing to support me in any way I need

The class interviews and the hiring committee skills really helped me to be able to feel what job interviews felt like, so that I may be able to apply for jobs once I graduate. The COPUS skills helped me to be very observant in my classes, so that I don't miss details and helped me to take good notes. Last but not least, I felt more comfortable reaching out to my professors because I learned that professors deeply care about our education.

We [SATAL interns] are trained in depth and get lots of practice with each other. Then after we train, we sign up for requests as shadows which allows new members to adjust to the work we do and practice the skills and what they learned from the training with peers. Instead of pushing us to the expectations of a returning SATAL member, it is understood that new members will know when they have adjusted and when they are ready to increase their expectations. I appreciate how we are given the freedom to set the standards for ourselves which strengthens our skills to know our abilities and what everyone can expect from us, while also having the support from the team.

Sitting in on classes outside of my major was always a joy because I could explore other lifestyles and thoughts. Class interviews [mid-term feedback] also gave me a lot of perspective on what my peers struggled with academically and socially ...

I went to a class interview [mid-semester feedback] and the students were asking follow-up questions on what the SATAL program was and what we did. After we explained what SATAL students do, all of the class started clapping for us and thanking us for helping their learning in the class and providing helpful feedback for their faculty. I will never forget that feeling of being appreciated and feeling like we are highly contributing to their teaching and learning.

