

Tenure Track Assistant Professor in Africana Studies

The Department of Africana Studies at the University of Cincinnati, in Cincinnati, Ohio invites applications for a tenure track assistant professor to begin August 1st, 2022. A PhD is preferred but the successful candidate must have expertise in Africana Studies. The ideal candidate is expected to develop and teach courses on African American and African diaspora political and social movements and have expertise to teach Africana theory and research method courses. The successful candidate will teach two courses per semester and engage in scholarship, teaching, community outreach, and external grant writing. Depending on the successful candidate's area of expertise, collaboration with colleagues in other departments (Sociology, History, Political Science and Women and Gender Studies) is a possibility. All applicants must apply on-line at <https://jobs.uc.edu/go/Faculty/7912200/>

The University of Cincinnati is an urban, public, comprehensive Research I institution, committed to attracting, supporting, and retaining an academically and culturally diverse faculty. The University has an active Black Faculty Association, Latino Faculty Association, and is in the process of forming an LGBTQ Faculty Association. It has an institutional membership to the National Center for Faculty Development and Diversity. The University is in a vibrant city with an active arts scene, national sports teams, and other opportunities for a satisfying work-life balance.

The Department of Africana Studies (AFST) is an interdisciplinary program, and one of 22 departments in the College of Arts and Sciences. The department offers a Bachelor of Arts degree, Online Minor in Africana Studies, as well as an undergraduate certificate in African Studies, Minority Health, and Global Health. The department currently has six full-time faculty, and eight affiliate faculty. Please visit our website www.arsci.uc.edu/africana_studies to find out more about the Department of Africana Studies.

Required Application Material

Review of applications will begin on November 1, 2021 and will continue until the position is filled. The applicant will be evaluated on commitment and contributions to diversity, as well as their application for the University's culture of inclusion and equity.

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A cover letter describing interest in the position, teaching philosophy and experience, research interests and commitment to diversity.

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An updated curriculum vitae, including courses taught and contact information of four references. Letters of recommendation will be requested only for the short list of finalists.

The University of Cincinnati is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer and does not discriminate against persons based on race, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender, marital status, age, or disability. Women, minorities, people with disabilities and veterans are encouraged to apply.