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## **Regular Posting**

# FACULTY OF ARTS & SCIENCE Teaching Assistant – CUPE 3902, Unit 1 September 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025

## STA304H1F L0101 - Surveys, Sampling and Observational Data

Design of surveys, sources of bias, randomized response surveys. Techniques of sampling; stratification, clustering, unequal probability selection. Sampling inference, estimates of population mean and variances, ratio estimation. Observational data; correlation vs. causation, missing data, sources of bias.

Delivery Mode: HYBR

#### Qualifications

- Must demonstrate to have successfully completed a senior undergraduate course in regression analysis covering course topics or equivalent
- Experience performing statistical analyses in R + R-Studio

#### Preferred:

- o Experience in report writing and statistical communication
- Experience providing written and formative feedback to others or a demonstrated interest to develop such skills
- o Familiarity with scientific report structure and best practices
- Experience answering variety of student questions (e.g. debugging code, writing advice, writing proofs and problem solving, data analysis techniques)
- Experience working with survey design, collection, or analysis

## **Relevant Criterion**

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

## **Duties**

Duties are in person unless otherwise indicated and will include any or all of the following:

Preparation for classes, preparation of written or audio-visual materials, designing and maintaining course websites, attending lectures, running tutorial sessions, facilitating and evaluating student engagement on online discussion boards, participating in training sessions, meeting with the instructors, teaching, leading discussions, and supervising laboratories, rating students' work, holding office hours, consulting with students (including electronic consultation), writing and grading tests, examinations and lab sets, grading essays and term papers, invigilating midterm and final exams, setting up experiments, conducting field trips, and conferring with the supervisor in charge, as required by the employee's teaching duties.

Duties of this position shall be performed on the St. George Campus.

**Instructor:** Samantha-Jo Caetano

**Estimated Course Enrolment:** 300

Meeting Schedule: Lecture: TU:11:00-13:00; TH:11:00-12:00 (tentative)

Tutorials: N/A

**Approximate Hours of Work:** 4 @ 90 hours

**Approximate Number of Positions:** 4

Rate of Pay: UG/SGS I/II - \$52.97/hour (+4% vacation pay)



# **Application Process**

Application information is available at <a href="https://www.statistics.utoronto.ca/employment-opportunities/cupe-positions-unit-1">https://www.statistics.utoronto.ca/employment-opportunities/cupe-positions-unit-1</a>. The deadline to submit your application is <a href="July 18">July 18</a>, <a href="2025">2025</a>. For more information, you may contact:

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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.