



THE COLLEGE OF ARTS + SCIENCES

# SCHOOL OF ART, ARCHITECTURE + DESIGN

## LECTURER OF MERCHANDISING

*Indiana University Bloomington*

The School of Art, Architecture + Design (SoAAD) is seeking a dynamic and enthusiastic colleague for a full-time Lecturer position (non tenure track) in the nationally recognized **Merchandising** program (<https://soaad.indiana.edu/academics/undergraduate/apparel-bs.html>) with a focus on **product development** to begin in fall 2018.

SoAAD (<https://soaad.indiana.edu/>) is dedicated to developing a faculty body composed of diverse scholars and practitioners. We seek a forward-thinking colleague who wishes to be part of an innovative program in merchandising and who is committed to interdisciplinary engagement and exploration of the convergence of Merchandising, Fashion Design, Interior Design, and Fine Arts. The successful candidate will have the opportunity to educate emerging leaders in the fashion and retail industries of tomorrow.

We are looking for candidates who have the capacity to collaborate with colleagues from a broad range of disciplines, have worked with diverse populations, and have academic and/or significant professional merchandising experience. We seek candidates who can provide collegial leadership in a team-based environment. We are especially interested in scholars and practitioners who will prepare undergraduate students to respond to the complex global challenges found in the fashion and retail industries. A strong candidate will have demonstrated an ability to work successfully with students, faculty, administration and the community.

### **Position Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:**

- Maintain professional and academic expertise.
- Teach an annual course load of six, three-credit courses during the 10-month academic year; specific courses in the merchandising program to be determined based on candidate's experience and expertise. Potential for summer teaching.
- Participate in undergraduate curriculum development.
- Provide program and school service.

### **Qualifications: All candidates should have**

- Demonstrated record of professional experience in the retail industry
- Expertise in Product Development and one or more of the following: Merchandising, Sourcing, Manufacturing, Logistics, Sustainability, Materials, Entrepreneurship.
- Demonstrated record of professional experience, mentoring, and leadership
- Appropriate Master's degree or demonstration of significant professional experience.

Salary commensurate with experience. Expected start date: August 1, 2018.

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Founded in 1820, Indiana University Bloomington is the flagship campus of IU's eight campuses statewide. Innovation, creativity, and academic freedom are hallmarks of our world-class contributions in research and the arts. The School of Art, Architecture + Design houses fourteen different areas in art, design, and merchandising. This is where art, merchandising, architecture, and design merge to shape the future of creativity from imagination to implementation. SoAAD is housed in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Review of applications will begin on December 1st, 2017, and will continue until the position is filled. Interested candidates should review the application requirements and submit their application materials (CV/resume, letter of application including statement about teaching/mentoring philosophy and names of three references and their contact information, including a current address, phone number and e-mail address). Interested candidates should review the application requirements and submit applications to <http://indiana.peopleadmin.com/postings/4663>. Questions regarding the position or application process should be directed to: Megan Tansley, 127 Fine Arts Building, 1201 East 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Bloomington, IN 47405. Phone: 812-856-7448. Email: [mtansley@iu.edu](mailto:mtansley@iu.edu).

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