

**University College Sexual Diversity Studies Program**  
**University of Toronto**  
**Emergency Job Posting: Teaching Assistant**

**JSU237H1S Introduction to HIV/AIDS**

A critical examination of the HIV/AIDS global pandemic from a multidisciplinary perspective and with an emphasis on sexuality. The course examines the basic biology of HIV/AIDS and then covers social, historical, political, cultural, gender, and public health aspects of HIV/AIDS. Attention is given to the distinct features of vulnerable and marginalized populations, prevention, treatment, drug development, and access to medicines. JSU237H1 is particularly intended for students in the Health Studies and Sexual Diversity Studies Programs.

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| <b>Estimated Course Enrolment:</b>  | 100  |
| <b>Number of Position(s):</b>       | 1  |
| <b>Size of Appointment (hours):</b> | 95 hours   |
| <b>Schedule:</b>                    | Thursdays, 10am-1pm                                |
| <b>Dates of Appointment:</b>        | January 1, 2018 – April 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2018    |
| <b>Salary:</b>                      | \$43.65/ hour plus 4% vacation pay (SGSI, II, PDF) |

*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:** Successful applicants should have minimum relevant Bachelor's degree and academic background. Strong background in the humanities: arts, literature, and film required. Previous experience with the course an asset.

First consideration will be given to full-time graduate students at the University of Toronto. Final availability of the position(s) is contingent upon enrolment, budgetary consideration and the determination of appointments as governed by the collective agreement.

**Description of Duties:** Meeting with instructor; Grading essays on cultural representations of the epidemic; responding to student inquiries.

**Posting Date: Oct 31, 2017**

**Closing Date: Nov 27, 2017**

All individuals interested in this position must submit a covering letter and CV to: Rebecca Thorpe, Business Officer, at University College, 15 King's College Circle, UC251, Toronto, ON, M5S 3H7. [sexual.diversity@utoronto.ca](mailto:sexual.diversity@utoronto.ca). **A valid email address is required.**

*The job is posted in accordance with CUPE 3902, Unit 1 Collective Agreement. The Department's hiring policy is available in the Programs Office and at the CUPE, Local 3902 office: <http://www.cupe3902.org/>*

*In accordance with the Employment Equity Policy, the University of Toronto encourages applications from qualified women and men, members of visible minorities, aboriginal peoples, and person with disabilities.*

**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.*