NCTR, in conjunction with the University of South Florida (USF) Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, is seeking candidates for several graduate assistantship positions. Selected applicants will pursue a Master’s degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering. This 16-month program of coursework and experiential learning assignments will produce a master’s degree focused on transportation with particular emphasis on public transportation. Selected outstanding applicants will complete a 30-credit-hour program of coursework and participate in research assistantship and/or internship assignments. Seminars, conference travel, mentoring by senior transportation research and teaching faculty, and networking with fellow students will round out the program.

Successful candidates must be accepted as a graduate student in the USF Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering. Admission criteria include successfully completing an undergraduate engineering or equivalent technical degree and having satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination (GRE). For more information on the criteria and directions to the application process, see http://ce.eng.usf.edu/graduate/apply.htm.

In addition, applicants for graduate internship appointments must provide two letters of reference, an essay addressing your interest in public transportation as a career, and a resume identifying your education, work, extracurricular, or other experiences that make you a strong candidate for such an appointment.

Successful candidates will receive a financial support package including substantial tuition support, compensation for services as a research assistant and support for travel to professional activities.

A full program description is available at: http://www.cutr.usf.edu/programs-1/national-center-for-transit-research/research-assistants/.

We will continuously review candidates for consideration for the next semester.

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