

DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY & EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

CUPE3902, Unit 1 Teaching Assistant Posting Summer 2025

Date posted: March 17, 2025

Closing date: April 7, 2025

Campus: St. George

BIO120H1F (labs)

Adaptation and Biodiversity

Online TA System Course Code: BIO120H1F-labs

Number of Positions: 5

Size of Appointment: 41.5 hours

Dates of appointment: May 1, 2025 to June 30, 2025

Estimated Course Enrolment: 144

Lab Schedule: Tuesdays and Thursdays 1:00-4:00pm

Minimum Qualifications: An academic background in ecology and/or evolutionary biology is required. WHMIS and Lab Safety Training is a required pre-requisite and certification must be valid for the duration of this TAship: WHMIS and Lab Safety (EHS101) must be taken once and then the WHMIS Refresher (EHS112) must be taken annually after that: <https://ehs.utoronto.ca/our-services/chemical-and-lab-safety/whmis/whmis-lab-safety-training/>

Preferred Qualifications: Previous experience teaching this course online or similar introductory biology course is preferred.

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

Description of Duties: Demonstrate labs (24 students per section); grade assignments; invigilate tests; plus 3.5 hours paid training. In person course delivery.

Rate of Pay (UG, SGS I and SGS II): \$52.97 plus vacation pay per hour effective Jan 1, 2025

Application Process:

Applicants will apply using EEB's Online TAship Applications system

<https://taships.iit.artsci.utoronto.ca/eeb/login>

Log on to the website using your existing UTORid and password. Select Applications, then "Summer 2025 - Main"

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

The positions posted above 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.

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