

Department: English / Stretch Composition for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students

Effective Date of Appointment: Fall 2014

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

Anticipated needs

Courses or Specialization

English 113 (two semester sequence of first year “Stretch” composition for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students with Supplemental Instruction Leaders), English 114 (two semester sequence of first year “Stretch” composition for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students), and English 115 (one semester of first year composition for Deaf and Hard of Hearing Students)

Qualifications

1. Master’s or Doctoral degree in English or English-related field or Special Education where emphasis has been on instructing deaf and hard of hearing students in reading, writing, and critical thinking.
2. Experience and documented effectiveness in teaching English, and particularly critical reading and writing, to deaf and hard of hearing students at secondary institutions and/or at the college level.
3. Fluency in English and in American Sign Language.
4. Ability to use both English and ASL in instruction.
5. Coursework in teaching strategies, methodologies, and assessment of student learning, especially as it pertains to students who are deaf and hard of hearing and for whom deafness may be only one of multiple conditions affecting learning
6. Completion of training in Stretch composition workshop required prior to the start of assignment.
7. Potential English 113 faculty must demonstrate commitment to and interest in mentoring and working with Supplemental Instruction Leaders.
8. Demonstrable commitment to working with a diverse student population.

**Current
 Salary Range**

From \$691.60 per course per month for a six-month pay period to \$828.60.

Application Process:

- A cover letter which designates specific courses applicant is interested in teaching, and, if possible, available days/times for teaching assignments
- A two page statement of philosophy for teaching first year college composition
- A current C.V. which includes educational background, prior teaching experience, evidence of scholarship, and/or related professional experience
- Proof of degree (i.e. photocopy of diploma or transcripts)
- Three letters of recommendation

Inquiries and applications should be addressed to:

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Stretch Composition Search and Screen
Department of English
California State University, Northridge
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Application Deadline: **For Academic Year:** April 30, 2014 **/For Spring 2015 Semester Only:** N/A

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 36,000 students (29,181 FTEs) from diverse backgrounds, served by 2,000 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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