UNIVERSITY OF
TORONTO
Institute of Islamic Studies

MiCDI
MUSLIMS IN CANADA
DATA INITITATIVE

Job Posting:
Graduate Research Assistantship
Islamophobia Index Development (400 hours)

Area of Research
The study of Islam and Muslims in Canada

Description of Duties
This Research Assistantship (RAship) will invite a graduate student to work closely with a MiCDI data team member to develop an index measuring Islamophobia. The role would include qualitative data analysis, conceptualization and operationalization of focal phenomena, and preliminary testing of developed indexes.

Duties include:
- Weekly meetings with supervisor
- Collecting and coding qualitative reports
- Synthesizing findings
- Collecting quantitative survey measures
- Development of index measures

Required Qualifications
Applicants must be currently enrolled as a graduate student in a social sciences or humanities field. Applicant must be trained in qualitative data analysis and be familiar with social science surveys and measures.

Application Instructions
For full consideration, applications must be submitted electronically to ssarah.shah@mail.utoronto.ca by the application closing date.

Applications must include:
1. a cover letter with a statement of interest;
2. a current curriculum vitae;
3. names and email addresses for two references.

After initial review, letters of recommendation will be requested for selected applicants.

Applications will be reviewed as received and the position will remain open until filled. However, no hiring decision will be made prior to ten working days following the date the vacancy was posted.

Closing date for Applications: **August 15, 2022**

Supervisors:
- Anver M. Emon, Director, Institute of Islamic Studies
- Sarah Shah, Data Team, Muslims in Canada Data Initiative, Institute of Islamic Studies

Expected Start and End Date:
September 1, 2022 – April 30, 2023