WGS 397H1S: The Politics of Girlhood

The course communicates the growing field of “girl studies” and provides a critical examination of the historical, social, psychological and political definitions attached to girlhood. We will move toward a feminist understanding of how definitions of girl-child shape individual experience, historical narratives, cultural representations, political agendas and futures.

Enrolment Estimate: 40 students
Estimated TA Support: None
Class Schedule: Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00 – 12:00
Salary: $8,219.16 – salary includes vacation pay

Qualifications: Candidates will have a completed, or nearly completed, Ph.D. with a scholarly background in areas related to the specific course. Teaching experience of a similar course at the university level would be preferred.

Description of Duties:
• Preparing the course outline, syllabus and lectures
• Delivering lectures
• Developing, marking and administering course assignments, tests & exams
• Holding regular office hours

Application Process:
Applicants should submit a cover letter, CV, evidence of teaching similar courses (if applicable), and names of two referees by Thursday, February 27, 2020.

Applications should be sent to:

Undergraduate Coordinator
c/o Paul Tsang
Women and Gender Studies Institute
New College, University of Toronto
40 Willcocks Street,
Toronto, ON M5S 1C6
Email: wgsi.bo@utoronto.ca

We prefer that applications and CVs be submitted by e-mail.

This notice 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 University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

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.

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