

Part-Time Position in Sustainability and Environmental Studies, Elsipogtog

St. Thomas University invites applications for an instructor to teach the following Sustainability and Environmental Studies course in-person in Elsipogtog First Nation:

Semester 2 (January – April 2026)

SEST 1013 Understanding Environmental Problems (TH 3:00 PM - 5:50 PM) . Using the planetary boundaries framework, this course introduces students to how society's energy, food and economic systems are disrupting critical Earth systems such as climate, oceans, and biodiversity. We also consider how those social systems need to change to achieve sustainability.

Founded in 1910, St. Thomas is a primarily undergraduate university that prioritizes teaching and learning so that each student is prepared for personal and career fulfillment. With an enrolment of 1,700 students, STU offers Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Social Work degrees for undergraduates, in addition to distinctive program opportunities like the Bachelor of Arts (Aviation Stream), the Mi'kmaq and Wolastoqey Bachelor of Social Work, and the Bachelor of Applied Arts. For those interested in post-degree or graduate studies, St. Thomas offers a Bachelor of Education and a Master of Social Work. Professors are distinguished scholars, authors, and commentators, and provide an outstanding education to their students. The university holds Canada Research Chairs in global and transnational studies and in physical culture and social life, as well as a health research chair in community health and aging.

A PhD, or imminent completion is preferred; a Master's degree is required. Each applicant is to submit a curriculum vitae, along with pertinent documentation (ex. teaching portfolio etc.) and arrange to have three letters of reference sent directly to Dr. Janice Harvey, Director of Sustainability and Environmental Studies, St. Thomas University, Fredericton, NB E3B 5G3. Electronic applications may be sent to jeharvey@stu.ca.

Closing date: 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 18. Applicants are responsible for ensuring that their completed applications are received by this date.

St. Thomas University encourages applications from all qualified candidates and is committed to the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion, including employment equity for the following under-represented groups identified in the Canadian Employment Equity Act: women, Aboriginal persons, members of visible minority groups and persons with disabilities.

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