



Aquatic Instructor in Training

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The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from racialized persons / persons of colour, women, Indigenous / Aboriginal People of North America, persons with disabilities, LGBTQ2S+ persons, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

Deadline:	Ongoing
Number of Positions:	5-10
Rate of Pay:	\$15.60/hour
Start Date:	April 30th, 2023
End Date:	September 16th, 2023
Number of Hours/week:	2-12
Classification:	University of Toronto, Casual
Summary:	<p>The Aquatic Instructor in Training (AIIT) position is designed for candidates who are working on completing their Leadership certifications (NL-Pool, LS Swim Instructor, SFA with CPR-C) or for candidates who are applying outside of the regular aquatic instructor recruitment cycle. The successful candidate will work as part of the Aquatics team to assist with fun, safe and educational aquatic classes. By shadowing S&R/Junior Blues Aquatic Instructors, they will learn all aspects of applicable course content and teaching methodology; explaining, demonstrating, teaching; and assist with evaluating aquatic skills and techniques for a variety of learners. Through in-water practice, the AIIT is introduced to key principles of learning and teaching while they master basic progressions specific to the U of T Sport & Rec Aquatics Learn to Swim programs. Professionalism is demonstrated by arriving to work as scheduled, completing pay sheets promptly; reporting any facility/equipment breakdowns; and enforcing Ontario Health Regulations. Other duties may be assigned.</p> <p>Opportunities are available in the following aquatic programs:</p> <p>Programs for U of T Students and Members (Sport & Rec): <i>Adult Swim Lessons; Absolute Beginner to Swim Training</i></p> <p>Children & Youth Programs (Junior Blues): <i>LSS Swim for Life, ages 1 – 12 years old, Canadian Swim Patrol, Bronze Star, Swim Adapted, Intro to Competitive Swimming (8-15 years old)</i></p>
EXPERIENCE:	Ability to teach participants with different skill levels and learning styles. Familiarity with Athletic Centre programs and services is an asset. University of Toronto full-time students and employees who work as a lifeguard and/or other positions at KPE Aquatics will be given preference.

	<p>REQUIRED CERTIFICATIONS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. LSS Bronze Medallion and Emergency or Standard First Aid – need not be current <p>PREFERRED CERTIFICATIONS*:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. LSS Bronze Cross – need not be current 2. LSS Swim Instructor & Lifesaving Instructor certification. 3. National Lifeguard – Pool (LSS) certification. 4. Standard First Aid with CPR-C (SJA, RC or LSS). <p>*Certifications are preferred, but not required for the AIIT position.</p> <p>Skills: Must possess strong interpersonal skills to work and function within a team environment; be able to deal well with conflict situations. The ability to work effectively in a diverse environment must be evident. The candidate must possess strong leadership skills and be self-motivated, reliable, responsible, and vigilant.</p> <p>OTHER: Candidates must be comfortable swimming in deep water with children (able to complete an assessment of 100m swim and 2 minutes of treading water). Must be able to demonstrate ability to swim all strokes taught at the facility (front crawl, back crawl, breast stroke, whip kick on the back and scissor kick).</p>
<p>Method of Application</p>	<p>Please email your Cover Letter, Resume to: Masha Reshetnikova Assistant Manager, Aquatics and Sport & Rec Programs masha.reshetnikova@utoronto.ca</p>
<p>Date Posted:</p>	<p>February 1, 2023</p>