Job Posting

Assistant Professor of U.S. Social/Cultural History

The Department of History at **Tennessee Tech University** invites applications for a full-time **Assistant Professor position** in the area of **U.S. Social or Cultural History**, beginning August 1, 2023.

Essential duties include teaching both halves of the U.S. History survey sequence; developing and teaching upper-division courses related to U.S. Social and/or Cultural History and other specialty areas as needed; maintaining a teaching philosophy and preferred instructional methods compatible with department goals and resources; relating effectively with students, faculty, and other University personnel; maintaining an active research agenda with discernible results; teaching an equivalent of 12 hours per semester; advising and mentoring students on academic and vocational matters; performing departmental administrative duties as assigned; serving on faculty committees, as assigned.

Minimum Qualifications include possessing a PhD in History from an accredited institution by August 1, 2023. Must demonstrate expertise in and ability to teach American History, with a focus on social or cultural history and the period of 1877-1920. Must be able to teach both halves of the U.S. History Survey sequence. Ability to relate effectively with students, faculty, and other University personnel. Demonstrated teaching philosophy and preferred instructional methods compatible with department goals and resources. Demonstrates a commitment to the continued improvement of teaching, using research-based practices. Ability to advise and mentor students. Demonstrate excellent written and oral communication skills. Must be authorized to work in the United States without the University's sponsorship.

Preferred Qualifications include experience teaching both halves of the U.S. Survey sequence; can teach courses related to issues of race within the U.S.; augment existing departmental specialties; demonstrate commitment to collaborative undergraduate education; have the ability to contribute to graduate and professional degree programs; demonstrate the ability to relate effectively with students, faculty, and other University personnel.

Our department is home to approximately 50 majors.   More information about our Department can be found at https://www.tntech.edu/cas/history/index.php

Applicants will be required to apply online at https://jobs.tntech.edu and electronically upload a cover letter discussing teaching experience and philosophy, advising experience, research and other professional goals, and courses taught and are willing to teach; curriculum vitae; copies of all higher education transcripts (official transcripts for all degrees conferred required upon hire); and names and email addresses for three individuals who will be contacted by email to provide a reference letter. Submission of materials is the applicant's responsibility. Applications without all required materials are incomplete and will not be considered. Questions should be directed to Dr. Elizabeth Propes, epropes@tntech.edu or 931-372-3332.

Initial screening will begin **December 6, 2022** and will remain open until filled.