

# Positions for Sessional Lecturers

April 01, 2025

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY  
UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA  
REQUEST FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST  
CUPE 4163 (COMPONENT 3) SESSIONAL LECTURERS

Expressions of interest are invited for a sessional assignment for the following **Winter Session 2025-26** courses.

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## January-April 2026

### **BIOL 415C Mycology (3-0-0) (1.5 units)**

**T,W,F 12:30-1:30pm**

The diversity and ecology of fungi. Topics include: fungal molecular genetics, the role of fungi in ecosystem function, beneficial and pathogenic fungi in forests, and the importance of fungal biochemistry in industrial processes and human activities.

Prerequisites:

Complete all of:

- BIOL215 - Principles of Ecology (1.5)
- BIOL225 - Principles of Cell Biology (1.5)
- BIOL230 - Principles of Genetics (1.5)

Anticipated enrollment: 45 students, maximum 55

Expressions of interest for the **January to April 2026** positions must be submitted in writing to Dr. Doug Briant, Chair, Department of Biology, University of Victoria, care of [biology@uvic.ca](mailto:biology@uvic.ca) on or before Friday, **May 30, 2025**. Employment decisions are anticipated by June 13, 2025.

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All sessional lecturer positions are subject to meeting minimum enrollment requirements.

Salary is subject to the Cupe 4163 (Component 3) collective agreement and is based on years of lecturing experience at a post-secondary institution. More information can be found on the UVic Human Resources website:

[https://www.uvic.ca/hr/assets/docs/labourrelations/collectiveagreements/4163\\_comp\\_3\\_2022\\_2025%20Website%2010Apr24%20Updates.pdf](https://www.uvic.ca/hr/assets/docs/labourrelations/collectiveagreements/4163_comp_3_2022_2025%20Website%2010Apr24%20Updates.pdf)

The Department of Biology reserves the right to fill additional teaching assignments from the pool of applicants for this posting.

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