Visiting Instructor/Visiting Assistant Professor of Art History—Search #12032
College of Arts and Humanities
Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art

The Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art in the College of Arts and Humanities seeks a visiting instructor/visiting assistant professor of Art History for the 2020-2021 academic year. This position is located primarily on the Statesboro campus, though some classes may be taught at one of Georgia Southern University’s other campuses in Savannah, Hinesville, or online.

At Georgia Southern, visiting instructors/visiting assistant professors normally teach fifteen credit hours per semester and hold regular office hours. All visiting positions are non-tenure track. The appointment is for fall 2020 – spring 2021 with the possibility of a one-year extension pending funding and satisfactory performance. The extension year would be a terminal year, without exceptions.

Position Description. Reporting to the Chair of the Betty Foy Sanders Department of Art, the visiting instructor/visiting assistant professor of Art History requires teaching survey-level art history classes and art appreciation classes, with the possibility of teaching upper-division courses based on the candidate’s strengths, degree, and department needs and attending area and departmental meetings. This position is an academic (9/10 month) year, non-tenure-track appointment, and the salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Required Qualifications:
• Earned MA in art history, or a closely related field, by August 1, 2020 (for visiting instructor rank) OR earned doctoral degree in Art History, or closely related field, by August 1, 2020 (for visiting assistant professor rank).
• At least one year of teaching experience in higher education.
• Willingness to teach/develop online or hybrid courses.
• Willingness to engage with institutional student success initiatives.
• Commitment to engaging with best practice initiatives in instruction and pedagogy, mentoring, and curriculum design and development.
• Must be authorized to work in the United States for the duration of employment without assistance from the institution.

Preferred Qualifications:
• ABD, earned Ph.D., or equivalent terminal degree Art History, or a closely related field, by August 1, 2020.
• Area of specialty in Modern/Contemporary Art History.
• Area of specialty in Non-Western Art History.
• Experience teaching online or hybrid classes.
• Experience developing online courses.

Screening of applications begins as they are received and continues until the position is filled. The preferred position starting date is August 1, 2020. A complete application consists of a letter addressing the qualifications cited above, including a verifiable statement regarding authorization to work unassisted in the U.S.; a curriculum vitae; a statement of teaching philosophy, and the names, addresses, telephone numbers, and email addresses of at least three professional references. Other documentation may be
requested. Only complete applications submitted electronically will be considered. Finalists will be required to submit to a background investigation. Applications and nominations should be sent to:

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