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Visiting Assistant Teaching Professor of Spanish

The Department of Modern Languages at Florida International University invites applications for a Visiting Assistant Teaching Professor (one-year renewable appointment) to teach Spanish language (upper-level) as well as Spanish and Latin American culture, literature, and/or linguistics. The position is part of our dual Spanish B.A. program offered collaboratively with Qingdao University, in Qingdao, China, and is housed in Qingdao. Start date is January 2022. The position includes a teaching load of eight courses (four per semester) and the possibility of overload teaching for extra compensation.

Required qualifications: Ph.D. (preferred) or ABD in Spanish. Native or near-native communicative competence in both Spanish and English. Excellent teaching credentials, with at least two years of experience teaching advanced Spanish language and culture, linguistics, and/or literature courses in Spanish at the undergraduate university level. The instructor should be well versed in task-based language teaching, communicative language teaching, and have experience working with adult Spanish language learners.

Qualified candidates should submit their applications electronically to modlang@fiu.edu. Please use Visiting Spanish Position as subject line. Candidates must attach (1) a cover letter, (2) Curriculum Vitae, (3) diversity statement, (4) teaching philosophy statement, (5) sample syllabi, (6) sample assessments of learning or of examinations, (7) sample tasks or activities
used in class with Spanish learners, and (8) unofficial transcripts, all as one single pdf file. Candidates are requested to provide two letters of reference upon submission of application.

Applications and required materials must be received by September 12, 2021. Please send inquiries to Claudia Battistel at cbattist@fiu.edu or call 305-348-2823. For more information on the FIU Department of Modern Languages, please visit http://languages.fiu.edu.

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