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Centre for Comparative Literature
Faculty of Arts and Science
University of Toronto

JOB POSTING – SESSIONAL LECTURER

Course Number and Title: COL5084HS Modern Arabic Literature in a Comparative Context

Course description: This course, to be taught at the graduate level, will focus on modern Arabic-language literature in a larger context that includes other literatures. The context, at the discretion of the instructor, may be historical and political: for instance, colonialism (Orientalist texts), postcolonialism (e.g. African or South Asian literature), diaspora (in Europe and North America), or the Middle East (Hebrew or Persian texts). Or the context may be thematic: e.g. religion, women, modernity. Classes will be conducted in English and texts must be available in English translation. Not all students will be able to read Arabic.

Approval for the course by the Arts and Science Governance committee is still pending.

Estimated course enrolment: 10

Estimated TA support: none

Schedule: Thursdays 10-12

Sessional dates: January 1-April 30, 2010

Please note: This position includes the completion of any course work and grading not completed by April 30, 2009

Salary: Sessional Lecturer I \$6,500; Sessional Lecturer II \$7000
(Rates subject to change pending the result of collective bargaining.)

Qualifications: PhD required. Mastery of the subject matter and proven academic promise.

Description of duties: conducting weekly seminars, meeting with students in office hours, grading written assignments.

Closing date: September 15, 2009.

All individuals interested in this position must submit a Curriculum Vitae and the CUPE 3902 Unit 3 application form PDF format ([http://www.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/Assets/Forms/Recruitment/CUPE3902-3+application+\(pdf\).pdf](http://www.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/Assets/Forms/Recruitment/CUPE3902-3+application+(pdf).pdf)) or WORD format ([http://www.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/Assets/Forms/Recruitment/CUPE3902-3+application+\(word\).rtf](http://www.hrandequity.utoronto.ca/Assets/Forms/Recruitment/CUPE3902-3+application+(word).rtf)) to:

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We prefer that applications and CVs be submitted via email.

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