## POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT Madonna University

Position:Adjunct Faculty — WritingJob Status:Part-timeCollege/School:College of Arts and SciencesDepartment:WritingReports To:Director of First-Year Composition

The Department of Broadcast and Cinema Arts, Communication, and Writing at Madonna University in Livonia, Michigan, invites applications for instructors to teach courses in first-year composition. Instructors would most often teach sections of two first-year composition courses:

- WRT 1010, College Composition I: Study and practice of strategies for academic writing, with a focus on writing and reading descriptive, narrative, and expository essays. Emphasis on writing as a process. Introduction to information literacy.
- WRT 1020, College Composition II: Study and practice of strategies for academic writing, with a focus on writing and reading persuasive and argumentative essays. Continued emphasis on writing as a process. Development of information literacy skills, as applied to writing a substantial research paper.

## **Responsibilities:**

- Teach in-person first-year composition courses (College Composition I and II) in the Writing Department.
- Fulfill the duties and responsibilities of a college-level teaching role.

## **Qualifications:**

The above statements reflect the general responsibilities of the position and should not be construed as a detailed description of all the work requirements that may be inherent in this position. To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required.

## **Education and Experience:**

- 1. Master's degree or higher in English, rhetoric and composition, journalism, or related disciplines.
- 2. Previous classroom teaching experience.

Rank and Salary: Commensurate with academic qualifications and experience.

**Review of applications** will begin immediately. Adjunct positions are filled on a semester-by-semester, as-needed basis. Interested applicants must complete the online application, and submit a cover letter with teaching philosophy, curriculum vitae or resume, and contact information for three professional references to: <u>hrfaculty@madonna.edu</u>

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