

Research Assistant Position:

[Professor Pearl Robinson](#), Department of Political Science, is looking for a Research Assistant (graduate or undergraduate) to help assemble archival information for a digital scholarship/digital humanities project which focuses on mapping locations of historical importance for Ralph Johnson Bunche (1903-1971), an African American scholar, educator, Africanist, and diplomat, who won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1950.

The research assistant will support the project by:

- Scanning, saving, and organizing digital files (images and documents) related to Ralph Bunche into a Tufts box folder.
- Collect address, city, state information on site locations and organize it in an excel table or word document.
- Write site descriptions for locations of importance and organize the information in the same excel table or word document. The student will work closely with Professor Robinson to write descriptions about these sites of historical significance.
- Potentially help create the StoryMap, with training from the Data Lab, depending on the timeline of the project and interest.

Students will work approximately 10 hours a week through the school year. Hours are relatively flexible. Students do not need to know GIS or how to create a StoryMap, but must be comfortable with a Windows operating system or a Mac operating system and have basic knowledge of Microsoft Office products (excel or word) and google maps. If interested, please email Pearl.Robinson@tufts.edu with background information about yourself (including major/department, etc) and availability.
