

Pro Impact Physical Therapy & Sports Performance ("PI") have formalized a grad assistant program between Huntingdon College and Faulkner University. Both private institutions are located in Central Alabama (Montgomery, Alabama) and carry approximately 600 athletes each/18 sporting teams. PI has enjoyed a relationship with both colleges in excess of 25 years. Each institution enjoys the usage of 3 full time athletic trainers employed by PI and are contracted to each school respectively. This GA program would allow the trainer to work with both institutions. Huntingdon College will provide housing and a meal plan whereas Faulkner University will provide the Masters Degree (see below link for academic choices).

The Graduate Assistant position(s) are a 2 year/10 month per year assignment (meaning June and July are off months between the two year of service) with the opportunity for extra pay with summer camps (Athletic Trainer is responsible for their own liability insurance during this summer time frame.) The stipend is \$8,000 annually with a bi-weekly distribution and a full tuition/fees waiver. The degree(s) that our GA's pursue can are sponsored and administrated by Faulkner University. (https://www.faulkner.edu)

Potential applicants must be BOC certified or eligible and Alabama state licensed or eligible. They must have the appropriate test scores and other material required to get into the GA program. Applicants must also submit a cover letter, resume, and list of three professional references. References should be sent directly to <u>cmellispt@gmail.com</u>.

As it relates to athletic training coverage – this will be pre-determined by the Head Athletic Trainer at both Huntingdon College as well as Faulkner University as well as Director of Sports Medicine, Mike Ellis.