# GenAI Explorers Job Description

**Job Title**  GenAI Explorer

**Location** Center for Learning, Teaching and Research, Lathrop Hall.

**Hours** 3-5 per week

**Reports to:**

## Position Summary

The Center for Learning, Teaching and Research (CLTR) and Information Technology Services (ITS) Learning & Applied Innovation group are seeking motivated students to join the GenAI Explorers pilot project for Fall 2024. As a GenAI Explorer, you will be at the forefront of investigating the emerging role of generative AI (GenAI) in education, focusing on its potential to support and enhance student learning.

Each week as you participate in the pilot you will work independently to explore generative AI tools, and also meet with staff and collaborate with other students to better understand how these tools might be used in various ways to support education at Colgate. Participants are expected to actively engage in weekly in-person meetings, sharing findings with others and helping to direct the focus of the group's inquiry. Group conversations and explorations will be guided by questions such as:

- What perspectives do students have about GenAI technologies in general, and how do these shape adoption / use?
- What do students see as compelling uses of GenAI to support their learning?
- How and why do students explore and experiment with GenAI tools?
- What uses of GenAI tools do students identify as valuable in their coursework?

## Key Responsibilities

- Actively explore and experiment with various GenAI tools and applications in educational contexts
- Assess and document personal experiences using GenAI for learning support
- Participate in regular discussions and collaborative sessions with fellow Explorers and staff members
- Engage in ongoing reflection and critical analysis of GenAI's impact on learning processes

## Qualifications

- Current Colgate University student with a strong academic record

- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Ability to think critically and approach new technologies with both skepticism and enthusiasm
- Willingness to learn and adapt to new tools and methodologies
- Experience with digital media creation is a plus, but not required

**Application Materials**

Interested students should submit a statement of interest to participate in the pilot that includes contributions you hope to make, and what you hope to learn.

Letters of interest should be emailed to the Center for Learning, Teaching and Research (cltr@colgate.edu). If you have any questions or would like more information please reach out via email. Invitations for personal interviews will be extended to those who best fit the selection criteria.