

Lecturer in Writing (Technical and Scientific Communication)

The Writing Program at the University of Rochester invites applications for a 3-year-renewable lectureship in writing with specialization in scientific and technical writing to begin Fall 2009. A Ph.D. in technical communication, writing studies, composition/ rhetoric or related field is required, but ABDs will be considered. We seek candidates with a strong, primary commitment to teaching, as well as an interest in research. Writing experience with scientific or technical writing or writing in the social sciences is a plus, as is a secondary focus on digital writing or technology-based pedagogies.

Responsibilities include teaching first-year composition in our interdisciplinary, theme-based writing program (2/2 teaching load); providing scientific writing workshops for students, writing instructors, tutors, and faculty in the disciplines; and helping to strengthen current programs and develop new ones to support a diverse and inclusive community. Nine-Month contract. Competitive Salary.

Please submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, examples of scholarly work, and three letters of recommendation to Jan Waxman, College Writing Program, University of Rochester, Rush Rhees G-121, Rochester, NY 14627-0058.

Applications are currently under review and will continue until the position is filled.

The University of Rochester, an Equal Opportunity Employer, has a strong commitment to diversity and actively encourages applications from candidates from groups underrepresented in higher education.