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## ACADEMIC VACANCY

### Department of English

EEO#: LA 11-13

- Position:** Assistant/Associate Professor, tenure-track, in *Professional Writing*, beginning Fall 2014, pending budgetary approval.
- Duties:** Teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in Professional Writing and Rhetoric, including online classes; overseeing internships; serving on MA and PhD Committees, directing theses and dissertations, service (e.g., advising, committees). Position involves helping to oversee and develop undergraduate and graduate programs in Professional Writing, continued publishing in field, and duties associated with a university position.
- Qualifications:** PhD in English required, with record of scholarly activities and publications and successful online college-level teaching experience. Specialization in Rhetoric or Professional Writing and/or experience in professional writing preferred.
- Salary:** Commensurate with experience.
- The University:** The University of Louisiana at Lafayette is a public Research University with High Research Activity with an enrollment of approximately 16,700 students with a full-time faculty of about 600. UL Lafayette consists of nine degree-granting units-College of the Arts, B.I. Moody III College of Business Administration, Education, Engineering, General Studies, Graduate School, Liberal Arts, Nursing and Allied Health Professionals, and the Ray P. Authement College of Sciences. The university offers degree programs in 55 undergraduate disciplines, 6 post bachelor certificates, the master's degree in 28 disciplines, and the doctorate in 10 disciplines. The University of Louisiana at Lafayette is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Further information about the university and the English department is available on the University's web page at <http://www.louisiana.edu>.
- Located midway between New Orleans and Houston, Lafayette is the heart of Louisiana's Acadian-Creole region. The city of over 122,000, part of the Lafayette-Acadiana area with a total population of 550,000, is one of Louisiana's fastest-growing metropolitan areas and is the hub of numerous music and cultural festivals and celebrations. Lafayette serves as the base of Louisiana's offshore oil industry, as well as the financial, retail, and medical center of South-Central Louisiana. The English graduate program offers the MA and PhD, with concentrations in Rhetoric, Literary Studies, Creative Writing, Folklore, and Linguistics.
- Applications:** Candidates should initially provide a letter of application, a current curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three references.
- Send to:** Professor James McDonald, Department Head, Department of English, UL Lafayette, P.O. Box 44691, Lafayette, LA 70504-4691. Due by February 21, 2014.