



Subject to budgetary consideration, NSCAD University invites applications for an eight-month Limited-Term Sessional at the rank of Assistant Professor in the area of Fine Arts – Painting.

The sessional instructor would teach the following:

Fall 2021

PNTG 3000-1 Intermediate Painting

ARTS 4000 Studio (see ARTS 4000 in course calendar)

Winter 2022

PNTG 3000-1 Intermediate Painting

ARTS 4010 Studio (see ARTS 4000 in course calendar)

NSCAD University is in Mi'kma'ki, on the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq Nation. NSCAD University has committed to reconciliation and to establishing respectful ongoing relationships with Indigenous peoples.

We seek an innovative candidate in the discipline of painting whose accomplishments have demonstrated the potential to impact the field significantly. We encourage applications from outstanding studio-based researchers who also have demonstrated commitment to equity and decolonization in their teaching. This position will serve undergraduate and graduate students in BFA and MFA programs. Course descriptions can be found on the NSCAD website under Student Resources; 2020-21 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The candidate will have knowledge and expertise in contemporary painting related to:

- Figuration and abstraction
- Painting in the expanded field
- Colour

We seek a colleague who will join us in this journey of respectful engagement in developing research and teaching relevant to and in relationship with communities, and in leading the university in exciting new directions in relation to arts practice and scholarship (see *NSCAD University Academic Plan: Towards 2020-2025*).

Requirements

The successful candidate will:

- Have an active art practice and a vision for its future directions.
- Be conversant with contemporary and historical art discourses related to the position.
- Demonstrate excellence in teaching and student supervision.
- Have earned an MFA degree or equivalent.

Additional information

Faculty and Librarians at NSCAD are governed by the provisions of the Collective Agreement (FUNSCAD Unit 1).

The term of this position is September 1, 2021 – April 30, 2022.

Salary will be dependent upon qualifications and in accordance with the Faculty Salary Grid.

Application materials should include:

- A cover letter
- A curriculum vitae
- A two-page maximum statement of studio practice/research
- A statement of teaching philosophy addressing equity, decolonization and teaching effectiveness at the undergraduate level
- A portfolio of digital images (max 30) representing current work
- A portfolio of 10 images of student work
- Contact information for at least three referees

Please submit your application as a single PDF attachment to an e-mail sent to: dean@nscad.ca with the subject line Painting LTS 2021-22.

Address questions regarding the position to Dr. Martine Durier-Copp, Acting Vice-President (Academic & Research) at mdurier-copp@nscad.ca

Application Deadline:

July 7, 2021 @ 4pm (AST)

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Statement:

Applications from non-Canadians are welcome but in accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. In accordance with the CRC statement on Equity, Diversity and Inclusion, NSCAD University invites and encourages applications from all qualified individuals, including individuals within the employment equity categories of women, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, aboriginal persons, individuals of diverse gender and sexual orientation and all groups protected by the Human Rights Code. We encourage members of equity- and diversity-seeking groups to self-identify within their letter of intent in their application.

NSCAD University recognizes the legitimate impact that leaves (maternity leave, leave due to illness) can have on a candidate's record of research achievement and that these leaves will be taken into consideration during the assessment process.

Ashley Lorette (humanresources@nscad.ca), the Director of Human Resources, can address requests for accommodations (to accommodate candidates with hearing impairments, mobility restrictions, etc.).