University of Toronto
DEPARTMENT OF EAST ASIAN STUDIES
Job Posting – Teaching Assistant Position
Winter Term 2020 (January - April)

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The Department of East Asian Studies seeks 1 Teaching Assistant for the following course:

EAS284H1S – MODERN CHINESE LITERATURE
This course offers a critical examination of 20th-century Chinese literature, with a focus on the important developments of literary writing over time, from the inception of New Literature in the 1910s, the development of realism and modernism in the 1930s, to the emergency of post-revolution and postmodernist writings in the 1990s. Emphasis is placed on generating a dialogue on interpretations of key works.

Qualifications
Successful applicants will be in an MA or PhD program. Knowledge of modern Chinese literature, and an ability to communicate information clearly required.

Duties will include:
- Marking assignments and exams
- Other duties may be assigned by the supervisor

Duties of this position shall be performed at the St. George Campus.

Hours of work: 145 hours
Estimated Course Enrolment: 188 students
Rate of Pay: SGS I/II - $46.24 (+4% vacation pay)

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 an EAS TA Application Form and C.V by November 4, 2019. Applications should be sent to:

EAS TA Hiring Committee
c/o Natasja VanderBerg
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Toronto, ON M5S 3H1
Email: natasja.vanderberg@utoronto.ca

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