

# Graduate Research Assistantship Opportunity



As per the budget for P.I. Laris' NSF research grant there are funds available for graduate research assistantships.

Funding will support graduate assistants who will collaborate on the data collection and analysis through the duration of the NSF funded project and on the publication of the research findings. The students will assist during two academic years. The graduate research assistants will work as field and/or lab research assistants for a maximum of 20 hours/week during the academic year with the option for more hours during summer. Tasks will vary but will likely include the following:

1. Conducting advanced GIS and/or statistical analysis of data sets
2. Obtaining and classifying satellite and UAV generated imagery for the study area
3. Analyzing field and GPS data
4. Creating maps and other visual representations of the data
5. Writing methods sections
6. Providing support for PI on tasks related to the project

**Interested students should apply to CSULB's MA program in Geography by April 31<sup>st</sup>**

<http://www.cla.csulb.edu/departments/geography/graduate/>

**And contact Dr. Laris (Paul.laris@csulb.edu) with their interest in the research position**