On-going Lecturer Pool

The Digital Arts and New Media (DANM) M.F.A. Program at the University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC) invites applications for an on-going pool of qualified temporary instructors to teach occasional courses under the direction of the program chair. DANM serves as a center for the development and study of digital media and the cultures they help create. Courses address interdisciplinary artistic and scholarly research and production, in the context of a broad examination of digital arts and cultures. Possible related areas of research and teaching might include mechatronics, participatory culture, performatve technologies, or playable media and required core courses. We have a preference for candidates with expertise in the theory and practice of digital arts and new media. We are especially interested in candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of the academic community through their teaching.

Candidates accepted to our pool may be approached by other units to teach in areas related to their demonstrated areas of expertise. Regular appointments are during the academic year, but accepted candidates will also be eligible for Summer Session appointments.

RANK: Lecturer

SALARY: Approximately $6,126–$6,762 per 5-unit course, commensurate with qualifications and experience. Compensation for Summer Session courses may vary from this amount.

BASIC QUALIFICATIONS: M.F.A. or two years of artistic and creative work resulting in publications or exhibitions; and demonstrated record of having taught at least one course in higher education.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Experience with subject matter and/or teaching specializations of a DANM course (mechatronics, participatory culture, performatve technologies, playable media, etc.).

POSITION AVAILABLE: As openings occur, appointments contingent upon availability of funding.

TO APPLY: Applications are accepted via the UCSC Academic Recruit online system, and must include: 1) a letter of application that addresses how you meet the Basic Qualifications, 2) curriculum vitae, 3) three current letters of recommendation*, and 4) teaching evaluations. Documents/materials must be submitted as PDF files.

Apply at https://recruit.ucsc.edu/apply/JPF00112
Refer to Position #JPF00112-14P in all correspondence.

*All letters will be treated as confidential per University of California policy and California state law. For any reference letter provided via a third party (i.e., dossier service, career center), direct the author to UCSC’s confidentiality statement at http://apo.ucsc.edu/confstm.htm.

CLOSING DATE: This is an ongoing pool and will remain open. As this is an ongoing pool, applicants will be asked to update their files every three years if they are interested in remaining in the pool.

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Under Federal law, the University of California may employ only individuals who are legally able to work in the United States as established by providing documents as specified in the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. Certain UCSC positions funded by federal contracts or sub-contracts require the selected candidate to pass an E-Verify check. More information is available here or from the Academic Personnel Office (APO) at (831) 459-4300.

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