

**University College, Sexual Diversity Program
University of Toronto
Job Posting: Sessional Lecturer**

SDS381H1S –Intro to Trans Studies

This introductory course invites students to develop and deepen their understanding of current and historical transgender issues. Students will become familiar with available related resources, academic research, conceptual frameworks and political approaches to trans issues. As a class, we will explore legal and health care issues & politics, mainstream and other media representations (including films, interviews, and other genres), as well as current and historical advocacy and community work, particularly in relation to power structures such as the nation-state, race, disability, sexuality, and other factors. By the end of the semester, students will have a strong background in both general trans issues as well as the ways that trans issues effect and are part of students' own lives and lived spaces and contexts. Individualized final projects will provide students with the opportunity to focus on and learn about specific communities, actions, or issues most relevant to their own interests and trajectories and our projects will deepen our common understanding of trans people, communities, and issues.

Pre-requisite:	SDS255H1 or SDS256H1
Estimated Course Enrollment:	45
Estimated TA support:	0
Class Schedule:	Wednesdays, 10:00am-12:00pm
Dates of Appointment:	January 1, 2018 – April 30, 2018
Salary:	\$7,359.07 (Sessional Lecturer I) \$7,498.50 (Sessional Lecturer I Long Term) \$7,823.85 (Sessional Lecturer II) \$8,185.35 (Sessional Lecturer III)

Qualifications: Minimum M.A., Ph.D. required; experience teaching in a university environment; relevant background in sexuality studies.

Description of Duties: Duties include the design of a university credit course, including preparation and delivery of course content; development, administration and marking of assignments, tests and exams; calculation and submission of grades; holding regular office hours.

Posting Date: April 24, 2017

Closing Date: May 19, 2017

All individuals interested in this position must submit the CUPE Local 3902 Unit 3 application form (available at <http://www.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/resources/forms.htm#recruitment>) covering letter, and CV to: Rebecca Thorpe, Sexual Diversity Studies at University College, 15 King's College Circle, Room 251, 15 King's College Circle, Toronto, Ontario, M5S 3H7 or sexual.diversity@utoronto.ca. **A valid email address is required.**

The job is posted in accordance with CUPE 3902, Unit 3 Collective Agreement. Preference in hiring is given to qualified individuals advanced to the rank of Sessional Lecturer II or Sessional Lecturer III in accordance with Article 14:12. The position posted above is tentative pending final course determinations and enrolments. Please note: Undergraduate or graduate students and postdoctoral fellows of the University of Toronto are covered by the CUPE 3902 Unit 1 collective agreement rather than the Unit 3 collective agreement, and should not apply for positions posted under the Unit 3 collective agreement.