

TEACHING ASSISTANT/MARKER/DEMONSTRATOR POSTING
DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada B3H 4R2

POSTING DATE: June 18, 2026
APPLICATION DEADLINE: July 3, 2026

POSITION: Teaching Assistant (TA130)
September – December 2026

DEPARTMENT/LOCATION: Department of Psychology and Neuroscience,
Life Sciences Centre, Halifax

PAY RATE: \$4,565 (one term, 130 hours), as per the CUPE
Collective Agreement

WORK ASSIGNMENT: The Teaching Assistant will assist with **PSYO/NESC
3131.03 Fall (Research Methods in Attention)**

Duties include, but are not limited to:

- Holding office hours.
- Providing intellectual and practical guidance to students for their lab projects.
- Preparing and presenting occasional lectures or facilitating seminar-style discussions.
- Developing, administering and marking of presentations and lab reports.
- Communicating regularly with the course instructor with regard to 2), 3), 4) and any other course-related issues.
- Helping with any technological requirements of the course, including the course Brightspace and MS Teams, online teaching and online cognitive tasks to be used in the course.

REQUIREMENTS OF POSITION:

Specialization in attention and cognition is required. Previous experience with this lab class or equivalent preferred. Familiarity with online cognitive experiments is required.

Please Note: *Non-student TA assignments are limited to no more than six hundred and fifty hours per term. For clarity, this means TAs cannot work in excess of five (5) TA130 contracts. If a TA has accepted six hundred and fifty contract hours in a term, they are not able to accept any additional TA, marker or demonstrator hours.*

We encourage you to apply for all positions you are interested in and qualified for. However, these roles typically require periods of high-intensity work at specific points in the semester (e.g., grading duties and student questions around assessment deadlines). These high-intensity weeks often overlap across courses.

The successful applicant will be responsible for ensuring they can complete all duties accurately and in a timely manner and must realistically assess their capacity before accepting the position.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE POSITION, PLEASE EMAIL YOUR CV (BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE) TO:

Dr. John Christie
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