Data Science Education Program
Data Peer Consulting Program - Peer Consultant
Fall 2019 Application

The Data Science Peer Consulting Team and its services are a collaborative effort between the Division of Data Science and Information, the UC Berkeley Library, D-Lab, and Research IT. Data Peer Consultants help make data science accessible across the broader campus community, by aiming to help undergraduate students, graduate students, staff, and faculty with research project infrastructure or coursework projects that incorporate data. As a Data Peer Consultant (PC), you will learn consulting best practices and contribute to the larger data science consulting network on campus by:

Responsibilities

- Holding consistent, weekly drop-in office hours in the Library
- Helping students with data research questions, academic work, and/or setting up programs or relevant data technologies
- Documenting common questions to create a working library of questions that can be useful for other Consultants to get familiarized with
- Creating and leading introductory programming/data visualization workshops
- Being the first point-of-contact for students seeking consulting services and being able to direct them to the appropriate resources for higher level consulting needs

Position Details

- There are paid and unpaid positions available within this team depending on the level of your commitment, leadership, and skills.
  - There is opportunity for advancement from unpaid to paid leadership positions
- 6 hours weekly commitment
- Must be able to attend weekly CS197 course on Data Science Instructional Support (date and time TBA)
- All PCs have the option to receive academic units of credit for consulting work

Qualifications

Students of all backgrounds and skill levels are encouraged to apply. Recruiting preference is given to students with:

- Passion for shaping inclusive learning at Berkeley
- Teaching, consulting and/or mentorship experience
- Experience with multiple programming languages and packages
- Completion of Data 8 or equivalent (e.g. CS 61a and Stat 20)
- Plus: Completion of Data 100 and other technical upper division courses

Apply here. If you have questions about the application, please email ds-teams@berkeley.edu.