

# UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

## TATP Training Information Fall/Winter 2017-18

As of September 1, 2014, all TAs assigned to lead tutorials or labs/practicals are required to receive specific training, dependant on the type of tutorial(s) they are being asked to teach. The Teaching Assistants' Training Program (TATP) has prepared a comprehensive Training Information Package (**available on the TATP website**) to assist Instructors and Departments in the process of determining training for their TAs. This document highlights important information included in the Training Information Package.

### 4 TUTORIAL CATEGORIES \*



DISCUSSION-BASED SESSIONS



SKILL DEVELOPMENT SESSIONS



REVIEW SESSIONS



LABORATORIES AND PRACTICALS

\* For definitions and TA training support in each of these categories, please see pp. 8-11 in the Training Information Package



**PLUS...** ADAPTING TEACHING TECHNIQUES (ATT) - With the Department's permission, TAs are also entitled to training in how to scale their learning activities for different sizes of tutorials, according to the number of students. This training is relevant if the size of a TA's tutorial changes.

## HOW CTSI/TATP CAN ASSIST YOU IN MEETING TRAINING NEEDS

### What kinds of training and support are available?

- More information about **Training for First Contract TAs** and how to arrange for TATP support can be found on **pp. 4-6** in the Training Information Package.
- For a list of 2016-17 **Training Options for First-Time CUPE 3902 Course Instructors**, please see **p. 14** in the Training Information Package.

### What role should instructors play?

- **Identifying your Tutorial Category**, please see **pp. 8-9** in the Training Information Package.
- For more information on getting support for TA training through the **TATP Liaison Program**, please see **p. 15** in the Training Information Package.

### FOR TAs

August 30, 2017	Tri-Campus TA Day held on St. George Campus
September/October 2017	Training days at UTSG, UTM, UTSC
September 2017 (again January 2018)	On-site departmental training for first-contract TAs
September 2016 (again January 2017)	- Tutorial Training workshops on 4 categories held centrally at CTSI - 1-hour Adapting Teaching Techniques (ATT) sessions held centrally at CTSI
Fall 2017/ Winter 2018	- TATP Workshop Series (additional in depth training) - Online modules to support tutorial planning and teaching

### FOR INSTRUCTORS

Summer 2017	<b>Online module</b> for instructors: " <a href="#">Developing Tutorial Learning Outcomes</a> "
August 17, 2017	CTSI Summer School
Fall 2017/ Winter 2018	Regular CTSI Workshop Series (with additional sessions)

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