



Posting Date: May, 2018

Position: Instructor – Visual Arts

Department: School of Arts & Sciences

Hours per Week: Part-time

**Alverno College** is a private liberal arts college with an internationally acclaimed ability-based program and diverse student body. A Catholic College founded by the School Sisters of Saint Francis, we are dedicated to the undergraduate education of women while serving men and women in our adult and graduate programs. Our low instructor-to-student ratio and collaborative faculty contribute to a positive learning environment. We provide students with real-life, hands-on experiences in the classroom, in study abroad opportunities and in professional internships related to their major. These experiences, among others, have resulted in Alverno College being recognized among the top four Midwest Regional Universities in the 2018 *U.S. News & World Report* “Strong Commitment to Teaching” category for the eighth consecutive year.

The School of Arts & Sciences seeks applicants for part-time Instructor positions to teach courses in painting, visual art and digital art.

### **Primary Duties and Responsibilities**

*The following information is not meant to be all-inclusive.  
Other duties and responsibilities may be assigned as necessary.*

Teach in one of the classes listed below:

- **Painting** – Instruct art and general education students through introduction to painting in acrylic. Provide painting history/theory and safety instruction in an individualized environment that develops painting goals for students with a variety of experience levels of painting.
- **Introduction to Art: Visual Art** – Instruct art and general education students in beginning level use of varied art materials, techniques and frameworks for engagement and interpretation of the visual arts. Work with multi-section instructors to provide portfolio review, public art project and use of expressive, cultural, social justice, wellness, formalist frameworks and ability-based assessments.
- **Introduction to Art: Digital Art** – Instruct art and general education students in beginning level use of varied digital format, techniques and frameworks for engagement and interpretation of the digital arts. Work with multi-section instructors to provide portfolio review, public art project and use of expressive, cultural, social justice, wellness, formalist frameworks and ability-based assessments.

### **Qualifications and Education**

- Two to three years of teaching experience in any of the three courses described above.
- Practice in a narrative feedback setting and experience with course management software is preferred.
- Master of Fine Arts required.

Successful candidates will have a demonstrated commitment to promoting diversity, inclusion, and multicultural competence in an educational and work environment and must be willing to contribute to the College’s strategic plan of inclusion.

### **How to Apply**

Apply on-line at <http://www.alverno.edu/jobs>

**Please attach your cover letter, resume, teaching philosophy statement, and list of references to the on-line application**

*Alverno College is an Equal Opportunity Employer and committed to workplace diversity*