



Assistant Professor in Information Technology (2 Positions)

School of Information Technology, Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies

The School of Information Technology in the Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies at York University invites highly qualified applicants for two (2) Assistant Professor positions in Information Technology. These are tenure-track appointments to the Professorial Stream to commence July 1, 2024.

The ideal candidates will have a strong research record in the broad areas of Information Systems and Technology, which may include but are not limited to human-computer interaction, human-centered and applied AI, IT governance and Enterprise Architecture, as well as Software Engineering. Candidates from other areas of Information Systems and Technology are also welcome to apply.

The **School of Information Technology** at York University is unique in its interdisciplinary and applied approach to Information Technology research and education. Situated among some of the top Liberal Arts, Business and Engineering programs in the country, the School offers an ideal environment for developing research and educational initiatives that cross disciplinary boundaries. Home to some of the best reputed scholars in their field, the School features a strong tradition of externally funded research and industrial collaborations.

Candidate Qualifications:

- **Degree:** PhD in Computer Science, Information Technology, Information Systems, Software Engineering, or a closely related field must be in hand by the start date.
- **Scholarship:**
 - A coherent and well-articulated program of research and specialization in the broad area of Information Technology. Possible areas of specialization include: human-computer interaction; human-centered & applied AI; IT governance and Enterprise Architecture; and Software Engineering.
 - A record or evident promise of generating innovative, substantive, rigorous, and as appropriate, externally funded research at the highest level.
 - A record or evident promise of making influential contributions and demonstrating excellence in the field, which may be indicated by: research or other professional engagements; research of a recognized international calibre; publications or forthcoming publications in significant journals; presentations at major conferences in the field; awards, grants, and accolades; the research statement; and strong recommendations from referees of high standing.
- **Teaching:**
 - A record or evident promise of excellence in teaching and dedication to students, which may be indicated by: teaching and supervision record; teaching statement; teaching accomplishments and pedagogical innovations (e.g., in high priority areas such as experiential education and technology-enhanced learning).
 - Suitability for prompt appointment to the Faculty of Graduate Studies, given that the position will involve graduate teaching and supervision.

Hiring Policies:

- Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.
- All York University positions are subject to budgetary approval.
- York is an Affirmative Action (AA) employer and strongly values diversity, including gender and sexual diversity, in its community. Details of the AA Program, which applies to women, members of racialized

groups, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities and those who identify as 2SLGBTQ+, can be found [here](#) or by contacting Christal Chapman, EDI Program Manager (chapman7@yorku.ca; 416-736-5713).

- York welcomes and employs scholars from all over the world. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens, permanent residents and Indigenous peoples of Canada will be given priority.
- York has a policy on [Accommodation in Employment for Persons with Disabilities](#) and is committed to working towards a barrier-free workplace and expanding the accessibility of the workplace to persons with disabilities. Applicants who require accommodation are invited to contact Prof. Enamul Prince, School Director at enamulh@yorku.ca.

Application Process:

- Due date for completed applications: **January 31, 2024**
- Required materials: 1) current CV; 2) Cover letter; 3) a statement of research; 4) a statement of teaching (optionally including teaching evaluations and/or a teaching dossier); 5) up to three representative publications; 6) three letters of reference commenting on research record, ability and promise.
- Provide required information regarding your Canadian work status and optional self-identification for Affirmative Action purposes as part of the online application.
- Direct questions about the position to Prof. Enamul Prince, School Director at enamulh@yorku.ca.
- **Submit materials: at <https://apply.laps.yorku.ca>**

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- York University generates and shares knowledge through our research, teaching and engagement with communities around the world. The [2023-2028 Strategic Research Plan](#) showcases the depth, breadth and ambition of research at York.
- York's commitments to social justice are laid out in our [Decolonizing, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Strategy](#), the [Framework & Action Plan on Black Inclusion](#) and the [Indigenous Framework for York University](#).
- Follow the activities and accomplishments of York's faculty, students and staff on [YFile](#).

York University acknowledges its presence on the traditional territory of many Indigenous Nations. The area known as Tkaronto has been care taken by the Anishinabek Nation, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, and the Huron-Wendat. It is now home to many First Nation, Inuit and Métis communities. We acknowledge the current treaty holders, the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation. This territory is subject of the Dish with One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant, an agreement to peaceably share and care for the Great Lakes region.