

**Department: CENTRAL AMERICAN STUDIES**  
**Effective Date of Appointment: Fall 2013 and Spring 2014**

All part-time faculty appointments are temporary and do not confer academic rank.

**Anticipated needs**

<b><u>Courses or Specialization</u></b> (Specify time if appropriate)	<b><u>Qualifications</u></b>	<b><u>Current Salary Range</u></b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>POOL #1: CAS 113A &amp; B, 114 A &amp; B, 115</b> Approaches to University Writing</li> <li>• <b>POOL #2: CAS 100</b> Introduction to Central American Studies</li> <li>• <b>POOL #3: CAS 102</b> Salvadoran Experience</li> <li>• <b>POOL #4: CAS 151</b> Fundamentals of Public Speaking</li> <li>• <b>POOL #5: CAS 201</b> Survey of Central American Literature</li> <li>• <b>POOL #6: CAS 202</b> Survey of Central American Visual, installation and Performance Arts.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #7: CAS 311</b> The Central American Diaspora.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #8: CAS 364</b> Culture and Violence in Central America.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #9: CAS 365</b> Changing Roles of Central American Women.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #10: CAS 367</b> Contemporary Religious Movements of Central America.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #11: CAS 368</b> Central American Revolutionary Movements.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #12: CAS 369</b> Contemporary Social Movements of Central America.</li> <li>• <b>POOL #13: 410</b> The Central American Child.</li> </ul>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. M.A. in a relevant area or currently enrolled in related Ph.D. preferred.</li> <li>2. Teaching experience required.</li> <li>3. Knowledge of Central American communities as well as experience working with a diverse student Population. Experience mentoring students from diverse backgrounds.</li> <li>4. Completion of training in stretch Composition workshop required prior to the start of assignment (Pool #1 only)</li> </ol>	<p>\$3,458-\$4,143</p>

The Central American Studies Program is an interdisciplinary program that emphasizes the transnational character, cultural and ethnic diversity, and diverse histories, perspectives, and experiences of Central American communities. Courses offer a variety of perspectives and approaches, including the study of politics, art, culture, history, identity, and literature. The Program is community-oriented, emphasizing the importance of learning through work in the community.

**Application Process:** Applicants should forward a current resume and a letter, which designates specific courses or areas, they are interested in teaching and, whenever possible, times available for teaching assignments. The resume should include educational background, prior teaching experience, evidence of scholarship, and/or related professional experience.

**Inquiries and applications should be addressed to: Dr. Douglas Carranza Mena, Program Director**  
Central American Studies Program  
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**Application Deadline: For Academic Year: April 26 /For Spring 2014 Semester Only: November 1**

Final determination of part-time teaching assignments is contingent upon student enrollment figures and funding.

**General Information:**

California State University, Northridge, one of the largest of the 23 campuses of The California State University system, is located twenty-five miles northwest of central Los Angeles in the San Fernando Valley, a suburb with a multi-cultural population of over one million people. The University enrolls approximately 36,911 students (29,670 FTEs) from diverse backgrounds, served by 4,000 faculty. Nine Colleges offer baccalaureate degrees in 69 degree programs, master's degrees in 58 graduate degree programs, 2 doctorate graduate program and 55 teaching credentials in the field of education, and various opportunities in extended learning and other special programs. For more information about the University, check our website: <http://www.csun.edu/>.

In compliance with the Annual Security Report & Fire Safety Report of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act, California State University, Northridge has made crime-reporting statistics available on-line at <http://www-admn.csun.edu/police/clery-report.pdf>. Print copies are available in the library and by request from the Department of Police Services and the Office of Faculty Affairs. Applicants who wish to request accommodations for a disability may contact the Office of Equity and Diversity, (818) 677-2077.

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