



**Instructor, Fashion Technology – School of Art
Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts at Arizona State University**

Description

The School of Art in the Herberger Institute of Art and Design and the Arts at Arizona State University seeks to hire a Fashion Instructor for a full-time one year appointment beginning August 2019.

About ASU

Arizona State University is a new model for American higher education, an unprecedented combination of academic excellence, entrepreneurial energy and broad access. This New American University is a single, unified institution comprising four differentiated campuses positively impacting the economic, social, cultural and environmental health of the communities it serves. Its research is inspired by real world application blurring the boundaries that traditionally separate academic disciplines. ASU serves more than 80,000 students in metropolitan Phoenix, Arizona, the nation's fifth largest city. ASU champions intellectual and cultural diversity, and welcomes students from all fifty states and more than one hundred nations across the globe.

About the Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts

ASU's Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts, the largest comprehensive design and arts school in the nation, is a vibrant example of the of the New American University philosophy. With nearly 5,000 students, more than 400 faculty and faculty associates, 135 degree options and a tradition of top-ranked programs, the Herberger Institute is built on a combination of disciplines unlike any other program in the nation. The institute includes the School of Art, School of Arts, Media and Engineering, The Design School, School of Film, Dance and Theatre, School of Music, and the ASU Art Museum. Through recognizing that design and the arts are critical resources for transforming society and solving complex problems, ASU's Herberger Institute is committed to positioning artists, scholars, designers, and educators at the center of public life. For more information on the Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts, visit herbergerinstitute.asu.edu.

About the School of Art

Located in one of the most expansive metropolitan centers in the United States, and situated in the Sonoran Desert, the school supports a broad range of art practice and inquiry. Programs within the School of Art lead to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Art with concentrations in art history, art studies, museum studies, fashion; an online BA in art history; Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Art with concentrations in art education, drawing/painting, ceramics, fibers, intermedia, photography, printmaking, sculpture/metals/woods; Master of Arts (MA) in Art with concentrations in art history or art education; and Master of Fine Arts (MFA) in Art. In addition, the school participates in the Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) programs in Design, Environment and the Arts housed within the Herberger Institute. With several nationally ranked programs and one of the largest comprehensive art programs in a public research university in the United States, the ASU School of Art plays a prominent role within the Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts and is located in both Tempe and downtown Phoenix.

The successful candidate will teach a range of undergraduate fashion design related courses including apparel construction and patternmaking and will lead capstone experiences in the School of Art's

fashion program. The candidate will maintain professional and academic expertise in the field of fashion and participate in undergraduate curriculum development.

Required Qualifications

- MFA in fashion or equivalent terminal degree
- Evidence of successful teaching experience in fashion design
- Proficiency in all aspects of fashion design including knowledge and experience in conceptual design, technical design and clothing construction including pattern drafting and design
- Evidence of a commitment to diversity in creative activity, teaching, and retention

Desired Qualifications

Demonstrated success in one or more of the following areas:

- Demonstrated proficiency in fashion design technologies including Adobe Creative suites and computer applications such as Gerber, Optitex or Tuca Tec
- Ability to support the running and maintenance of fashion design studio and computer lab
- Ability to guide students through a range of capstone development projects including collection development and research based projects that foster critical thinking and problem solving
- Demonstrate awareness and values of sustainable design on domestic and international levels.
- Demonstrated record of professional experience, teaching and mentorship

Instructions to Apply

Please submit:

- Letter of interest addressing teaching, work experience and vision for the future of fashion design and industry
- Curriculum vitae
- Names and contact information for three references
- Statement of teaching philosophy
- Evidence of scholarship and/or creative activity in the form of 20 images (.pdf or .jpg format, 1200 max pixel width) – Please upload all images in one combined PDF
- Separate image list that includes name, title, date, size and medium for each work

To apply: <http://apply.interfolio.com/62325>

Application Deadline: The application deadline is May 15, 2019; if not filled, reviews will occur every two weeks thereafter until search is closed. Screening of candidates will begin immediately; for best consideration, application materials should arrive by the deadline.

For information about the School of Art, visit www.art.asu.edu.

ASU conducts pre-employment screening for all positions, which includes a criminal background check, verification of work history, academic credentials, licenses and certifications.

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See ASU's Title IX policy at www.asu.edu/titleIX