MUSEUM STUDIES PART-TIME INSTRUCTOR JOB DESCRIPTION

Winter, 2022

UW Professional and Continuing Education has an outstanding opportunity for a part-time instructor within its non-credit Certificate in Museum Studies. The opening is for the winter, 2022 course on Managing and Caring for Museum Collections. Class sessions taught real-time on-line in zoom with some in person class sessions on Saturday mornings, 9am to noon: January 15, 29, February 12, 26, March 12 and 26, 2022.

Requirements: Related education and a least five years of professional experience as a museum registrar working in collections care management. Prior teaching experience preferred, but not required.

• Ability to develop lesson plans and presentation materials for 18 hours of instruction. Current curriculum with supporting material, slide decks and assignments exists ready to be revised and tailored by hired instructor.
• Ability to teach the course on the scheduled dates, respond to student inquiries, be available online for classwork assistance or on-line office hours, and provide student recruiting support. Expectations during the course comprise a minimum of 18 hours of direct instruction entailing at least 5 hours of preparation per class, student interaction between classes, and grading outside of class time.
• Flexibility to adjust to student feedback and a willingness to teach with minimal supervision while maintaining high standards of professionalism, punctuality, and content relevance for adult students in a classroom and/or online environment.
• Ability to interact with individuals from diverse cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds.
• Excellent interpersonal, oral, and written communication skills.
• Legal authorization to work and receive compensation in the United States.

Compensation starts at $3600 for the six-week course.
To Apply: Please contact Paula McArdle at pmcardle@uw.edu

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