

Assistant Professor – English (9 month Tenure Track)

Department:

English and Foreign Languages

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We are also accepting applications through Interfolio. apply.interfolio.com/81219

Position Duties:

Teach three courses per semester (75%) and assume administrative and advisory duties to coordinate freshman composition and to promote and develop an existing writing concentration for the B.A. (25%). Duties will include but are not limited to the following:

- Exercise leadership in keeping the department current in its teaching of composition and in developing new courses in writing and rhetoric
- Mentor adjunct instructors: acclimatize them to the department, oversee the development of syllabi and assignments, calibrate essay grading, review teaching evaluations
- Conduct mock grading sessions and roundtable discussions on topics such as classroom pedagogy
- Prepare annual reports on the performance of students in freshman composition courses

Scholarly activity and service to the department, the university, and the community will also be expected. Opportunities to develop specialized courses in writing will be available. We welcome applications from candidates with expertise in one or more ancillary areas such as technical writing and digital humanities

Minimum Position Qualifications:

A Ph.D. is preferred, but we will consider advanced ABD's

Closing Date:

January 15, 2020

Special Instructions/Notifications:

This is a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor beginning August 2021.

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