University of Toronto  
Department of Biochemistry  
Job Posting – Marking TA Position  
Summer Term 2024 (May-June)

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The Biochemistry Program seeks up to 4 Marking Teaching Assistant (TA) for the following course:

**BCH210H1F – Biochemistry I: Proteins, Lipids and Metabolism**  
An introductory course covering the key biomolecules in the cell.

**Qualifications**

Minimum qualifications - Candidates should be detail oriented and able to maintain the academic integrity and confidentiality of the assignments they are grading.

Preferred qualifications – Biochemistry fundamental knowledge and the ability to follow a rubric are essential.

First consideration will be given to full-time graduate students at the University of Toronto.

**Relevant Criterion**

Previous teaching experience is the more relevant criterion than the need to acquire experience in respect of this posted position.

**Duties**

- Mark written assignments and/or the final exam (Exact dates and numbers to be determined)
- Meet with course instructor to go through the marking rubric and maintain clear communication regarding any deviation or exceptions.
- Provide sufficient feedback regarding grade breakdown and tabulate all grades for each assignment.
- Maintain confidentiality and security of all assignments and exams.

Duties of this position shall be performed on the St. George campus.

**Hours of work:** 40 hours per TA  
**Estimated Course Enrolment:** 300 students (100/TA)  
**Rate of Pay:** UG/SGS I/II - $47.64/hour (+ vacation pay)

**Start Date of Appointment:** May 6, 2024  
**End Date of Appointment:** June 30, 2024

**Application Process:** A general Application should be submitted online by **Friday April 5, 2024 (5:00 pm)**. Please consult Departmental Website for application instructions: [http://biochemistry.utoronto.ca/about/hiring](http://biochemistry.utoronto.ca/about/hiring)

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The hiring criteria for Teaching Assistant positions are academic qualifications, the need to acquire experience, previous experience and previous satisfactory employment under the provisions of this Collective Agreement.

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This job is posted in accordance with the CUPE 3902 Unit 1 Collective Agreement.

The position(s) posted above is (are) tentative, pending final course determinations and enrolments.

Positions posted here are open to Graduate Students in the School of Graduate Studies, Postdoctoral Fellows and Undergraduate Students in the University of Toronto.

Preference in hiring shall be given to Graduate Students enrolled in the School of Graduate Studies of the University of Toronto or those who have made application to be enrolled in the School of Graduate Studies of the University of Toronto.