Summer 2019 Posting

Department of Political Science at UTM
Course Instructor

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

The Department of Political Science has the following course instructor position available for the Summer 2019 term and invites applications from suitably qualified candidates who are current University of Toronto students. No late applications can be considered.

Posting date: Thursday February 13, 2019
Closing date: Thursday March 7, 2019
Number of positions available: 1

Course title: – POL242Y5Y – Methods
Class schedule: Wednesday and Friday 10:00am – 12:00pm

Dates of appointment: May 1, 2019 to August 31, 2019 (actual work may extend into September 2019)

Description of course: This course offers an introduction to political science research methods. The course will cover basic approaches to political science, the choices that researchers have to make when designing their research and basic methods of analysis for both qualitative and quantitative data. Topics include: validity and reliability, levels of measurement, questionnaire design, experiments, elite interviews, participant observation and policy evaluation.

Position Description: All normal duties related to the design, administration and teaching of a university credit course, including preparation and delivery of course content; development, administration and marking of assignments, tests and examinations, including make-up tests; calculation and submission of grades to university officials; holding regular student office hours and maintaining reasonable availability for student contact.

Minimum qualifications: Required qualifications are University of Toronto graduate students, in progress of a PhD in a relevant discipline or other relevant qualifications or professional experience. We are seeking previous experience in teaching, teaching excellence, and mastery of subject area. Previous experience in teaching a similar course is highly desirable.

Salary: $16,116.01 (inclusive of 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

Enrolment cap: 48

Please submit current Curriculum Vitae (including valid email address) with cover letter to:

Ronald Beiner
Interim Chair
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No late applications can be considered. A valid email address is required, and applications may be submitted electronically to the email address above. By submitting an application and CV for this position, you will receive email notification of vacancies for Course Instructors within the UTM Department of Political Science for the next twenty-four (24) months.