

Academic Assistant Position (USW) - School of Rehabilitation Therapy

DATE OF POSTING: October 7, 2022
PROGRAM: Master of Science in Occupational Therapy
COURSE: OT887 Environmental Determinants of Occupation II
NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 2 (2x60 hours)
TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS: 120
TERM: Winter 2023
STARTING DATE: January 3, 2023
END DATE: April 28, 2023
COURSE SUPERVISOR: Dr. B. Batorowicz
APPLICATIONS DEADLINE: November 30 2022
SEND APPLICATIONS TO: Sandra Turcotte, Departmental Manager - turcotte@queensu.ca
HOURLY RATE: \$40.73 (plus 7% vacation pay)

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course builds on knowledge and skills developed in Environmental Determinants of Occupation I (OT 886). Students will gain in-depth knowledge of assessment and evidence-informed interventions relevant to complex environmental issues and assistive technology within a range of diverse occupational therapy practices, including inter-professional collaboration. (Lectures + labs)

DUTIES:

Organization and supervision of technology labs; supporting OnQ communication with students and discussion groups; teamwork co-supervision (i.e. teams will involve OT and engineering students); assisting with organizing and set-up of resources for labs; marking students' oral presentations; marking of assignments related to assistive technology and interprofessional practice; and marking of a final exam; opportunity for teaching related to selected topics.

WINTER TERM HOURS:

OT 887 is offered in the Winter term. Classes will take place on Tuesday mornings from 9:30-10:30 and Wednesday mornings for two hours with variation between 8:00-12:00. For further information, please contact the course coordinator at beata.batorowicz@queensu.ca. All in-person sessions will be conducted in compliance with all Public Health safety guidelines.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Organizational skills, comprehensive understanding of rehab/disability, ability to provide verbal and written feedback. The incumbent should feel competent to grade assignments or exams related to ergonomics and technology-based modifications to enable occupational performance. Knowledge of current mainstream technology used for work, leisure and self-care and alternative access technology and resources, policy and legislation related to the environment and accessibility is an asset (e.g. AODA, WSIB, Occupational Health and Safety Act, Building Code, The Education Act, CMHC, etc.). Previous experience with OnQ, Camtesia, and / or Microsoft Teams environment is also an asset.

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