

Arizona State University, College of Design, School of Design Innovation

Faculty Position:

Motion Design, Information Design, and/or Interaction Design Instructor

Description:

Arizona State University, College of Design, School of Design Innovation, program in Visual Communication Design invites applications for an interaction, motion, and/or graphic information designer and researcher to teach courses in introductory as well as advanced digital media, motion graphics, visual narrative, third year, fourth year, and graduate studio instruction beginning August 2009. Salary is commensurate with experience, teaching, and current professional status.

Responsibilities:

Teach core undergraduate studio and lecture courses as well as graduate-level seminars on interaction design, graphic information design and/or technology, visual narrative, and theory of graphic design.

Use innovative and multidisciplinary teaching abilities with a strong emphasis in one of the following: Information and Architecture/Design; Human-Computer Interaction; and visual narrative to support the MSD and proposed MFA equivalent graduate programs in visual communication design. Participate in university level team teaching, collaboration, curricular development, methodology, strategy, and/or theory. Selected individual will possess an awareness of the changing, interrelated roles of objects, environments, and media.

Minimum Qualifications:

Earned Ph.D., MFA or MSD in Graphic Design/Visual Communication Design. Will consider ABD applicants and MFA applicants in Graphic Design, Industrial Design, or Information Design contingent on demonstrated relevant experience. Record of scholarly publications or demonstrated promise of scholarly publishing ability. Directly related web and solid design experience. Teaching experience at university level. Experience with PC and Mac hardware and software to create and produce multimedia graphics for websites. Evidence of proficiency with following software: Flash, Dreamweaver, Photoshop, Illustrator, After Effects, PowerPoint, Keynote, InDesign, QuarkXpress, as well as current web-based technologies. Experience conducting presentations. Demonstrated effective organizational and written communication skills.

Desired Qualifications:

Three years direct web experience. Two years solid design experience. Three years teaching university level design studio courses.

Application procedure:

Priority deadline April 30, 2009; however, search committee will review applications until the search is closed. Send CD formatted for Mac (or via email) to include: cover letter, curriculum vitae, statement of design expertise and interests, a one-page teaching/educational philosophy statement, examples of work, materials to demonstrate potential for excellence in teaching, contact information for three references to:

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Questions regarding open positions, application procedures, or the search process may be directed to Sue Elliott, Business Operation Manager, ASU College of Design, School of Design Innovation; Tele: 480.965.8684, Fax: 480.965.9656. E-mail: sue.elliott@asu.edu.

Consult <http://www.asu.edu> for information on the University, or <http://design.asu.edu/> for information on the College of Design, the School of Design Innovation, the program in Visual Communication Design, or the specific job description and application procedures.

The program in Visual Communication Design at Arizona State University, a leading professional program of visual design, is one of the country's most exciting and diverse cultural communities. ASU has long been characterized by its New American University approach to the making and critical study of design and pursues this aim with a campus environment and facilities that support both cutting edge and traditional practices.

Arizona State University is an equal opportunity, equal access employer fully committed to achieving diversity in its faculty and student populations. All applications are welcomed and encouraged.