

Contract Instructor Opportunities

Fall/Winter 2025-26

Canadian Studies

Pursuant to Article 16 of the CUPE 4600 (Unit 2) Collective Agreement outlining the hiring process, in particular with respect to Incumbency and Seniority, the following courses may be available for Contract Instructors during the Fall 2025 and Winter 2026 terms. We invite applications from members of the CUPE 4600-2 bargaining unit and other interested persons.

Fall Term

CDNS 3700 [0.5 credit] **Constructing and Contesting Memory in Canada**

An exploration of conflicts about memory and commemoration in Canada, including: monuments and heritage sites; cultural heritage and artistic expressions; the media; education; language and cultural revitalization; and the politics of memory and forgetting.

Prerequisite(s): second-year standing or permission of the School.

Seminar three hours a week.

Designated Modality	In-Person
Anticipated TA Support	No
Anticipated Enrollment	20

Winter Term

CDNS 1101 [0.5 credit] **Power, Places and Stories in/of Odawang/Ottawa**

Exploration of Odawang/Ottawa as a settler-colonial border city built on unceded Algonquin territory and tensions between the national, global and local in Odawang/Ottawa. May include field trips.

Lecture/groups three hours a week.

Designated Modality	In-Person
Anticipated TA Support	Yes
Anticipated Enrollment	60

Winter Term cont'd

CDNS 4020 {0.5 credit} Injury, Memory and Redress in Canada

Examination of the politics of redress and (re)conciliation in Canada. Topics include the ways in which historic wrongs, trauma and injury are (re)imagined and memorialized.

Prerequisite(s): third-year standing or permission of the School.

Seminar three hours a week.

Designated Modality	In person
Anticipated TA Support	Yes*
Anticipated Enrollment	25

CDNS 5301/CLMD 6105/ENGL 5900 [0.5 credit] Canadian Cultural Studies

The arts, belief systems, institutions and communicative practices in Canada in relation to other social and historical structures.

Designated Modality	In Person
Anticipated TA Support	No
Anticipated Enrollment	20

CDNS 5601/HIST5702 [0.5 credit] Constructing Canada: The Politics of National Identity

Interdisciplinary examination of national identity, public opinion, and public policy; the intersection of national visions of Canada and public policy; and the articulation of Canadian distinctiveness and sovereignty on the world stage. Topics include nationalism and national identity, branding Canada, and selected policy fields.

Designated Modality	In Person
Anticipated TA Support	No
Anticipated Enrollment	15

**Please note that anticipated TA support is based on anticipated enrollment and may change based on actual course enrollment.*

Candidates must have academic expertise in the specific areas and topics covered by the courses they are applying to teach. Previous teaching experience in the subject area is an asset for the courses listed above. Doctoral students must be post-comps to be considered. Review of applications and hiring decisions will be made in accordance with the [CUPE 4600 \(Unit 2\) Collective Agreement](#).

Please note that the review of applications will commence no earlier than 21 calendar days after the date posted and will continue until the positions are filled. *All positions are subject to budgetary approval.*

We reserve the right to cancel any course for which there is insufficient registration.

Application Procedures and Deadlines:

All applicants must apply to the Department Head in writing and in relation to each course for which they wish to be considered:

Dr. Paul Keen, Director, Canadian Studies
Carleton University, 1206 Dunton Tower
1125 Colonel By Drive, Ottawa, ON K1S 5B6

Deadline for submission: May 22, 2025
Please submit applications electronically to paul.keen@carleton.ca

As per Article 15.3 of the current CUPE 4600 (Unit 2) Collective Agreement, applicants are required to submit a current CV, including a complete listing of all courses taught within the CUPE 4600 (Unit 2) bargaining unit at Carleton University. Candidates who have already contacted the School and submitted a CV recently need only indicate their interest in particular courses. NOTE that when applying to courses for which they have incumbency, applicants shall not be required to (re)submit documentation beyond their updated CV.