

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY



Vacancy Announcement Visiting Faculty Position Starting August 2019 Department of Politics JOB #1920-28

Humboldt State University is committed to achieving the goals of equal opportunity and endeavors to employ faculty, staff, and administrators of the highest quality reflecting the ethnic and cultural diversity of the state

DESCRIPTION: Humboldt State University's Department of Politics invites applications for a full-time, temporary Visiting Faculty appointment for sabbatical replacement during academic year 2019/2020. We seek a broadly trained teacher and scholar of law and politics. Initial appointment will be for the Fall 2019 semester. Subsequent reappointment for Spring 2020 will be contingent upon satisfactory performance evaluation.

RANK, SALARY AND BENEFITS: One year, full-time temporary Visiting Faculty position for the 2019/2020 academic year. Rank and salary are dependent upon the appointee's qualifications and experience. The current California State University Salary Structure is available at: <http://www.humboldt.edu/aps/docs/salary/Salary-Schedule.pdf>.

Humboldt State University provides an excellent benefits package for faculty. Information about benefits plans can be found at: <http://www.humboldt.edu/forms/node/934>.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS: An earned Master's in Political Science or related field from an accredited college or university is required at time of appointment; Ph.D. or ABD is preferred. An academic specialization in Law and Politics/Public Law, or a J.D. degree, is also preferred.

The candidate must have demonstrated teaching effectiveness and a demonstrated interest and ability to teach a broad range of courses to diverse students (majors, general education students, etc.). Candidates whose qualifications also suit them to prepare individuals to function in a culturally and ethnically diverse society are especially encouraged to apply.

At the time of appointment, the successful candidate, if not a U.S. citizen, must have authorization from the Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services to work in the United States. For information on the University policy on support for non-immigrant temporary faculty visa acquisition, please visit the Faculty Immigration Resources page at: <https://extended.humboldt.edu/international-programs/immigration/faculty>.

Evidence of degree(s) is required at time of hire.

PROFESSIONAL DUTIES: Instructional assignments are expected to include the following courses: US Constitutional Law, Legal Research, Moot Court, and Politics of Criminal Justice. Additional courses might include Introduction to American Government, Political Research and Analysis, Public Policy Process, or US National Politics.

Instructional assignments will be consistent with the programmatic needs of the department and students. The primary professional responsibilities of instructional faculty members in temporary positions are teaching, maintaining office hours and working collaboratively and productively with colleagues.

GENERAL INFORMATION The Department of Politics is strongly committed to student-centered education, diversity, and inclusion. We offer our majors three distinctive concentrations in “Law and Policy,” “Politics of Environment and Sustainability,” and “Global Politics.” For more information, please visit: <http://politics.humboldt.edu/>.

APPLICATION: Qualified candidates should submit the following materials through Interfolio:

Click here to apply: <https://apply.interfolio.com/61140>

- ✓ Letter of application;
- ✓ Curriculum vitae (CV);
- ✓ Sample syllabi;
- ✓ Statement of teaching philosophy;
- ✓ Teaching evaluations (if available);
- ✓ Graduate transcripts (unofficial copies are sufficient for initial review); and
- ✓ Names and contact information for three professional references.

Additional application materials such as three letters of recommendation may be requested at a later time. Please direct any questions pertaining to this position, the Department of Politics, or Humboldt State University to:

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: This position is open until filled. First consideration will be given to completed applications received no later than **April 7, 2019**. Early response is encouraged.



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It is the responsibility of the applicant to provide complete and accurate employment information. Evidence of required degree(s), certifications(s), or licenses(s) will be required prior to the appointment date. A background check (including a criminal records check, employment verification, and education verification) must be completed satisfactorily as a condition of employment with the CSU. Certain positions may also require a credit check, motor vehicle report, and/or fingerprinting through Live Scan service. Adverse findings from a background check may affect the application status of applicants or continued employment of current CSU employees who apply for the position. All CSU employees are obligated to respond to and report incidents of sexual harassment and sexual violence. The successful candidate for this position will be mandated to receive relevant training on an annual basis. The person holding this position is considered a 'limited reporter' under the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act and is required to comply with the requirements set forth in CSU Executive Order 1083 as a condition of employment.

New employees hired by the CSU for the first time who first become CalPERS members on or after July 1, 2017 are subject to a 10 year vesting period for retiree health and dental benefits.

Humboldt State University is a Title IX/Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. We consider qualified applicants for employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, genetic information, medical condition, disability, marital status, protected veteran status, or any other legally protected status. If accommodations need to be made during the recruitment and interview process, please contact Human Resources at (707) 826-3626 or hsuhr@humboldt.edu.

Humboldt State University is part of the 23-campus California State University system. The University has a comprehensive arts and sciences curriculum, which is recognized nationally for its high academic quality. Founded in 1913, HSU is one of the premier public institutions in the western United States; it is a residential and rural campus with an enrollment of approximately 8,000 students. The main campus is located in Arcata, California, in the northwestern part of the state along the coast, situated among redwood trees in an area that offers unmatched scenic beauty, moderate climate and opportunities for outdoor activities. The surrounding Humboldt County locale has a population of around 130,000. The community offers an excellent range of businesses, services and cultural activities/performances. The local schools are ranked in the top performance percentiles, both nationally and in the state. Additional information about Humboldt State University can be found at: <http://www.humboldt.edu>.