UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA POSTING
CUPE 4163 Specialist Instructional

The Department/School of	Continuing Studies	has	1	position
APPOINTMENT, From: January 6, 2027		To: April 7, 2027		
TOTAL HOURS:	30	AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS:	2.5 hours per wk	

POSITION TITLE: Teaching Assistant

COURSE: TCA210 202701 A01

SUMMARY OF DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

To provide TA support for the Spring 2027 section of TCA210: Introduction to the Human Dimensions of Climate Change, which is a core course in the Transformative Climate Action Certificate program. TA support will include facilitating weekly synchronous tutorials and/or online discussions, as well as some grading. TCA 210 examines a range of understandings of and approaches to addressing climate change, exploring: what kind of problem(s) it poses; what toolkits we need to develop to engage it effectively; how to collaborate across diverse understandings of and priorities in relation to it and what scales and kinds of actions should be prioritized.

Learn more about the Transformative Climate Action Certificate program here: https://continuingstudies.uvic.ca/science-and-the-environment/programs/transformative-climate-action.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

Priority will first be given to students enrolled in the School of Environmental Studies graduate program, in accordance with Appendix A Appointment Priority Policy. This CUPE 4163 Component 1 position will be paid at the Senior Assistant rate. This position requires excellent writing and communication skills, as well as sensitivity to the diverse needs of the undergraduate student community. Grading at the university level is considered an asset. Graduate students holding sessional appointments are excluded. For additional information contact the Transformative Climate Action program at (250) 721-7589; email: bstadmin@uvic.ca. To apply, please send a copy of your resume and covering letter to Jolene Kendzel (bstadmin@uvic.ca) by November 23, 2026. Note: there is no application form for this position. **Please indicate your availability/interest in your application.** Submission of an application does not ensure employment. We anticipate that employment decisions will be made by December 7.

Appointments will be made in accordance with Article 13.02 (Appointment Procedures) and Appendix A of the CUPE 4163 Collective Agreement. Selection criteria will include: qualifications and ability based on academic merit and related experience, the career and/or pedagogical value that the experience in a particular position will provide the student, the student's preferences, and other sources of graduate student financial support being received.

Submit the completed application form to: Becky Rogers, Transformative Climate Action Program Coordinator, DCS
Chair/Director/Designate

by 23-Nov-26
Date

1. Number of available positions and total hours subject to funding availability and/or course cancellation.
2. See Schedule 1 in the Collective Agreement for wages.

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