Department of Computer Science, downtown campus
Job Posting - Te*aching Assistant Position – CUPE 3902, Unit 1*
Fall 2025 term (September 1, 2025 – December. 31, 2025)

Posted on July 17, 2025 as an Emergency Posting

The Department of Computer Science seeks ~2 Prep TA(s) for the following course:

CSC108H1Y-Prep – Introduction to Computer Programming

Visit link for course description: https://artsci.calendar.utoronto.ca/course/csc108h1

Note: Prep TAs are hired to do preparatory work for Winter 2026 courses during the Fall term. They are not hired as regular TAs for Fall course offerings.

Qualifications

Strong Python programming and software engineering skills. Experience with programming, such as by completing a 200-level CSC course, or by achieving excellent marks in multiple 100-level CSC courses, or equivalent. Must have experience with Python, including the Python memory model and Python PEP-8 style guide, such as by completing CSC108 or equivalent. Must be enrolled in or have completed a computer science degree, or equivalent. Must have prior experience teaching first-year computer science, such as being a teaching assistant for CSC108/CSC110/CSC111/CSC148. Must be able to typeset using LaTeX.

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

Duties

Helping the course instructors prepare midterm and exam questions, solutions, and marking schemes. The TA must be available to meet with their supervisors at a mutually agreed upon time between Monday to Thursday, 9am-4pm Toronto time.

Positions Available: up to 2

Hours of work: 30 hours

Estimated Course Enrolment: N/A

Rate of Pay: $52.97/hour (+ vacation pay)

Application Process:

Apply online at: https://tapp.cs.toronto.edu/hash/external/postings/GbgH95Gg5Z6mXx5Xb52uLD67

In your application you will be asked to provide a brief response to the following question:

- Based on the course description of this posting, please briefly describe how your academic history, and/or research and professional experience make you qualified for this position.

The deadline to submit your application is **Monday July 21, 2025 by 11:59pm EST.** For more information, you may contact:

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The hiring criteria for Teaching Assistant positions are academic qualifications, the need to acquire experience, previous experience and previous satisfactory employment under the provisions of this Collective Agreement.

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

The position(s) posted above is (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.