

Department of Philosophy, University of Toronto
POSITION IN PHILOSOPHY
2024-2025

POSTING DATE: December 17th, 2024

CLOSING DATE: December 19th, 2024 (EMERGENCY POSTING)

The following position for a Sessional Instructional Assistant is available in the Department of Philosophy for the 2024-2025 academic session. This is a regular posting in accordance with the Collective Agreement between The Governing Council of the University of Toronto and the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local 3902 Unit 3. **Please note that the position below is tentative, pending final course determinations and enrolments.** In accordance with the Collective Agreement, this posting is being sent as an email notification to all applicants in the Department’s Applicant Pool: all Sessional Lecturers and Sessional Instructional Assistants who are teaching for the Department during the current academic year or who have taught for the Department since September 1, 2022 and all persons who have submitted an application within the past thirty six months. All pool members who wish to be considered for a particular position must submit a CUPE 3902 application form (attached), cover letter, and updated curriculum vitae to Eric Correia, University of Toronto, 170 St. George St., Toronto M5R 2M8, ON. Applications may be sent by e-mail to eric.correia@utoronto.ca. Preference in hiring will be given to qualified individuals advanced to the rank of Sessional Lecturer II or Sessional Lecturer III in accordance with Article 14:12.

Salary: \$52.26/hour + 4% vacation pay. 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.

Appointment Dates: January 1st, 2025 – May 9th, 2025

Sessional Dates (including exam periods): January 1st, 2025 – May 9th, 2025

Note: all positions involve completion of any course grading not already finished by May 9th, 2025

Course Number/Title/Description	Section	Time	Estimated Enrolment	Hours of Work	Duties	Qualifications
Winter 2025						
PHL281H1 – Bioethics An introduction to the study of moral and legal problems in medical practice and in biomedical research; the development of health policy. Topics include: concepts of health and disease, patient rights, informed consent, allocation of scarce resources, euthanasia, abortion, genetic and reproductive technologies, human research, and mental health.	L0201	Thursdays 11:00-13:00 Tutorials Thursdays 15:00-18:00 This is an online synchronous course.	75	140	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holding 3 one-hour online synchronous tutorials each week • Preparation for tutorials and grading • Grading • Attending training sessions/meetings with the course instructor • Holding office hours • Lecture attendance • General teaching related duties 	Undergraduate Degree in Philosophy. One year prior experience as a TA, normally in Philosophy at U of T. Good prior knowledge of the subject-matter of the course.

This job is posted in accordance with the CUPE 3902 Unit 3 Collective Agreement.

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.