

Adjunct Faculty, Geographic Information Systems
Austin Community College District

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Job Title	Adjunct Faculty, Geographic Information Systems
Department	
Institution	Austin Community College District Austin, Texas
Date Posted	Nov. 24, 2021
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
Job Categories	Adjunct Professor
Academic Field(s)	Social Sciences - Geography Sciences - Other
Job Website	https://austincc.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/External/job/Austin-Community-College/Adjunct-Faculty--Geographic-Information-Systems_R-567

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Job Description

Austin Community College is a public two-year institution that serves a diverse population of approximately 41,000 credit students each Fall and Spring semester. We embrace our identity as a community college as reflected in our mission statement. We promote student success and community development by providing affordable access, through traditional and distance learning modes, to higher education and workforce training, including appropriate applied baccalaureate degrees, in our service area.

As a community college committed to our mission, we seek to recruit and retain a workforce that:

- * Reflects the diversity of our community
- * Values intellectual curiosity and innovative teaching

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- * Is attracted by the college mission to promote equitable access to educational opportunities
- * Cares about student success and collaborates on strategies to facilitate success for under-represented populations
- * Welcomes difference and models respectful interaction with others
- * Engages with the community both within and outside of ACC

— *Commitment to Equity and Inclusion*_

ACC is committed to the ongoing systemic changes needed to ensure the increased recruitment, inclusion, retention, and completion of historically underserved and under represented populations. Through continual strategic community engagement and professional development of administrators, faculty, staff, and students, the college demonstrates its dedication to fostering a culture and climate for equitable outcomes.

As an open access and low-cost institution, ACC is proud to serve a diverse student body. Dedicated faculty members are excellent professors who help students achieve their educational goals and are sensitive to the diverse cultures and socio-economic backgrounds of our students. In 2017 our faculty adopted a Statement of ACC Faculty Values. This Statement affirms that ACC's faculty members value collaboration, service, agency, scholarship, inclusion, and teaching, all of which attest to our commitment to equity, diversity, and inclusion at the heart of our mission.

Job Posting Title:

Adjunct Faculty, Geographic Information Systems

Job Description Summary:

Responsible to prepare and deliver Geographic Information Systems (GIS) coursework in engaging, innovative, and discipline-appropriate ways that reflect a commitment to success equity, respect for diversity, an understanding of culturally responsive teaching, and knowledge of the teaching field. Meets professional standards for faculty in accordance with college policies and procedures.

Job Description:

Principal Responsibilities and Duties

* Prepare and teach courses in the field of

*GIS *to a diverse student population based on the department's approved course learning outcomes,

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utilizing a variety of instructional strategies appropriate to the needs of community college students and the standards of the discipline.

- * Evaluate student progress and provide clear, timely feedback reflecting program learning outcomes and departmental expectations.
- * Provide teaching and mentoring services to students in a manner which does not discriminate based on race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability, age, protected veteran status, political affiliation, or other protected categories.
- * Remain current in the field through a variety of professional development activities.
- * Perform other related tasks as assigned by the department chair, dean, and/or associate vice president, vice president, executive vice president.

Additional Duties

- * None

Technology

- * Demonstrated proficiency using computer applications, online resources, and other technologies for the classroom. Demonstrated proficiency using an online learning management system such as Blackboard to develop and build course content and perform administrative duties (posting office hours, syllabi, etc.) OR
- * The ability to gain proficiency before the semester begins.

Principal Professional Standards

- * Meet deadlines for attendance certification and submission of final course grades
- * *
- * Maintain regular office hours to assist students and improve student retention and success.
- * Recognize and reflect standards of civility and collegiality in all interactions.
- * Comply with published college policies and procedures and meet professional standards for teaching in a community college.
- * Appropriate use of the college's learning management system.

Required Education

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Bachelor's degree in geospatial or earth science field and three years of non-teaching GIS work experience; OR

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Master's degree with 18 graduate hours in geography or geospatial coursework.

Educational requirements in accordance with SACSCOC accreditation standards. See Faculty Credentials at www.austincc.edu/facstaff/faculty-credentials. No substitution for educational requirements.

Required Work Experience (Workforce Programs)

* Three years of non-teaching GIS work experience.

Other Requirements

* None

Qualities of a Successful Candidate

* Mastery of GIS subject matter and relevant topics and issues in the teaching discipline.

* Demonstrated proficiency using GIS programs, computer applications, classroom or other current learning technologies for effective teaching at the community college level.

* Ability to communicate effectively with students and colleagues.

Application Requirements

Application must be submitted by the closing date for this position.

Criminal Background Check

Pre-employment criminal background checks are required for all staff and faculty positions.

ACC Benefits Overview

Full-time faculty and staffing table employees who work in full-time and/or part-time positions at the college are eligible for ACC medical benefits effective the first of the month after their first 60 days of employment. Benefits include medical, dental, life insurance, short- and long-term disability, retirement plans and AD&D.



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Working Conditions

* Work is routinely performed in an office/classroom environment.

* Subject to standing, walking, sitting, bending, reaching, kneeling, pushing, and pulling.

* Ability to lift up to 10 pounds.

* Work safely and follow safety rules. Report unsafe working conditions and behavior. Take reasonable and prudent actions to prevent others from engaging in unsafe practices.

Number of Openings:

1

Job Posting Close Date:

December 7, 2021

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*EEO Statement*_

The Austin Community College District is an Equal Opportunity Employer advancing inclusive excellence. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability, age, protected veteran status, political affiliation or other protected categories.

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Clery Act—

As required by the US Department of Education, employees are required to report violations under the Title IX and, under the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act (Clery Act), select individuals are required to report crimes. If this position is identified as a Campus Security Authority (Clery Act), you will be notified, trained, and provided resources for reporting.

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Disclaimer—

The above description is an overview of the job. It is not intended to be an all-inclusive list of duties and responsibilities of the job, nor is it intended to be an all-inclusive list of the skills and abilities required to do the job. Duties and responsibilities may change with business needs. ACC reserves the right to add, change, amend, or delete portions of this job description at any time, with or without notice. Employees may be required to perform other duties as requested, directed, or assigned. In addition, reasonable accommodations may be made by ACC as its discretion to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

Contact Information

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

Contact