

NOTICE OF VACANCY

September 28, 2021



Art **(Full-Time, Tenure Track)**

RANK: Assistant Professor

STARTING DATE: August 2022 (rank and tenure track status dependent on qualifications)

RESPONSIBILITIES: USAO, a state supported liberal arts university, seeks a tenure track, assistant professor in the Department of Art beginning Fall 2022. The ideal candidate would be expected to teach within a Fine Art focused program. Areas of teaching would include: design; fine art graphics, illustration, graphic design (typography, layout, product design, Macintosh OS, raster/vector software, 3D software, multimedia), photography (digital and film), and possibly, printmaking (intaglio, relief, serigraphy, and lithography).

This position services all Art majors, Communications majors, and Photo minors. Requirements would include: maintaining Graphic Design, Photography, and possibly, Printmaking programs/studios. The candidate will teach beginning and advance courses in Design, Graphic Design, Photography, along with conceptual courses. Additional responsibilities could include teaching in Printmaking, Interdisciplinary Program and/or the Art Education Program based on skills and knowledge. In addition to teaching and continued scholarly activity, candidates would provide student advising, recruiting, service on committees and departmental duties, which include assisting in all art events/exhibitions.

Applicants must be willing to work and collaborate within a small undergraduate department of four full-time faculty and to actively support the USAO liberal arts mission. A strong commitment to the growth and development of the whole person--mind, body, spirit--is essential. USAO is committed to diversity and, building upon recent success, seeks a broad spectrum of candidates including women and minorities.

QUALIFICATIONS: MFA required, with a liberal arts background and concentrations in Graphic Design Photography and Printmaking. 3-5 years teaching experience and active publication/exhibition record preferred. Successful candidate must demonstrate a high degree of individual initiative and observe high standards of personal and professional integrity. Employment is contingent upon a satisfactory background check.

TO APPLY: Send completed USAO application, letter of application, resume, artist statement, include online link or web site of digital portfolio of current artwork: minimum 15-20 images, SASE, unofficial copies of transcripts, and three (3) professional references and/or (3) letters of recommendation to Human Resources Office, University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma, 1727 W. Alabama, Chickasha, OK 73018-5322. Application review begins **November 1, 2021** and will continue until position is filled.

AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma is an equal opportunity, affirmative action institution. Science and Arts welcomes applications without regard to age, race, gender (including pregnancy), national origin, disability, religion, marital or parental status, protected veteran status, military service, genetic information, sexual orientation or gender identity. Persons must have proof of legal authority to work in the United States on the first day of employment.

As required by the US Department of Education, employees are required to report violations under the Title IX and, under the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act), select individuals are required to report crimes. If this position is identified as a Campus Security Authority (Clery Act), you will be notified, trained, and provided resources for reporting.

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