The University of Texas at San Antonio

The Department of Communication at the University of Texas at San Antonio (UTSA) invites applicants for one open rank (Assistant, Associate or Full) tenured/tenure-track faculty position beginning Fall 2015. We seek individuals with a Ph.D. in Communication or a related field interested in assisting us in our continued progress toward Tier One prominence. The Department has a Master’s degree program, and is one of the largest undergraduate programs at UTSA. For more information on the Department, visit http://communication.utsa.edu/.

Position: Open rank tenured or tenure-track faculty position specializing in Interpersonal Communication. Required qualifications: a strong background or potential to establish a significant program of research in interpersonal and applied health communication. Ability to teach communication theory and/or research methods is also required. Preferred qualifications: Experience or research in healthcare settings, patient/provider, and/or inter-professional teams. Applicants with experience directing Master’s theses or serving on thesis committees are especially welcome.

Additional requirements by rank:
Full Professor – requires significant teaching experience in position applied for, as well as experience in graduate-level teaching, thesis advising, and an established record of publication commensurate with the rank of Full Professor. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated academic leadership accomplishments. Tenure is contingent upon UT System Board of Regents approval.

Associate Professor – requires significant teaching experience in position applied for, as well as experience in graduate-level teaching, thesis advising, and an established record of publication commensurate with the rank of Associate Professor. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated academic leadership accomplishments. Tenure is contingent upon UT System Board of Regents approval.

Assistant Professor – requires evidence or promise of scholarly research and publication. If an ABD candidate does not complete the Ph.D. or other required terminal degree by September 1, 2015, he/she may be appointed as an Instructor. Preference will be given to candidates with experience directing Master’s theses or serving on thesis committees. Tenure is contingent upon UT System Board of Regents approval.

Responsibilities include: 1) maintaining an active research agenda, 2) teaching courses in interpersonal, relational and health communication as well as special topic courses in applied settings at both the undergraduate and graduate levels; and 3) developing curricula, teaching, and supervising theses or serving on thesis committees at the undergraduate and graduate levels.
Screening of completed applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Applicants must submit by mail or email 1) a letter of application that specifies the applicant’s desired position; 2) a vita including a list of relevant courses taught and/or taken; 3) names, phone numbers, and e-mail addresses of three references; and 4) evidence of teaching excellence (e.g., teaching evaluations, syllabi, sample of class materials) to:

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Applicants who are selected for on-campus interviews must be able to show proof that they will be eligible and qualified to work in the United States by time of hire. UTSA is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. Women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. ABD applicants may be considered for a one-year term at the rank of Lecturer III.