Writing and Rhetoric Program (Innis College)
Course Instructor Position (Fall 2017)

Course title: INI 305H1F Word and Image in Modern Writing
Posting Date: May 10, 2017
Closing Date: June 10, 2017 @ 5:00 p.m.

Course description: The rhetorical term ekphrasis, which refers to writing that is about visual art, is central in the examination of the persuasive power of the conversation or discourse that is produced when the written word attempts the evocation of visual images. Course readings will include ekphrastic texts drawn from several disciplines and genres: journalism, informal essays, poetry, and scholarly writing.

Estimated enrolment: 40
Estimated TA support: None
Class schedule: Lectures: Wednesdays, 12:00–3:00 pm
Sessional dates of appointment: September 1, 2017-December 31, 2017

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:
• M.A. in English literature, rhetoric, professional writing, or related field.
• Demonstrated knowledge of the field of visual rhetoric.
• Extensive experience teaching academic essay writing.
• Extensive experience as a course instructor.
• Extensive experience marking undergraduate writing assignments.

Duties of sessional lecturer: The Course Instructor will teach the half-year course called Word and Image in Modern Writing, INI 305H. The Lecturer will be expected to develop a syllabus for the course, with the approval of the Director of the Writing and Rhetoric program. The Course Instructor will lecture once per week, grade all assignments, hold office hours each week, see students by appointment, and answer questions through email.

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
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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.