Faculty of Arts & Science

TEACHING ASSISTANT – CUPE Unit 1

September 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016

STA355H1F 0101 - Theory of Statistical Practice

STA355H1 provides a unifying structure for the methods taught in other courses, and will enable students to read methodological research articles or articles with a large methodological component. Topics covered include statistical models and distributions; fundamentals of inference: estimation, hypothesis testing, and significance levels; likelihood functions and likelihood-based inference; prior distributions and Bayesian inference.

Qualifications

Academic background in Statistical Sciences. PhD student (or graduate) in actuarial science, statistics or biostatistics.

Duties

Any or all of the following: grading term tests, invigilating term tests and final exams, grading homework and/or quizzes, leading tutorials and setting tutorial quizzes.

Instructor: Keith Knight

Estimated Course Enrolment: 150 students

Class Schedule: MO:14:00-16:00, WE:14:00-15:00

Approximate Number of TA Hours: 142 hours

Approximate Number of positions: 3

Rate of Pay: SGS1 and SGSII rate $42.90 per hour, Undergraduate rate $42.90 per hour in accordance with the CUPE, Local 3902 Unit 1, Collective Agreement

Final availability of the position is contingent upon enrolment, budgetary consideration and the determination of appointments as governed by the collective agreement.

Application Process


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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. The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

Note: Although a graduate student’s preference as to the campus location of his/her TA appointment will be taken into account, both the initial TA appointment (or CI appointment) and the subsequent appointment obligation related to that appointment may be met through position(s) on any one of the three University of Toronto campuses (UTM, UTSC or St. George) in courses in the same discipline as the initial appointment. TAs will only be assigned to courses in fields in which they are or should be qualified to assist.

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