FACULTY VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Assistant Professor of Business and Technology

Department: Business and technology
Position: Full-time, 10-month, tenure track
Salary range: $40,000 to $56,000
Union Affiliation: MEA/MFT
Posting Date: October 2014

Description

The successful candidate will teach undergraduate courses in beginning and advanced computer applications, management information systems, computer hardware and software, video and audio design, digital print media, animation design, computer literacy and beginning and advanced web design. Faculty workload includes teaching, advising, scholarly activities, assessment of student learning outcomes and professional service on and off campus.

Qualifications

The successful candidate will hold an earned doctorate in a technology related field, CIS, CS, or educational technology. Preferred consideration for previous higher education experience, public school teaching, and a current teaching license in technology endorsed area, or experience teaching K-12 technology to non-technology related areas. They will have demonstrated effective leadership, excellence in teaching, the ability to work collegially with others and evidence or potential of scholarly work.

Application

Application materials should include a letter of interest, a curriculum vita, copies of all university level transcripts, and names and contact information for at least four professional references. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Application materials should be sent to:

Ms. Donna Rouse
Business & Technology Search 2
The University of Montana Western
710 Atlantic Street
Dillon, MT 59725

The position starting date is Aug. 1, 2015.
The University and Dillon Area

The University of Montana Western, located in Dillon, Mont., is an innovative institution nestled in a scenic valley in the Rocky Mountains of southwestern Montana. The current campus student headcount is 1,447 and the Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) for student enrollment is approximately 1,392.

Montana Western has over 60 FTE faculty members, features small classes for all students and has been recognized for excellence by U.S. News and World Report. Montana Western’s small size and focus on education innovation have earned it the reputation of being a place where faculty and staff chose to collegially and creatively make a difference in the education of students. Montana Western is the first and only public four-year college in the nation to use block scheduling in which students take a single class at a time. This immersion-learning program facilitates increased opportunities for experiential types of learning.

The mission of the University of Montana Western is to provide innovative interdisciplinary education through experiential learning that combines theory and practice. Montana Western services citizens of all ages with its academic, community service, and lifelong-learning programs. As part of the global community, Montana Western encourages diversity, international awareness, environmental responsibility, and mastery of technology as a gateway to the world.

Dillon, a community of 5,000 people, is known for outstanding public schools, safe environments, recreational opportunities and an excellent quality of life.

The University of Montana Western is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and encourages applications from qualified women, minorities, veterans and people with disabilities. Qualified candidates may request veterans, or disabilities preference in accordance with state law. Reasonable accommodations are provided in the hiring process for persons with disabilities. Finalists for this position will be subject to a criminal background investigation.