



OFFICE OF HUMAN RESOURCES

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

POSITION TITLE: Assistant Professor of Fashion Design

PERSONNEL STATUS: PIN/Faculty

DEPARTMENT: Fine and Performing Arts

OPEN DATE: June 3, 2016

CLOSING DATE: September 1, 2016

Responsibilities: The primary duties for this tenure-track position are teaching, advising, and mentoring, consistently engaging in scholarship and/or professional creative work, as well as offering university and community service; teaching duties in fashion design, fashion merchandising and possibly teaching a variety of fashion design and/or visual communication and theatre arts (costume design) studio courses; including costume/fashion history; ongoing professional development, advising majors, fashion events, showcases, portfolio reviews; senior exhibitions, office hours; service on departmental, college, and/or university committees; maintains active participation in creative and/or scholarly endeavors; establishes and maintains industry partnerships; participation in the Visual Communication and Digital Media Arts program, departmental and curricular reviews, department and advisory committees.

Qualifications: Master's degree required in MA, MS, MFA or terminal degree in fashion design or related field. Minimum five (5) successful years of teaching fashion design (or related) on the university level; five (5) years recent professional experience in fashion design preferred; expertise in at least one of the following areas: fashion design, costume design, CAD related to apparel design and product/textile design, fashion drawing and/or illustration. Demonstrated knowledge of a variety of topics related to the fashion industry, which may include evaluation of ready to wear; analysis and predication of future trends; textiles; retailing; fashion merchandising, fashion forecasting and marketing, advertising, fashion and costume history, sewing, flat pattern, draping; production of a fashion show in coordination with juried student and senior art show; and basic garment construction. Experience and sensitivity to working with students from diverse backgrounds and especially those at a Historically Black College or University and grantsmanship is desired.

Condition of Employment: Open and available to working beyond scheduled classroom and office hours when necessary.

APPLICATIONS: Interested and qualified applicants should submit two copies of a resume/curriculum vitae, cover letter, portfolio, letter of interest and teaching philosophy, official transcript (s), along with a faculty application and at least three (3) letters of reference. **Submissions without an application will not be considered.** Email or mail all documents to:

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