University of Toronto
Department of Biochemistry

Job Posting – Teaching Assistant Position – BCH 445H
Winter Term 2021 (January - April)

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The Biochemistry Program seeks up to 1 Teaching Assistants for the following course:

**BCH 445H**—Organelles in Cell Function and Death
Course Coordinators: Peter Kim and Hyun Kate Lee

**Course description:**
The course will cover key topics in cell biology of various organelles and processes, including the organelles of the endomembrane system, mitochondria, peroxisomes and biomolecular condensates, and apoptosis, and methodologies used to study them.

Advanced principles and concepts of cell biology are covered, including the structure, life cycle, and dynamic behavior of cell organelles. The cellular processes regulated by organelles, including the life and death of the cell and cellular communication, are highlighted. The course will also cover techniques and technologies that have advanced studies of the cell.

**Qualifications**
Have a firm knowledge of advanced cell biology, organelle biology and microscopy experimental techniques. Ability to understand and interpret students answers to midterms and exams involving advanced cell biology and experimental techniques. Running a class discussion around a published paper in cell biology

**Duties**
Marking of midterm, final exam, tutorials and leading a paper discussion in class

*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. 20**
**Estimated Course Enrolment: 24**
**Start Date of Appointment: January 11, 2021**
**End Date of Appointment: April 30, 2021**

**Rate of Pay: SGS I/II - $46.24/hour (+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** Applications should be submitted online. Please consult Departmental Website for application link and instructions: [http://biochemistry.utoronto.ca/about/hiring](http://biochemistry.utoronto.ca/about/hiring).

**Deadline:** December 15, 2020 by 5:00 pm

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