

**Pittsburg State University
College of Arts & Sciences
English Department
Instructor of English**

The Department of English at Pittsburg State University is accepting applications for a full-time, nine-month renewable, non-tenure earning instructor of English (possible conversion to tenure earning).

Position Duties and Responsibilities: Technical writing service courses, undergraduate and graduate level technical/professional writing courses, courses in composition and introduction to literature. Four courses per semester.

Minimum Qualifications: Ph. D. in technical writing or its equivalent and college level teaching experience in technical writing.

Preferred Qualifications: Ability to teach XHTML and CSS, experience teaching service courses in technical writing, administrative experience

Position Start Date: August 17, 2010

Salary: \$37,500

Department Description: The English Department is one of fourteen departments in the College of Arts & Sciences. The Department employs fifteen full-time faculty, a dozen part-time faculty, and ten graduate teaching assistants, and offers B. A., B. S. Ed., and M. A. degrees. B. A. students may choose literature, technical/professional writing, or creative writing emphases. M. A. students may choose literature, professional/technical writing, composition and rhetoric, or creative writing emphases. For more information see <<http://www.pittstate.edu/department/english/index.dot>>.

Additional Information: Pittsburg State University is an accredited, comprehensive, state-supported institution in southeastern Kansas, enrolling approximately 7,000 students annually. The institution has Colleges in the fields of Arts and Sciences, Business, Education, and Technology. For more information see <<http://www.pittstate.edu>>. Pittsburg has a population of approximately 19,000 residents and is located in southeast Kansas, about thirty miles from Joplin, Missouri, which has a metropolitan area population of about 60,000 residents. Kansas City is located 120 miles north; Tulsa, Oklahoma is 125 miles southwest; Wichita is 160 miles west; and Springfield, Missouri is 95 miles east. Air Travel is through Joplin Regional Airport, NW Arkansas Regional Airport, or Springfield Airport. For more information see <<http://www.pittks.org>>.

The Following Background Checks Are Required: A criminal background check

Application Process: Mail vita, letter of application, dossier (three recent letters of reference and transcripts), to Dr. Celia Patterson, Interim Chair, English Department, Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, KS 66762. E-mail (queries only; no applications, please) : <engl@pittstate.edu>.

Application Deadline: Screening begins March 8, 2010 and ends when position is filled.

Pittsburg State University is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action employer.