University of Toronto
Indigenous Studies

Emergency Job Posting – Teaching Assistant Position
2020-2021 (January-April)

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Indigenous Studies seeks up to 1 Teaching Assistant for the following course:

INS205H1S- Introduction to Indigenous Worldviews, Spiritual and Healing Traditions
This course will discuss the relationship between spiritual philosophies, beliefs, traditions and practices that contribute to meaning in Indigenous communities. This course will emphasize traditions and teachings and understanding the role of spirituality historically and within contemporary Indigenous societies, including governance, treaties, environment, culture, healing and everyday life.

Qualifications
A background in Indigenous Studies is preferred. Previous experience as a Teaching Assistant and/or lecturing experience. First consideration will be given to full-time graduate students at the University of Toronto.

Duties
- Marking term tests and assignments
- Office hours for academic counselling of students
- Regular meetings with supervisor

Hours of work: approx. 60 hours
Estimated Course Enrolment: 60 students
Rate of Pay: SGS I/II - $46.24/hour (+4% vacation pay)

Final availability of the position(s) is contingent upon enrolment, budgetary consideration and the determination of appointments as governed by the collective agreement.

Application Process
Applicants should submit a cover letter, C.V. (including previous teaching evaluations (if applicable)), by December 21, 2020. Applications should be sent to:

Jennifer Murrin
Coordinator
E-Mail: indigenous.studies@utoronto.ca

The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from racialized persons / persons of colour, women, Indigenous / Aboriginal People of North America, persons with disabilities, LGBTQ persons, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

This job is posted in accordance with the CUPE 3902 Unit 1 Collective Agreement. The Departmental Hiring Policy is available in the Department office and in the CUPE Local 3902 office.

Note: Although a graduate student’s preference as to the campus location of his/her TA appointment will be taken into account, both the initial TA appointment (or CI appointment) and the subsequent appointment obligation related to that appointment may be met through position(s) on any one of the three University of Toronto campuses (UTM, UTSC or St. George) in courses in the same discipline as the initial appointment. TAs will only be assigned to courses in fields in which they are or should be qualified to assist.