

**California State University, Los Angeles**  
**ANNOUNCEMENT OF OPENING**

**DEPARTMENT/DIVISION OF:** Communication Studies, College of Arts and Letters

**POSITION:** Full-time temporary lecturer for one year (Director of Forensics)

**STARTING DATE:** Fall Quarter 2007

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** MA or Ph.D. from an accredited institution of higher education. Candidates should provide record of or potential for scholarly activity involving students whenever possible, as well as the demonstrated potential for effective teaching using a variety of methodologies. Candidates should also demonstrate an ability or interest in teaching in a multicultural, multiethnic campus.

**DESIRED/PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:** Demonstrated experience in directing or coaching parliamentary debate and individual events, evidence of active participation in the forensics community and regional/national communication and forensics professional organizations. Demonstrated effective teaching of forensics and secondary area of interest using a variety of instructional methods. Demonstrated experience in teaching a secondary area of interest including performance studies, rhetoric, argumentation, instructional communication, health communication, quantitative research methods, interpersonal communication, public relations, advertising or other area that complements current faculty expertise.

**DUTIES:** In addition to teaching, duties include student advisement and committee service for the Department of Communication Studies, College of Arts and Letters, and the University. The primary responsibilities would be to direct the nationally competitive speech and parliamentary debate teams including seeking and administering the budget, recruiting and supervising graduate assistant coaches, recruiting and coaching undergraduate competitors, while adhering to appropriate risk management procedures; teach in a secondary area; and other duties as needed.

**THE UNIVERSITY:** California State University, Los Angeles, a comprehensive urban university and one of 23 campuses that comprise The California State University system, offers programs in more than 50 academic and professional fields. The campus is located at the eastern edge of Los Angeles, adjacent to the western San Gabriel Valley, with more than 22,000 full and part-time students reflecting the rich, ethnic diversity of the area. The University is committed to student-centered learning, free scholarly inquiry and academic excellence.

**SALARY RANGE:** Initial salary commensurate with qualifications and experience

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:** Please submit a letter of application, curriculum vita, official transcripts, three letters of recommendation and the University's Application for Academic Employment form. [http://www.calstatela.edu/univ/hrm/forms/appl\\_emp.xls](http://www.calstatela.edu/univ/hrm/forms/appl_emp.xls) Employment contingent upon proof of eligibility to work in the United States.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Review of applications will begin on September 5, 2007 and continue until position is filled. Address application, required documentation and/or request for information to:

David Olsen, Acting Chair  
Department of Communication Studies  
California State University, Los Angeles  
5151 State University Drive  
Los Angeles, CA 90032-8110

In addition to meeting fully its obligations under federal and state law, Cal State LA is committed to creating a community in which a diverse population can live, work and learn in an atmosphere of tolerance, civility and respect for the rights and sensibilities of each

religion, marital status, pregnancy, national origin or cultural background, political views, sex or sexual orientation, gender identification, age, disability, disabled veteran, or Vietnam era veteran status.

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Upon request, reasonable accommodation will be provided to individuals with protected disabilities to (a) complete the employment process and (b) perform essential job functions when this does not cause undue hardship.

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