



University
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Visual Arts

Employment Opportunities Summer 2026 Sessional Instructors CUPE 4163 (Component 3) Sessional Lecturers Certification

Feb 25, 2026

The Department of Visual Arts, Faculty of Fine Arts, University of Victoria invites expressions of interest for the following 2026 Summer Term sessional assignment:

ART 351 Special Studies (3.0 units): The study of a specialized topic or area and its relationship to practice.

This course meets 5 days a week from May 11th to June 4th, each day from 1:00pm to 4:50pm.

Recent offerings of this course have focused on the following topics:

- Monster Studies
- Nothing Really Matters
- The Narrative Frame: Storytelling in Contemporary Art
- Art Across Species

The course serves upper-level students from a variety of disciplines and should appeal accordingly; it is often a final course to fulfill graduation requirements.

Submission Information:

Applicants should hold an MFA or equivalent degree, be a practicing professional artist, and have a record of exhibitions.

Submission requirements:

- Submit letter of interest that includes a description of your approach to the course and teaching.
- CV
- Up to twenty images and / or up to 5 min of time-based documentation (please ensure any online links are free of password permissions)
- Course Proposal which should outline the course contents and aims in reasonable detail but does not need to include a class-by-class syllabus.
- Names and contact information for two referees

Address application to:

Megan Dickie, Chair
Department of Visual Arts
University of Victoria

Email your materials to: visualarts@uvic.ca; with the subject line **(2026 Summer Term sessional posting)**

Application deadline: Thursday, March 12, 2026

Employment decisions are anticipated to be made by: Monday, March 23, 2026

The University of Victoria is an equity employer and encourages applications from women, persons

*with disabilities, visible minorities, aboriginal peoples, people of all sexual orientations and genders, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of the University. The University reserves the right to fill additional teaching assignments from the pool of applicants for this posting. **All positions are subject to enrollment, budgetary and final Departmental approval.***