The Mark S. Bonham Centre for Sexual Diversity Studies seeks up to 2 Teaching Assistants for the following course:

**SDS255H1S Histories and Sexualities**

An interdisciplinary examination of sexuality across cultures and periods. How are sexualities represented? How are they suppressed or celebrated? How and why are they labeled as straight, gay, lesbian, bisexual, queer, or perverse? How do sexualities change with race/ethnicity, class, gender, and geographies?

**Qualifications**

Successful applicants should have minimum relevant Bachelor’s degree and academic background in sexuality/queer/LGBTQ+ studies. Preference will be given to students with specialization in Sexual Diversity Studies, and those with previous experience as teaching assistants in Sexual Diversity Studies courses, or other courses in sexuality/queer studies. Previous experience in this course an asset.

**Description of Duties**

- Meeting with instructor
- marking papers, tests & exams
- responding to student inquiries
- conducting two tutorial sections per week (estimated tutorial enrolment 25)

*Duties of this position shall be performed at the campus on which the position is located. Where the duties are intended to be performed at another location, such other location will be specified in the posting.*

**Hours of work:** approx. 180 hours per TA  
**Estimated Course Enrolment:** 100; 25 students per tutorial  
**Schedule:** Tuesdays, 2-4pm, tutorials Thursdays, 2-4pm  
**Dates of Appointment:** January 1, 2021 – April 30, 2021  
**Rate of pay:** $46.24/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.*

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., and contact information (email and phone) for two referees or two letters of reference by **August 20, 2020**. Application should be sent via email to

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If during the application and/or selection process you require accommodation due to a disability, please contact sexual.diversity@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.