DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY & EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY
FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

CUPE3902, Unit 1
Teaching Assistant Posting
Fall/Winter 2026-27 - Winter
St. George Campus

Posted on: October 30, 2026
Applications Due: November 20, 2026

Course Number	Online TA System Course Code	Title	Course Enrolment (est.)	Number of Positions (est.)	Size of Appointment (# of hours)	Dates of Appointment	Tutorial/Lab Schedule (if known)	Minimum Qualifications	Preferred Qualifications	Relevant Criterion	Duties
BIO220H1S	BIO220H1S-labs	From Genomes to Ecosystems in a Changing World (labs)	1416	2	65	January 1, 2027 - April 30, 2027	Labs: Tues 9:30am-12:00pm; Tues and Thurs 2:30-5:00pm; Wed 1:30-4:00pm and 6:30-9:00pm	An academic background in ecology and/or evolutionary biology is required. EHS601 Laboratory Biosafety Training is a required pre-requisite and certification must be valid for the duration of this TAship (https://ehs.utoronto.ca/our-services/biosafety/biosafety-training/); EHS601 must be taken once and then the Biosafety refresher course (EHS602) must be taken annually after that. 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/	Previous experience teaching this course or similar introductory biology course is preferred.	Previous experience is the more relevant criterion than the need to acquire experience in respect of this posted position	Demonstrate labs (24 students per section); grade assignments; invigilate tests; plus 5 hours paid training; plus 6 hours paid WIT training

Rate of Pay (UG, SGS I and SGS II): $53.92 + vacation pay per hour effective Jan 1, 2026

Application Process: Applicants will apply using EEB's Online TAship Applications system. Log on to the following website using your existing UTORid and password. **Select Applications, then Fall-Winter 2026-27 - Winter**
https://taships.iit.artsci.utoronto.ca/eeb/login

Instructions can be found on EEB's website:
https://eeb.utoronto.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/OnlineTASystem_ApplicationInstructions.pdf

IMPORTANT: Online applications will close at 11:59pm on Friday, November 20, 2026

CUPE3902 Unit 1 Job Postings can be found online:
http://unit1.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/

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Candidates who are members of Indigenous, Black, racialized and LGBTQ2S+ communities, persons with disabilities, and other equity seeking groups are encouraged to apply, and their lived experience shall be taken into consideration as applicable to the position.

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In accordance with Article 16:03(A) the hiring criteria for teaching assistant positions are: academic qualifications, the need to acquire experience, previous experience, and for continuing students, previous satisfactory employment.

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.

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.