Centre for Inter-Faculty Programs

Tenure-Track Faculty Assistant Professor Position in Digital Journalism

The University of Windsor, Centre for Inter-Faculty Programs, invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position in Digital Journalism at the rank of Assistant Professor commencing on July 1, 2014. The position is subject to budgetary approval.

Launched in Fall 2011, the University of Windsor's Digital Journalism program is a combined degree program, with co-major options in Communication, Media, and Film; English Literature; English and Creative Writing; and Political Science. The Chair of the Digital Journalism program reports to the Assistant Provost, Inter-Faculty Programs. Further details of the program can be found at www.uwindsor.ca/digitaljournalism.

The successful candidate will possess:

- PhD or equivalent in Journalism or in another related discipline by date of appointment (Communication, Political Science, or English preferred);
- Professional experience in journalism (broadcasting, print, online);
- Demonstrated expertise in the range of current digital and web-based technologies used in contemporary journalism;
- Relevant management or administrative experience:
- Relevant teaching experience at the post-secondary level; and
- A record of both relevant peer-reviewed scholarly and professional journalistic publications.

The Digital Journalism Program Chair's responsibilities include:

- Teaching courses in the Digital Journalism program;
- Implementing and developing the Digital Journalism program and its curriculum;
- Advising current and prospective students; and
- Promoting and recruiting for the Digital Journalism program, and representing it to the University and the wider community.

Applications must include:

- A letter of application, including statement of citizenship/immigration status;
- A detailed curriculum vitae:
- Evidence of teaching excellence (i.e. official teaching evaluations, awards, letters of assessment);
- A teaching dossier that includes sample course outlines and a concise statement of teaching philosophy;
- Official transcripts if a recent graduate;
- Samples of peer-reviewed scholarly work;
- Evidence of professional journalism, with samples of journalistic work, including work digitally published in different media;
- Three current letters of reference forwarded directly to the Dr. K. Quinsey, Acting Assistant Provost; and
- Candidates who are ABD must provide a letter from their supervisor confirming defence date.

To ensure full consideration, complete applications, including letters of reference, must be submitted by the deadline date of November 29, 2013 to:

Dr. Katherine M. Quinsey, Acting Assistant Provost, Inter-Faculty Programs Phone: (519) 253-3000 ext. 2324, Fax: (519) 971-3674 University of Windsor, Windsor, Ontario N9B 3P4 Email: jelena@uwindsor.ca

Applications may still be received after the deadline date. The acceptance of a late submission is at the discretion of the appointments committee. The University of Windsor is committed to equity in its academic policies, practices, and programs; supports diversity in its teaching, learning, and work environments; and ensures that applications from members of traditionally marginalized groups are seriously considered under its employment equity policy. Those who would contribute to the further diversification of our faculty and its scholarship include, but are not limited to, women, Aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, and members of sexual minority groups. The University of Windsor invites you to apply to our welcoming community and to self-identify as a member of one of these groups. International candidates are encouraged to apply; however Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. To ensure that you are considered within the priorities of the Employment Equity Program, you may self-identify in your letter of application or in a separate letter to the Presidential Commission on Employment Equity, c/o Gerri Pacecca, Office of the Provost and Vice-President Academic, 511 Chrysler Hall Tower, University of Windsor, Windsor, Ontario, N9B 3P4. The University of Windsor, one of Ontario's leading academic institutions, provides a learning-centred approach which prepares its graduates for the challenges of tomorrow. Information about the University of Windsor and its programs may be found at http://www.uwindsor.ca.

