



Position Announcement

- Position:** Searching for one full-time temporary merchandising teaching position in the School of Merchandising and Hospitality Management. Nine month appointment. Not tenure track.
- Rank:** Lecturer
- Salary:** Commensurate with experience and qualifications.
- Dates:** August 17, 2009 – May 15, 2010
- Qualifications:**
- REQUIRED:**
- Earned master's in merchandising, home furnishings/interiors merchandising, or aligned field.
 - Expertise in two or more of the following: aesthetics; entrepreneurship; consumer studies; home furnishings industries; merchandising; textiles.
- PREFERRED:**
- Doctorate in merchandising, home furnishings or aligned field.
 - One or more years work experience in merchandising, home furnishings, or related industry.
 - Demonstrated teaching experience.
 - Evidence of industry partnership development.
- Responsibilities:**
- Teach undergraduate merchandising courses, some of which have a primary focus on home furnishings and the home furnishings industry.
 - Participate in school and division committees.
- The University:** The University of North Texas is a metropolitan research university with a student enrollment of almost 35,000. It is located at the northern tip of the thriving Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex.
- The School of Merchandising and Hospitality Management:** The School of Merchandising and Hospitality Management is an applied professional school that offers four bachelor of science degree programs (merchandising, home furnishings merchandising, e-merchandising, and hospitality management) and two master of science degree programs (merchandising and hospitality management). The School has over 1300 students, of which approximately 600 are merchandising majors and 85 are home furnishings merchandising majors. The mission of the School is to provide excellence in educational programs and research that result in national recognition as a leader in preparing professionals for careers in the fashion, home furnishings, and hospitality industries. A key component of enhancing the student learning experience is a required internship for all undergraduate students.
- Application Procedure:** Send a letter of application, vita (resume), copies of all undergraduate and graduate transcripts, and the names and contact information of three references to:

**Dr. Judith C. Forney, Dean
School of Merchandising and Hospitality Management
University of North Texas
1155 Union Circle # 311100
Denton, Texas 76203-5017**

Application Deadline: Screening will begin on July 27, 2009 and continue until the search is closed.

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