The Department of Molecular Genetics is seeking 1 Teaching Assistant for the following course:

**MMG3004Y – Communication of Genetic Information**

This course teaches students the terminology and jargon relevant to genomic research to enable access to medical and scientific literature, and how to translate it for specific contexts and audiences. In addition, students are trained to effectively and bi-directionally translate clinical information into accessible language. Students will work on different individual and group assignments, creating pieces of writing tailored to a specific target audience, generating clinical test reports, and planning and recording a webinar.

**Qualifications**

Strong background in genetics, excellent communication skills in writing and speaking. Experience with writing genetic test reports is a plus. Further details about the Department’s hiring policy are available in the Department office and in the CUPE, Local 3902 office.

**Duties**

- Proof-reading and testing new assignments
- Grading student work

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.

**Hours of Work:** 20 hours

**Estimated Course Enrolment:** 15

**Rate of Pay:** SGSI/II $45.33/hr.

**Application Process**

Please submit a Teaching Assistant Cover Page (available on the departmental web site: [http://www.moleculargenetics.utoronto.ca/s/TAApplicationform.pdf](http://www.moleculargenetics.utoronto.ca/s/TAApplicationform.pdf)), a cover letter detailing your experience, and a CV to martina.steiner@utoronto.ca

**Deadline:** July 3, 2019

The Chair or the Chair’s authorized designate shall make any or all offers of employment on behalf of the Department of Molecular Genetics. The Department authorizes no other offers or notices of the outcome of applications. This job is posted in accordance with the CUPE3902 Unit 1 Collective Agreement. The positions(s) posted above is (are) tentative, pending final course determinations & enrolments. If during the application and/or selection process you require accommodation due to a disability, please contact uoft.careers@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.

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