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Department	Visual and Performing Arts Department Administration
Institution	Citrus Community College Glendora, California
Date Posted	Feb. 4, 2025
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
Job Categories	Lecturer/Instructor
Academic Field(s)	Fine Arts - Drama/Theater
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Position Description

About Citrus College

Celebrating over 100 years of service, Citrus College is located in Glendora in the foothills of the San Gabriel Mountains, approximately twenty-five miles northeast of metropolitan Los Angeles. The college has the distinction of being the oldest community college in Los Angeles County and the fifth oldest in the state.

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Citrus College was founded in 1915, with an enrollment of 27 students, under the leadership of Dr. Floyd S. Hayden, who helped bring the community college movement to California. From 1915 to 1961, the college was operated by the Citrus Union High School District.

In July 1961, the Citrus Community College District was created to include the Azusa and Glendora Unified School Districts. In 1967, the district expanded to include the Claremont, Duarte and Monrovia school districts.

Today, Citrus College occupies a 104-acre campus, and offers classes on a 16-week calendar (fall and spring semesters), as well as a variety of non-traditional scheduling options - winter session, evenings, summer sessions, and optional class formats, such as hybrid and online education courses.

Mission Statement

Citrus College provides students with quality educational experiences and support services that lead to the successful completion of degrees, transfer, certificates, career/technical education, and basic skills proficiency. The college fosters academic and career success through the development of critical thinking, effective communication, creativity, and cultural awareness in a safe, accessible, and affordable learning environment. In meeting the needs of our demographically diverse student population, we embrace equity and accountability through measurable learning outcomes, ethical data-driven decisions, and student achievements.

Accreditation

Citrus College is accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, 10 Commercial Blvd., Suite 204, Novato, CA 94949, (415) 506-0234, an institutional accrediting body recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation and the U.S. Department of Education. Additional information about accreditation, including filing of complaints against member institutions, can be found at www.accjc.org.

POSITION SUMMARY

The Visual and Performing Arts Division at Citrus College believes that to be a successful twenty-first century artist, you must be an artist that takes a multi-dimensional approach. Our courses are designed to assist students in achieving their educational goals, whether that is attaining transfer degrees to university, or completing career/technical certificates for those who desire to enter directly into the entertainment workforce. We are committed to giving a cross-disciplinary education that provides multi-faceted opportunities for students. Join our Visual and Performing Arts team as we offer a variety of

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pathways to a diverse student population.

This tenure track instructor position is a 10-month (175 days) assignment which will consist primarily of classes in acting, directing, rehearsal/performance, introduction to theatre/theatre history, and script analysis. Course load will include such courses as Acting I/II/III/IV, Introduction to Theatre, Acting for the Camera, and Directing. Based on the candidate's strengths, other classroom assignments will be selected from candidate expertise in areas such as body movement, stage combat, musical theatre, or technique specific acting such as Stanislavski or Meisner methodologies. Active student recruitment activities and contribution to the excellence of the Theatre Department are essential. This assignment will include day, evening, and weekend responsibilities as well as the willingness to direct at least one full-length theatre project during the academic year.

Classes are offered on a 16-week calendar (fall and spring semesters), as well as in a variety of non-traditional scheduling options: winter intersession, evenings, summer sessions, and optional class formats, such as online education courses.

This position is contingent upon funding and final Board approval.

Required Qualifications

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS / EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

- Demonstrated understanding of, sensitivity to, and respect for the diverse academic, socioeconomic, ethnic, religious, cultural background, disability, and sexual orientation of community college students, faculty, and staff;

AND

- Master's or Master of Fine Arts in drama/theater arts/performance

OR

Bachelor's or Bachelor of Fine Arts in drama/theater arts/performance AND Master's in comparative literature, English, communication studies, speech, literature or humanities;

OR

The equivalent

Preferred Qualifications

- Possession of a master's degree in theatre with an emphasis on acting or directing.
- Experience in acting in professional theatrical or film productions.

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- Experience in directing full-length theatrical plays in a professional and/or academic setting.
- Experience in teaching acting and theatre arts in community college and/or other academic settings.
- Evidence of broad knowledge of diverse theatrical repertoire from Greek theatre to contemporary Broadway productions.
- Experience in implementing culturally inclusive practices in all areas of the production process.

Licenses and Certificates

N/A

Recruitment Start Date 01/28/2025

Recruitment End Date

Open Until Filled Yes

First Consideration Date 03/11/2025

Salary Range Salary to be determined by the candidate's proper placement on the current Faculty Salary Schedule, which is based on education and experience, and can be found at the Citrus College website. Maximum placement for newly hired instructor is Step 7.

Pay Rate To be determined by the District.

Benefits

Health & Wellness

- Fully-paid Medical, Dental, and Vision Insurance for eligible employees and dependents
- Choice of HMO or PPO with very low co-pays and out-of-pocket costs
- Flexible Spending Accounts for healthcare and dependent care
- Free 24/7 Employee Assistance Program
- Basic Life and AD&D insurance for employees only

Work-Life Balance

- 10 Sick Days annually
- Professional Learning Opportunities
- No-cost Annual Staff Parking
- Free 24/7 employee assistance program
- Close proximity to the Metro rail system

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Financial & Retirement Benefits

- CalPERS/CalSTRS Retirement Plans with District-paid post-retirement medical, dental, and vision (if eligible)
- 457(b), 403(b), & Roth 403(b) Deferred Compensation Plans
- Longevity Salary Increases
- District paid employee post-retirement medical for those who qualify

FLSA Exempt

Department Visual and Performing Arts Department Administration

If "Other" please specify

Percentage of Time 100%

Months per Year 10 months / 175 contract days

Work Days per Week To be determined by the District.

Work Schedule per Day To be determined by the District.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities

- Maintain professional and ethical academic standards.
- Provide class instruction in accordance with established course outlines.
- Inform students concerning course requirements, evaluation procedures and attendance requirements.
- Maintain necessary attendance, scholastic, and student records and submit them in accordance with published deadlines.
- Prepare and grade class assignments and examinations according to curriculum standards set by the District.
- Involve technology in the learning process when appropriate.
- Teach students with diverse backgrounds.
- Participate actively in staff development and professional growth programs.
- Participate in recruitment activities.
- Meet obligation with regard to grade reporting, scheduled classes, required office hours, and other directions provided by the dean of visual and performing arts.
- Active involvement in all aspects of program design, implementation, and evaluation.
- Meet all requirements of course curricula including, but not limited to, conducting rehearsals and

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performances; teaching and instructing; providing artistic leadership; planning and implementing outreach activities with regard to recruitment and department visibility.

- Participation in combined department productions.
- Perform other professional duties as assigned.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Ability to communicate effectively, in English, with a diverse population both orally and in writing.
- Ability to work effectively as a member of the instructional team.
- Evidence of participating in the online education program.
- Evidence of developing and assessing student learning outcomes.
- Evidence of computer literacy and experience with standard computer software on Microsoft Windows platform (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Canvas or similar).
- Evidence of using and promoting technology-mediated instructional techniques.
- Possess excellent organization skills.

Citrus College Diversity Statement

CITRUS COLLEGE IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

It is the policy of Citrus College to not discriminate against and to encourage a diversity of applicants based on national origin, religion, age, sex or gender, race, color, medical condition, ancestry, sexual orientation, marital status, physical or mental disability, use of family and medical care leave, genetic information, military or veteran status, gender identity, gender expression, or because they are perceived to have one or more of the preceding characteristics, or based on association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

About Transcripts

- Candidates must upload copies of all transcripts (need not be official at the time of application) which prove sufficient for verifying minimum qualifications for this position.
- Official transcripts will be required at the time of the job offer.
- Transcripts must be from the awarding institution and must show that the degree has been awarded (or conferred) and the year.
- Degree(s) must be earned (or conferred) from accredited institution(s) or an equivalent foreign institution by the first consideration date for this position.
- All degrees must be verifiable on a legible transcript by the indicated first consideration date for this position.
- Foreign transcripts must be transcribed in English AND evaluated for U.S. equivalency by a bona fide U.S. evaluation service.

Selection Process

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- A selection committee will review application packages of those candidates who have met the minimum qualifications for this position and will select a limited number of qualified candidates for an interview.
- Each candidate may be asked to make a presentation on a topic of the selection committee's choice. The candidate will be informed of the topic when an interview appointment is scheduled.
- Each candidate may be asked to provide a sample of their writing ability just prior to the interview.
- Travel costs must be borne by the applicant.
- Final candidates for faculty, management, and supervisor/confidential positions may be interviewed by the Superintendent/President.
- If selected as a finalist, the candidate permits the District to contact the current and former employer(s) to investigate past employment history.

Quick Link <https://employment.citruscollege.edu/postings/1183>

Contact Information

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

Contact

Visual and Performing Arts Department
Administration
Citrus Community College