

School of Communication and Journalism
Faculty Vacancy
Full-time Instructor of Mass Communication

The School of Communication and Journalism at Eastern Illinois University seeks an individual to teach courses in mass communication and media production. The candidate should be able to teach mass communication courses (e.g., Introduction to Mass Communication; Communication and Popular Culture; etc.), and audio and video for television and film. Normal teaching load is 4-4, potentially adjusted to 3-3 with lab classes.

A successful candidate will have teaching experience and/or graduate coursework focused on the exploration of issues related to power and diversity in mediated communication, and be able to address how perceptions of race, gender, class, sexuality, etc. are influenced and shaped by media. In addition, a successful candidate will have the ability to teach basic audio and video for television and film.

Qualifications

Master's degree of Communication, Mass Communication, Television, Film, Digital Media or related field is required at the time of appointment. Strong interpersonal, collaborative, and organizational skills are expected. Evidence of successful teaching experience is required. Demonstrated commitment to diversity and experience promoting inclusive excellence is required.

Deadline

Review of applications will begin December 1, 2021 and will continue until campus interviews are scheduled.

Application

A complete application will consist of a letter of application detailing your fit in and contribution to the School of Communication and Journalism, current CV, transcripts, evidence of teaching effectiveness, and contact information for three professional references. Candidates from underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged to apply. Send application materials to Interfolio at: <http://apply.interfolio.com/96752>.

Additional information available at <https://www.eiu.edu/cmnpjou/>. For questions regarding this search, please contact Dr. Marita Gronnvoll, Chair of Search Committee, at mgronnvoll@eiu.edu.

About Us

The School of Communication and Journalism houses academic divisions devoted to Communication Studies and ACEJMC-accredited Journalism. The School offers five undergraduate degree programs in Communication Studies, Health Communication, Journalism, Public Relations, and Television & Video Production, along with a Master's degree in Communication Studies. We are a vibrant academic community with more than 300 majors.

The University & Community

Eastern Illinois University takes pride in creating a warm, welcome environment for all faculty, staff and students. Established in 1895, EIU boasts a rich, 125-year tradition of preparing students for their personal and professional goals. A traditional regional residential institution, EIU offers a superior education at a relatively low cost while consistently earning high rankings and distinctions for its affordability, academic program quality, career placement rates, campus safety, online degree options, student support, and sustainability initiatives.

EIU focuses on individualized attention and superior student relationships, and has earned recognition as the highest-ranking independent public regional university in Illinois and a place among the Midwest's top public regional universities according to *U.S. News and World Report*. EIU hosts more than 175 student organizations on campus, and offers a variety of cultural events, NCAA Division I athletics, and active research opportunities for its students to enjoy and to thrive. EIU has become recognized for providing the resources of a large institution while creating the kinds of individual relationships that support student and alumni success.

Eastern Illinois University is located in Charleston, Illinois – a comfortable and safe east central town within a two-to three-hour drive of three major metropolitan areas -- Chicago, Indianapolis, and St. Louis.

EIU offers benefits to same-sex domestic partners and to spouses.

Eastern Illinois University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer - minority/female/disability/veteran -- committed to achieving a diverse community