



UNIVERSITY of DELAWARE

College of Arts & Sciences

Department of English / Composition Program



Adjunct Faculty Positions, Department of English, First-Year Writing Program

The English Department seeks qualified instructors of English 110: First-Year Writing. ENGL110 is the only course required of all undergraduates at the University of Delaware. Course goals and information are outlined at <https://www.udel.edu/academics/colleges/cas/units/departments/english/undergraduate-programs/english-110/>.

Responsibilities

The successful applicant will be responsible for teaching ENGL110, our first-year writing course. There is no standard syllabus for ENGL110 so faculty members develop their own syllabi and course materials, but they must fulfill the programmatic goals and practices. A willingness to utilize active learning strategies, extensive feedback and revision is essential. Adjunct faculty must also be available for office hours and student conferences outside of class as part of their agreement to teach ENGL110. Ongoing professional development is an integral part of our program and part-time faculty are expected to take advantage of opportunities to improve their teaching and pedagogy by attending required program meetings at the beginning of both the fall and spring **semesters**. All adjunct faculty will also take part in several teaching observations and an annual review.

Qualifications

Candidates must hold an MA in Rhetoric and Composition, English, or English Education. PhDs are preferred. Candidates must also have no less than two years' experience teaching academic writing at the college level.

Compensation

These are part-time, non-benefitted positions. Rate of pay is based on level of education and experience.

Applications

To apply, please send the following materials as a single PDF document to Cheryl Rodriguez at cherylr@udel.edu. Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis as positions become available.

- A cover letter and Curriculum Vita.
- A statement of teaching philosophy.
- A one-page outline of the course you would teach that is clearly related to the goals and outcomes of ENGL110.
- A writing assignment that you would use in your course.

Equal Employment Opportunity

Employment offers will be conditioned upon successful completion of a criminal background check. A conviction will not necessarily exclude you from employment. The University of Delaware is an Equal Opportunity Employer which encourages applications from historically underrepresented groups and Veterans. The University's Notice of Non-Discrimination can be found at <http://www.udel.edu/aboutus/legalnotices.html>