Job Posting - Course Instructor Position  
Winter Term 2021 (January - April)

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The Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology seeks 1 Course Instructor, 0.25 FCE (approximately 50 hours) for the following course:

**PCL476H: Neuropsychopharmacology II (36L, 12T)**
Students will explore the major CNS neurological syndromes which may include anxiety, schizophrenia and depression/mania and their relate neurological abnormalities. Lectures will discuss major classes of drugs used to mitigate and treat these disorders, their mechanisms of action, clinical use and unwanted effects.

**Qualifications:**
Completion or upper year PhD student/candidate or equivalent in Pharmacology. The individual will have excellent knowledge of neuropsychopharmacology research and teaching (TA) experience. The ideal candidate will be experience in course management (Quercus preferred), creating and delivering online student assessments and examinations, course delivery and in mentoring and working with faculty and undergraduate students.

**Duties:**
- Setting up and managing course learning management (Quercus)- including uploading lectures, responding to student questions, developing student assessment and ensuring day- day operations
- Assisting Course Coordinator as required with online tools and platforms
- Meeting students regularly for online or in person tutorial session as required
- Assisting course coordinator and lecturers as needed and attending online or in- person lecture classes as needed
- Assisting with the development of course assessment
- Grading and mentoring students on class assessment (exams and/or assignments)
- Assisting in development of material related to the course assignment

**Estimated course enrolment:** 30  
**Estimated TA support:** 0  
**Rate of pay:** $4,109.58 (including vacation pay)

**Schedule:** PCL476H1S: Monday 10-noon and Thursday 10-noon

**Sessional dates:** Oct 1, 2020 – April 30, 2021. The course will begin on January 4, 2021.
Final availability of the position is contingent upon enrolment, budgetary consideration and the determination of appointments as governed by the collective agreement.

**Application process:**
Applicants should submit a cover letter and CV by **July 8, 2020**. Applications should be sent to:

To Dr. Ruth Ross, Chair, Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology
c/o Elaine Jack, elaine.jack@utoronto.ca

If during the application and/or selection process you require accommodation due to a disability, please contact: michelle.arnot@utoronto.ca

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.

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

**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. Duties of this position shall be performed at the campus on which the position is located. Where the duties are intended to be performed at another location, such other location will be specified in the posting.