



EMERGENCY JOB POSTING – April 14, 2022

Sole Responsibility Instructor (1 Course Instructor) Position for Summer 2022

GGR 339 H1S: Urban Geography, Planning and Political Processes

Course Description: Investigates North American urban political geography, exploring conflicts over immigration, environment, gentrification, homelessness, labour market restructuring, 'race' and racism, urban sprawl, nature and environment, gender, sexuality, security, and segregation. Explores competing visions of city life and claims on urban space. The course investigates how these struggles connect to economic, social and environmental politics at larger spatial scales, and considers different theoretical frameworks that geographers have developed to make sense of both the persistence of old problems and the emergence of new ones. Potential field trip, cost \$20.

Estimate of the course enrolment: 90

Estimate of TA Support: 180 (Final TA hours will be based on enrolment figures)

Class Schedule: Mondays & Wednesdays, 6:00pm-8:00pm
Please note that this course will be delivered remotely/online

Sessional dates of appointment: July 1, 2022 to August 31, 2022

Salary: Course Instructor (Half Course): = \$8,061.89 (excludes vacation pay)
Course Instructor First Appointment (Half Course) = \$9,033.05
(excludes vacation pay)

Please note that should rates stipulated in the collective agreement vary from rates stated in this posting, the rates stated in the collective agreement shall prevail.

Qualifications: A PhD or a PhD in progress is required. Knowledge of the course topics is required. Completion of a professional development course on teaching preferred.

Relevant Criterion: The need to acquire experience is the more relevant criterion than past teaching experience in respect of this posted position.

Brief description of duties: Instructors will lecture on the themes of the course; prepare the syllabus and lectures; develop and administer grading, course assignments, tests and exams; mark and invigilate exams; hold regular office hours and supervise teaching assistants.

To apply, please submit a covering letter, curriculum vitae, evidence of teaching effectiveness (if had previous teaching assignments), and names for two possible references to:

Professor Richard DiFrancesco, Chair
Department of Geography and Planning
Faculty of Arts and Science – University of Toronto
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Toronto, ON M5S 3G3
Email: jobs@geog.utoronto.ca

Applications must be submitted by 11.59pm, April 20, 2022.

Shortlisted applicants may be asked to submit a proposed outline for this course.

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

If during the application and/or selection process you require accommodation due to a disability, please contact jobs@geog.utoronto.ca.

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The hiring criteria for Course Instructors positions are academic qualifications, the need to acquire experience, previous teaching experience and previous satisfactory employment under the provisions of this Collective Agreement.

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, LGBTQ2S+ persons, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

Candidates who are members of Indigenous, Black, racialized and LGBTQ2S+ communities, persons with disabilities, and other equity seeking groups are encouraged to apply, and their lived experience shall be taken into consideration as applicable to the position.

This job is posted in accordance with the CUPE 3902 Unit 1 Collective Agreement.

Positions posted here are open to Graduate Students in the School of Graduate Studies, Postdoctoral Fellows and Undergraduate Students in the University of Toronto.