The Department of Communication at the University of South Florida invites applications for two, 9-month visiting instructor positions, for the 2019-2020 academic year, with the possible extension for a second and/or third year. A doctorate in Communication before August 7, 2019 is preferred, but ABD candidates will be considered, with assurance from dissertation committee that applicant will have a PhD degree by December 6, 2019.

We seek candidates who are able to teach 4 courses each in fall and spring semesters, in one or more of the following undergraduate course areas: performance studies, media and persuasion, senior capstone and public speaking. Applicants should have an outstanding teaching record, and a scholarly focus that matches our department’s mission, which is to embrace innovative humanistic and social scientific approaches to inquiry and engagement in health, media, organizational and relational communication, with emphases on culture, performance, and social justice.

A record and/or promise of publications, performances, conference presentations, top paper awards, and community outreach is preferred. Our department community values a colleague who will support our collegial culture.

**Minimum Qualifications:**

1. Master's Degree from an accredited institution in Communication. Must meet university criteria for appointment to the rank of Instructor.
2. Demonstrates evidence of quality teaching commensurate with departmental standards.
3. Ability to teach in one or more of the following topic areas: performance studies, media and persuasion, senior capstone and public speaking.

**Preferred Qualifications:**

1. Ph.D. from an accredited institution in Communication awarded by August 7, 2019. Must meet university criteria for appointment to the rank of Instructor.
2. A record and/or promise of publications, performances, conference presentations, top paper awards, and community outreach.
3. A teaching profile that is adequately aligned with our department’s mission and vision.
4. Evidence/Promise of department, community, disciplinary engagement.

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To apply, please visit http://employment.usf.edu and submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, two letters of recommendation, and documentation of successful teaching (teaching philosophy, course evaluation quantitative scores). Please submit application by April 25, 2019. Please note that the application process requires applicants to scan all the requested materials into one .pdf document prior to submission.

For any queries, please contact:

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