# **Job Description**

Job Title: Assistant Professor - Digital Design

**Job ID**: 15679

Location: Hostos Community College

Full/Part Time: Full-Time
Regular/Temporary: Regular

#### **FACULTY VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Humanities Department at Hostos Community College is composed of five units: Black Studies, Latin American and Caribbean Studies, Modern Languages, Media Design and Visual and Performing Arts. The Visual and Performing Arts unit includes courses as far ranging as painting and drawing, art history, digital design, animation, public speaking, acting, music, and audio recording. These courses provide students with the skills and knowledge to pursue many possible creative paths.

Those who elect to earn credits in the visual and performing arts will find a variety of approaches to learning that include lecture and studio based classes as well as workshops that allow for the exploration of extracurricular interests or even for the development of career centered skill sets vital to the pursuit of employment opportunities.

The successful completion of courses in the arts are a useful and, in many cases, essential basis for study in other disciplines. They are also a valuable source for personal development. The Visual and Performing Arts unit now offers an Associates of Applied Science (AAS) degree in Digital Design and Animation as well as in Digital Music.

The Visual and Performing Arts Unit at Hostos Community College seeks applicants for a tenure track Assistant Professor for the spring 2017 semester in Digital Design to perform teaching, research and guidance duties in area(s) of expertise. Shares responsibility for committee and department assignments including administrative, supervisory, and other functions.

#### Responsibilities include the following:

- Teaches courses in Communication Design, Digital Imagining, Web Design, 2D Design, Color Theory, Art History and Media History.
- Assists in the development and implementation of the Digital Program.
- Assists in the oversight of the operation of the Apple Collaborative Labs and equipment.
- Participates actively in committees, student recruitment and outreach efforts to secure extramural funding for education program development.
- Assists in the organization and implementation of the annual student portfolio review & game competition.
- Advises students.

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

Ph.D/MFA degree in area(s) of experience or equivalent. Also required are the ability to teach successfully, demonstrated scholarship or achievement, and ability to cooperate with others for the good of the institution.

## **COMPENSATION**

Salary for this position is commensurate with education and experience.

CUNY offers faculty a competitive compensation and benefits package covering health insurance, pension and retirement benefits, paid parental leave, and savings programs. We also provide mentoring and support for research, scholarship, and publication as part of our commitment to ongoing faculty professional development.

## **HOW TO APPLY**

Applicants must apply online by visiting the CUNY website at www.cuny.edu and navigate to the following links: "Employment" and "Search Job Postings."

Please attach resume, cover letter, three professional references and statement of scholarly interest.

## **CLOSING DATE**

December 4, 2016

## JOB SEARCH CATEGORY

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