



**STEPHEN J.R. SMITH FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND APPLIED SCIENCE AT QUEEN'S  
UNIVERSITY**

**Teaching Fellow Position  
Academic Year 2024-2025**

**Posting Date:** October 1, 2024

**Closing Date:** October 30, 2024

The Department of Mechanical and Materials Engineering at Queen's University invites applications from suitably qualified candidates interested in teaching the following core second year undergraduate course in the 2024/25 session.

**MREN 230 Thermodynamics and Heat Transfer  
January 1, 2025 – April 30, 2025**

**Qualifications:**

Current enrollment in the PhD program in Mechanical Engineering or related field at Queen's University. Previous educational background and/or experience must be suited to teaching the course described below. Candidates must have excellent communication and presentation skills as proven with prior experience, as well as being capable of working as a member of a teaching team. Previous teaching experience at the University level, specifically large lecture-based engineering courses is considered an asset. Registration as a Professional Engineer, or eligibility to acquire registration in Canada, would be a strong asset.

**Course Description:**

**Units: 3.75**

This course introduces fundamental thermodynamics and heat transfer concepts needed to analyze thermal systems including: ideal gas laws; work and heat; conservation of energy; thermodynamic properties of pure substances; equations of state; applications to open and closed systems; heat transfer by conduction, convection and radiation. Theory will be complemented with a series of labs that introduce temperature measurement devices and thermal circuit analysis. (Lec: 3, Lab: 0.25, Tut: 0.5)

**Requirements:** Prerequisites: [MREN 241](#) Corequisites:

**CEAB Units:**

Mathematics 0, Natural Sciences 30, Complementary Studies 0, Eng Science 15, Eng Design 0

**Course Details:**

This course involves in-person delivery of three lecture hours and one tutorial per week for twelve weeks. There are also two 2hr labs delivered over the course of the semester in multiple sections.

**Expected Enrolment (subject to change):** 130 students.

The successful applicant will have 100% percent responsibility for this course. Graduate teaching assistants will be assigned to assist with tutorials, labs and marking. Please discuss your interest in this role with your graduate program supervisor prior to application.

The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Queen's is strongly committed to employment equity, diversity and inclusion in the workplace and encourages applications from Black, racialized/visible minority and Indigenous people, women, persons with disabilities, and 2SLGBTQ+ persons.

Teaching Fellows at Queen's University are governed by a [Collective Agreement](#) between the University and the Public Service Alliance of Canada 901, Unit 1.

The University will provide support in its recruitment processes to applicants with disabilities, including accommodation that takes into account an applicant's accessibility needs. If you require accommodation during the interview process, please contact [mmeadmin@queensu.ca](mailto:mmeadmin@queensu.ca).

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority, including any qualified individuals who have a valid legal work status in Canada. Please indicate in your application if you have a valid legal work status in Canada. Applications that do not include this information will be deemed incomplete. Applications from all qualified candidates will be considered in the applicant pool.

Applications should include a complete and current curriculum vitae, a copy of your "unofficial" transcript, a statement of teaching experience, the names and contact details of two referees who may be contacted, and any other relevant materials the candidate wishes to submit for consideration. Applications can be submitted to the MME Appointments Committee at the address below, or by e-mail to [mmeadmin@queensu.ca](mailto:mmeadmin@queensu.ca). Applications should arrive no later than October 30, 2024 at 11:59pm.

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