Visiting Lecturer in Architectural Studies (History of Art and Architecture Department)

The History of Art and Architecture (HAA) Department at the University of Pittsburgh invites applications for a full-time Visiting Lecturer in Architectural Studies for academic year 2021–22 (September 1, 2021–April 30, 2022). This full-time position, which is outside the tenure stream, may be renewable based on need, funding, and performance. It cannot be held simultaneously with other full-time employment, either on or off campus. The Visiting Lecturer will teach a range of design studio courses and serve as Studio Coordinator for our undergraduate Architectural Studies Program. You can read about the program on our website, https://www.arch.pitt.edu/. We seek a colleague whose teaching and service will extend our mission by contributing diverse perspectives and experiences to program and departmental initiatives.

Duties

- 1. Teach two 6-credit design studio courses (or the equivalent) per semester
- 2. Meet with students beyond the classroom as may be appropriate to their educational needs
- 3. Work closely with the Program Director to coordinate curricular plans
- 4. Organize final reviews of student work in December and April
- 5. Communicate with university staff regarding design studio space and equipment needs
- 6. Document student design work for program assessment
- 7. Carry out departmental service as needed

Minimum Requirements

- 1. Professional degree in architecture (B.Arch. or M.Arch.)
- 2. Professional license to practice architecture in the United States
- 3. Minimum of 2 years experience as a design studio instructor
- 4. Commitment to the values of equity, inclusion, accessibility, and diversity

Preferred Requirements

1. Ph.D. in architectural history or a related discipline

Applications should include:

- 1. Cover letter of 1–2 pages, addressed to Jennifer Josten, Interim Chair. Include a description of your teaching experience.
- 2. Current CV. Include a list of courses taught.
- 3. Teaching Portfolio (15 pages max.) Include sample course materials and evidence of teaching effectiveness (e.g., student evaluations).
- 4. Diversity statement of 1–2 pages, in which you share how your past, planned, or potential contributions or experiences relating to diversity, equity, and inclusion will advance the University of Pittsburgh's commitment to inclusive excellence.
- 5. Contact information (full name, title, and email) for three persons able to provide confidential professional letters of recommendation. We do not need the letters themselves at this time, only the contact information.

To apply, visit join.pitt.edu. The requisition number for the position is 21002809.

Review of applications will begin on Monday, May 10, 2021, and will continue until the position is filled. Questions may be directed to Karoline Swiontek, Administrative Officer, HAA Department (karoline@pitt.edu).

The Dietrich School of Arts and Sciences is committed to building and fostering a culturally diverse environment. Excellent interpersonal and relationship-building skills and the ability to work effectively with a wide range of individuals and constituencies in support of a diverse community are required.

The University of Pittsburgh is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and values equality of opportunity, human dignity and diversity. EOE, including disability/vets