



**Department of Computer Science (St. George campus)  
Job Posting – Teaching Assistant Position (CUPE 3902, Unit 1)  
Fall 2026 term (September 1, 2026 – December 31, 2026 (or up to January  
11, 2027))**

Posted on June 8, 2026 as a regular posting.

The Department of Computer Science seeks 20 TA(s) for the following course: **CSC108H1F – Introduction to Computer Programming**.

Visit link for course description: <https://artsci.calendar.utoronto.ca/course/csc108h1f>

**Position Code and Position Title**

CSC108H1F-A: Introduction to Computer Programming - Classroom and Marking TAs

**Qualifications**

Must be enrolled in, or have completed, an undergraduate or graduate program in Computer Science. 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 CSC148 or equivalent. Must be enrolled in or have completed a computer science degree, or equivalent. Must be interested in teaching beginner programmers and willing to try different approaches when explaining simple concepts. This course has specific in-person, on-campus requirements as listed in the "Duties" section; please only apply if you can meet the availability criteria.

**Relevant Criterion**

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

**Duties**

All TA duties are in person on the St George campus unless otherwise specified. Classroom and Marking TAs will attend in-person lectures to assist in classroom activities; invigilate tests, quizzes, and the final exam; grade tests, quizzes, and the final exam. Other responsibilities can include: preparing for lecture, answering questions on the online discussion forum; grading assignments; holding office hours. All TAs must have access to a computer and a reliable high-speed Internet connection to complete assigned work. TAs must be able to install course software such as Python; a tablet computer such as a Chromebook or iPad is NOT sufficient. For any remote office hours, TAs must be willing and able to participate with their cameras on.

TAs must be available during at least one full set of the ten in-person slots for CSC108 lecture times to assist in classroom activities:

- L0101: MO 12-13, WE 11-13
- L0201: MO 13-14, WE 13-15
- L0301: MO 14-15, WE 13-15
- L0401: MO 15-16, WE 15-17
- L0501: TU 9-11, TH 9-10
- L0601: TU 11-13, TH 12-13
- L0701: TU 13-15, TH 13-14
- L0801/0802: TU 15-17, TH 15-16
- L5101 MO 18-19, WE 18-20

TAs must have some availability for in-person test and quiz invigilation. TAs must have some availability

Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm for in-person marking. All TAs must be available for 12 hours of in-person marking during the term (up to 6 hours per quiz/midterm). In-person marking will take place in shifts following the scheduled quizzes/midterm. The tentative schedules are: Quiz 1 (October 5th-6th), Midterm (Oct 19-20), and Quiz 2 (Nov 16-17). Scheduled Dates are tentative (and subject to change) pending room bookings.

This course also requires all TAs to be available to mark the final exam in-person during regular business hours. The final exam date is determined by the Faculty of Arts & Science and may be scheduled between December 10 – 22, 2026. The exam schedule is released in November 2026. Every effort will be made to schedule and complete the exam marking within 5 business days after the final exam date. TAs may be required to complete grading January 6-11, 2027 if the exam is scheduled during the last few days of the exam period. The University is closed for the holiday break between December 24, 2026 – January 5, 2027."

### **Positions Available**

20

### **Hours of Work**

60

### **Estimated Course Enrolment**

2040

### **Rate of Pay**

\$53.92/hour (+ vacation pay)

### **Application Process**

Apply online at: <https://tapp.cs.toronto.edu/hash/external/postings/6dhi7oHxP5tWY8HKcsXmYqHV>

In your application you will be asked to provide your CV and academic history. In addition, you will be asked to provide a brief response to the following question(s):

CSC108H1 teaches the foundations of computer programming in Python to students with no prior programming experience. Based on the qualifications of this posting, please briefly describe how your experience (e.g. academic history, research, past TA experience, projects, and/or professional experience) make you qualified for this position.

Please confirm your interest in running classroom activities for one lecture time slot for the full semester (12 weeks). You do not need to provide your availability at this time. If you are not interested in running classroom activities on a weekly basis, consider applying to CSC108H1-B or C instead or apply to other courses.

The deadline to submit your application is **July 2, 2026 at 11:59pm ET**. 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.

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, LGBTQ2S+ 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 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.