Position Description:
Los Angeles Mission College is seeking applicants for a full-time tenure track instructor of Music to begin instruction Fall 2010 (August 30, 2010). This ten-month assignment will include proposing and teaching courses in music. With the anticipation of the opening of our new Media Arts Building and Recital Hall in Spring 2012, we are seeking a colleague to develop new offerings in music, including an A.A. and Certificated programs which will strengthen our college in its commitment to serving our community in the San Fernando Valley.

Salary and Benefits:
The starting salary ranges from $47,600 – 74,110 for the 10 month academic year, depending on experience and professional preparation. An excellent benefit package, which includes medical, vision, dental and life insurance is available for the employee and eligible dependents.

State Minimum Qualifications:
Degree and field experience required:
Master’s in Music OR Bachelor’s in Music AND Master’s in Humanities OR the equivalent.

Required Experience
• Three years of community college or university level teaching experience in the field of music.
• Demonstrated ability to teach a variety of music courses which could include courses in music history, theory, voice, instrumentation, orchestra or ensemble.
• Professional excellence in the field of music beyond graduate school, including performance proficiency in one or more specialties and demonstrated fluency in music theory.

Preferred Experience and Qualifications:
• Demonstrated experience developing college level curriculum and programs responsive to transfer needs and the community. These may include band, orchestra, ensemble, cultural music, vocal groups and other performance options.
• Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively, including articulating ideas clearly and showing respect for students’ varying styles of communication and differences in opinion.
• Experience in effective teaching and learning strategies, including a variety of pedagogical techniques and assessment.
• Ability to create an environment conducive to learning and a commitment to student success.
• Evidence of willingness to recognize opportunity and foster interdisciplinary collaboration.
• Evidence of experience working effectively and productively across all levels of the college community and participation in shared governance.
• Sensitivity to and understanding of the diverse academic, socioeconomic, cultural, disabilities, and ethnic backgrounds of community college students.

Duties and Responsibilities:
• All contractually determined departmental and college level duties and responsibilities such as curriculum development, student learning outcomes, assessment, committee work and professional development.
• Successfully meet all classroom obligations as outlined in the faculty contract such as grade reporting, meeting required office hours, and additional faculty obligations to the college.

• Academic assignment may include a combination of day, evening, and weekend classes. May also include assignments at satellite and/or outreach class sites.
• Maintain professional and ethical academic standards.
• Involve technology in the learning process when appropriate.
• Teach students with diverse backgrounds.
• Participate in college initiatives that impact all college community members.

Diversity Programs:
The policy of the Los Angeles Community College District is to implement equal opportunity to all qualified candidates for employment without regard to race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, creed, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, marital status, medical condition (cancer related), sexual orientation or veteran status.

Positive action will be taken to ensure that this policy is followed in all personnel practices including recruitment, hiring, placement, upgrading, transfer, demotion, treatment during employment, rate of pay or other forms of compensation, selection for training, layoff or termination.

A vigorous equal employment opportunity program will be maintained to ensure a diverse work force and to achieve expected representation of qualified members of under represented groups through the implementation of specific result-oriented plans and procedures (Board Rule 101301). Los Angeles Mission College is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
Application Procedure:
Applicants shall submit the following:

- A cover letter of intent.
- A Los Angeles Community College District application form, which can be obtained at: http://www.laccd.edu/district_resources/AcademicJobs.htm
- A current resume.
- Unofficial transcripts from accredited institutions with evidence of degrees awarded (official transcripts are required at time of hiring). Documentation from an approved foreign transcript evaluator is required for degrees received from other countries.
- Three letters of references including the name, position title, address, telephone number, and relationship to the applicant.
- Documentation of equivalency (if applicant does not meet the minimum qualification).

Application packet must be received by:
May 28, 2010 by 4 p.m.

Mail completed application packet to:
Academic Affairs Office
Attn: Music Selection Committee
Los Angeles Mission College
13356 Eldridge Avenue
Sylmar, CA 91342
Phone: (818) 364-7635

OR by e-mail: hiring-aa@lamission.edu

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