



Tenure-Track Assistant Professor of Religious Studies and Philosophy

JOB DESCRIPTION SUMMARY:

Cabrini University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the level of Assistant Professor with a joint appointment in Religious Studies and Philosophy. The position will begin August 15, 2022.

QUALIFICATIONS AND DUTIES FOR AN ASSISTANT PROFESSOR POSITION:

Candidates must have a doctorate (Ph.D. or equivalent) in either Religious Studies or Philosophy (or a closely related area) and be able to teach courses in both areas. Experience teaching a diverse student body and a variety of undergraduate Religious studies and Philosophy courses is preferred. Candidates should also provide a record of scholarly activity, such as presentations at professional conferences and publications. Skills in advising, engaging undergraduates in independent scholarship, serving on departmental and university committees, and developing curriculum are required. The candidate will be expected to contribute primarily to the core curriculum, but oversight of minors in Religious Studies and Philosophy as well as a Religious Studies track within a new Cultural and Language Studies major will be required. Cabrini is poised to complete and launch a new core curriculum within the next academic year that will include required courses in both Religious Studies (a course focusing on the legacy of Mother Cabrini and the University's Catholic identity) and Philosophy (a course on "Ethics and the Common Good"). The selected candidate will play a large role in developing both of these courses. Candidates should also be prepared to teach courses in non-Western cultural, religious, and intellectual traditions (ex. Africana Philosophy, Liberation Theology, etc.). The University encourages all faculty to teach courses within the Honors program.

THE DEPARTMENT:

As the University's new major in Cultural and Language Studies will be housed within the Department of History and Political Science, this department will be the home department for this position. This major will contain tracks within four areas: American Studies, Black Studies, Latin



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American Studies, and Religious Studies. The selected candidate will play an important role in supporting this new major.

DATE OF APPOINTMENT: August 15, 2022.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION TO APPLICANTS:

Review of application materials will begin immediately and will continue until a pool of eligible candidates is identified. To apply, please submit the following: 1) Cover Letter, which addresses the qualifications and other details noted in the position announcement; 2) Curriculum Vita; 3) Teaching Philosophy (one page); 4) Research Statement (one page); and 5) Contact information for three professional references.



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