Fully Funded Ph.D. Position in Second Language Studies with a Specialization in L2 Assessment

The Michigan State University (MSU) Second Language Studies (SLS) Ph.D. Program within the Applied Linguistics Program seeks to fully sponsor a doctoral student with a focus on L2 Assessment to work as a Graduate Assistant while obtaining a Ph.D. at MSU.

Start Date: August 16, 2023

Duties:

• Assist Professor Paula Winke with projects related to L2 assessment.
• Receive a full, 4-year support package that comprises a MSU tuition waiver, (9 credits each fall and spring semester), a biweekly stipend during the academic years, and health care for 12 months per year. (The program is a 4-year degree program. The funding covers the entire degree.)
• Participate in existing and new research projects relating to assessment, assessment policies, and individual differences in L2 assessment. Those with proficiency in a LCTL, particularly an African language, Albanian, or Bengali, are particularly encouraged to apply.

How to apply:

1. Apply directly to the MSU SLS Ph.D. Program by December 9, 2022 at http://sls.msu.edu/admissions/
2. Online, choose the “First Semester to Enroll” as “Fall 2023.”
3. Within your Academic Statement of Purpose (ASOP), write “Application for the Specialization in L2 Assessment” at the top.

Questions? Email Professor Paula Winke
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