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Visiting Assistant Professor of Modern History

JOB DESCRIPTION

Mercyhurst University is seeking a full-time visiting assistant professor of modern history in the School of Humanities, beginning Fall 2024.

Requirements: Ph.D. or advanced ABD in modern history or a closely related field, with a strong commitment to teaching undergraduates. Experience teaching at the university or collegiate level is preferred.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Applicants must be able to teach 12 credits per semester in modern history at the undergraduate level. Courses may include World History 2, European History 2, U.S. History 2, and classes in the hire's area of specialty. The candidate's specialty may vary within the broad framework of modern history, but candidates who can teach courses in multiple areas will be preferred. Candidates who can contribute to the growth of a digital humanities curriculum and the incorporation of artificial intelligence into the curriculum will also be preferred. History courses contribute to the history major, as well as the general education curriculum. Demonstrated success in teaching and mentoring undergraduates of diverse backgrounds is especially valued. Review of applications will commence immediately.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Review of applications will commence immediately and continue until the position is filled. Please submit a cover letter, CV, statement of teaching philosophy, and names and contact information for three references to:

Human Resources
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