## UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA POSTING FOR CUPE 4163 SPECIALIST INSTRUCTOR DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

**Course Number/Title/Description:** GEOG 226: INTRODUCTION QUANTITATIVE METHODS IN GEOGRAPHY - Application of statistical techniques to geographic problems. Topics include hypothesis formulation, sampling strategies, parametric and nonparametric statistical tests, statistical models. All laboratory exercises are computer based.

Session<sup>1</sup>: January 6 to April 25, 2025

Number of Available Labs: 3

Hourly Rate<sup>2</sup>: \$31.80

Number of Hours per Lab Appointment: 98

Weekly Hours per Appointment<sup>3</sup>: 7 hours per week (approximate)

**Minimum Skills Required:** Good communication skills and a solid understanding of statistical principles. Must have completed at least one undergraduate statistics course with a grade of 'A-' or higher. General computer competence is essential along with a willingness to learn new software packages. Good command of spoken and written English.

## **Duties and Responsibilities<sup>4</sup>:**

- participating in weekly meetings or workshops
- preparing for weekly labs
- leading weekly labs, seminars, tutorials, or field trips
- providing in-lab instruction and/or assistance
- student consultation (office hours)
- grading of weekly lab assignments and/or term papers/reports
- supervising and grading of midterm(s) and final exam

## Submit a completed application form by noon on Monday, October 21st, 2024

Completed forms can be e-mailed to John at <a href="mailed-eogao@uvic.ca">geogao@uvic.ca</a> or dropped off at the Geography main office (DTB B203).

Appointments will be made in accordance with Article 13.02 (Appointment Procedures) and Appendix A of the CUPE4163 Collective Agreement. In order to work for the Department, you must be either a Canadian citizen, or you must be in the country and attending the University of Victoria under a student visa.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> You are expected to be available during this time period to fulfill all your duties and responsibilities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Effective September 2022 (see the latest CUPE 4163 Collective Agreement).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Weekly hours vary based upon the marking requirements of individual courses, especially mid-term and final exams and term projects/reports.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The position duties and responsibilities may include, but are not limited to, those listed above.