

Stand-Alone Teaching Experience to Enhance your Resume

Start planning now to incorporate teaching a class into your 5-year assistantship plan and professional resume. To be able to have a stand-alone teaching experience, you will need to:

1. Attend at least two workshops presented by the Center for Excellence in Learning and Teaching. See website: <http://www.celt.iastate.edu>
2. International Students only - Obtain OECT full certification, level 1.
3. Email your request to teach a class to Amy Bainum Emmett, abainum@iastate.edu, along with your outline including what CELT teaching classes you have taken and why you want a stand-alone teaching experience.

There are preparatory steps to enhance your teaching experience, including

1. Observing sessions of the class you would like to teach, and discussing teaching responsibilities with the faculty member teaching the class.
2. Choosing a teaching mentor to use as a resource for your teaching experience.
3. Reviewing information available on the CELT website under the Teaching tab.
4. Determining in which semester you would like to teach in your 5-year assistantship plan and discussing this plan with your major professor, Dr. Kreider, or Dr. Lence.