Course Title: CIN340H1S: Special Topics in Cinema as Social and Cultural Practice: Wilderness in the Cinema

Posting Date: February 22, 2017
Closing Date: March 17, 2017 @ 5pm

Course description: This course will examine the division between nature and culture as it is represented in the cinema. Topics to be explored include representation of frontiers (in the old west and space, for example), indigenous perspectives on colonialism, the urban jungle, and non-anthropocentric ways of being.

Positions: 1
Estimated enrolment: 40
Estimated TA support: 0
Class Schedule: Tuesday, 12-4 pm, and Thursday, 12-4 pm
Sessional Date of Appointment: July 1, 2017 – August 31, 2017 (all positions include the completion of any grading not done by August 31)

Salary: Salary will be the stipend rate for a Course Instructor of $7,385.12 inclusive of vacation pay.

Please note that should rates stipulated in the Collective Agreement vary from rates stated in this posting, the rates stated in the Collective Agreement shall prevail.

Qualifications:

Required:
- MA in Cinema/Film.
- At least 3 years of experience teaching cinema and media at the university level, specifically film and media analysis
- At least 3 years of experience marking undergraduate essays in cinema.

Preferred:
- Scholarly concentration in film and popular culture beyond a Master’s level.

Duties of Sessional Lecturer:
The Course Instructor will devise the syllabus for this particular course, conferring with the Director of CSI in the process. He or she will lecture/conduct classes, grade assignments, hold office hours each week, and answer questions by email or appointment.

How to submit an application: Those interested should email a cover letter, curriculum vitae (by Word attachment) and teaching evaluations (if applicable) to:

Mr. Varun Malik, Business Services Coordinator
Innis College, 2 Sussex Ave., Toronto, ON, M5S 1J5 (HR.innis@utoronto.ca)

This position is tentative, pending final course determination and enrolments. This notice is posted pursuant to the CUPE 3902 Unit 1 Collective Agreement.

The Departmental Hiring Policy is available in the Department office and in the CUPE Local 3902 office.

In accordance with the Employment Equity Policy, the University of Toronto encourages applications from qualified women and men, members of visible minorities, aboriginal peoples, and persons with disabilities.

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.