

Assistant Professor Technical Communication.

University of Central Florida. The Department of English at the University of Central Florida invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position in Technical Communication.

The position requires the Ph.D. in English or a related field by August 8, 2012. The ideal candidate will have strong scholarly potential, recognition that Technical Communication is an applied field based on writing, and a focus on current trends and emerging technologies. The successful candidate will have the ability to teach and conduct research in one or more of the following areas: data visualization, usability studies, technical illustration, specialized writing in defense or medical industries, online help design. The successful candidate will teach in both our undergraduate and graduate Technical Communications programs and the Burnett Honors College and contribute to the interdepartmental Ph.D. program in Texts and Technology. The position entails a teaching load of 3/2 or 3/3, depending upon publishing and grant productivity. Initial interviews will be conducted via videoconference or conference call.

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