



## FACULTY EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

### DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES

#### Temporary Faculty Position (Lecturer) in German

**This search will result in a three-year pool of qualified candidates. Positions are for one or more semesters of the 2010-2013 academic years.**

**Please use #103170 in all correspondence and inquiries regarding this position.**

**THE UNIVERSITY:** Sonoma State University is one of the 23 campuses of the California State University. Located in the Sonoma County wine country, 48 miles north of San Francisco, the University has an enrollment of approximately 8,000 students with 500 faculty. The University is organized into six schools: Arts and Humanities, Business and Economics, Education, Extended Education, Science and Technology, and Social Sciences. Within the traditional structure is an interdisciplinary program of liberal studies. The University offers bachelor's degrees in 42 fields and master's degrees in 15.

**THE DEPARTMENT:** The Department of Modern Languages & Literatures offers major and minor programs in French and Spanish, and a minor program in German, as well as occasional courses in other languages. Courses in modern languages are taught in the target languages, and functional control of all language skills is a primary goal at all levels of study.

Prospective applicants are encouraged to peruse at the department's web page at:

[www.sonoma.edu/forlang/](http://www.sonoma.edu/forlang/)

or the Faculty Affairs web page at:

[www.sonoma.edu/facaffairs](http://www.sonoma.edu/facaffairs)

**DUTIES OF THE POSITION:** Teach German courses as needed at all levels of German language, culture, film, and history. Advanced literature and culture from German-speaking countries taught in English.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** To be recommended for appointment, the candidate must have:

Minimum Qualifications:

M.A. required (Ph.D. preferred) in German, or in a discipline related to German Studies. Near-native or native fluency in spoken and written German. Experience teaching German language (beginning, intermediate, advanced) at college level. Up-to-date knowledge of post-unification events in Germany and information about other German-speaking countries. All candidates who meet the minimum qualifications are encouraged to apply.

**RANK AND SALARY:** Lecturer, (monthly full-time equivalent salary, \$3456-\$4650).

Actual salary level is dependent upon number of units assigned, educational preparation, experience, and availability of funds.

**APPLICATIONS:** Review of applications will be conducted for those applications sent by December 1st.

Please submit a letter of application; a complete and current vita; one sample of a major publication; a current teaching evaluation, if available; and the names, titles, and telephone numbers of three references to [facultysearch@sonoma.edu](mailto:facultysearch@sonoma.edu) . Official transcripts are required at time of hire.

**Application procedures for temporary faculty already teaching in the department:**

- Temporary Faculty with three year contracts do not need to reapply.
- Temporary Faculty who have taught for the department within the past two years need only submit a letter of intent to remain in the pool. The hiring committee will review the Personnel Action File and then determine whether an additional interview would be beneficial.

**Questions concerning this position may be directed to:**

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**Submit applications electronically to:**

**[facultysearch@sonoma.edu](mailto:facultysearch@sonoma.edu)**

NOTE: attachments should be in Microsoft Word, Rich Text Format (RTF), or Portable Document Format (PDF).

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NOTE: Sonoma State University hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All offers of employment are contingent upon presentation of documents demonstrating the appointee's identity and eligibility to work, in accordance with the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act.

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