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Assistant Professor of English, Technical Communication

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Tenure-track assistant professor, specialty in Technical Communication. Successful candidate will teach undergraduate and graduate courses in technical communication and other areas of writing. Duties include participation in an established and growing MA program in technical communication, taught in hybrid form (partly in-person, partly online). Candidate expected to pursue a research agenda leading to peer-reviewed publication. Ordinary teaching load is 3/3. Appointment begins Fall 2012.

Required qualifications: PhD in English, Technical Communication or closely related field with degree completed at time of appointment, demonstrated ability in scholarly research, demonstrated ability to teach undergraduate courses in technical/professional communication, and expertise sufficient to teach graduate courses in core areas of technical communication and in candidate's area(s) of sub-specialization. Preferred qualifications: ability to teach outside the immediate area of specialization in such areas as language and rhetoric/composition; ability to teach online and hybrid courses.

Send letter of application, current CV, statement of teaching philosophy (maximum 500 words), and names of three references to Professor Allan Chavkin, Chair, Technical Communication Search Committee, Department of English, Texas State University, 601 University Drive, San Marcos, TX 78666. Please specify in the first sentence of your application letter that you are applying for the position in Technical Communication; submit a separate application if also applying for our position in Rhetoric and Composition. To ensure full consideration, all application materials must arrive by November 7, 2011. Selected applicants will be contacted for interviews at MLA or elsewhere.