

Assistant Professor - Scenic Design



Department: School of Creative & Performing Arts

Type: Faculty, Full-time, Non-Tenure Track

The position includes both academic and design responsibilities in a school offering B.F.A. Degrees in Dance, Theatre Arts: (emphases in Acting, Design and Theatre for Young Audiences); Theatre Management, Costume Design, Vocal Arts, Musical Theatre and Digital Media/Film. All of these degrees are offered within a liberal arts environment. All performing arts faculty are practicing artists and teach within the context of the apprentice learning model.

Responsibilities:

1. Teach/design for the equivalent of 12 credit hours per semester in the area of scenic design. Course assignments may include: stagecraft, rendering, scene painting, computer drafting or other areas of expertise;
2. Responsible for the oversight and/or scenic design of multiple productions in the performing arts season which includes theatre, dance and vocal performances,
3. Mentor and supervise student crews and student scenic designers for department productions;
4. Support guest scenic designers as assigned;
5. Collaborate with directors and other designers;
6. Work daily with students in all areas of scenic production;
7. Service on faculty committees; and
8. Other duties as assigned.

Qualifications:

- MFA or appropriate terminal degree in Scenic Design
- Successful teaching at the College/University level
- Evidence of communication and collaboration skills, demonstrated commitment to working with a multicultural population and awareness of issues affecting women and minorities
- Evidence of successful professional design work
- Commensurate professional experience

Stephens College offers excellent benefits, including vacation/holiday/sick pay, health/dental/life insurance, tuition waiver and College-paid retirement plan.

To Apply:

Qualified applicants should:

1. Complete the online [Stephens College application](#)
2. Submit the following to humanresources@stephens.edu:
 - A letter of application
 - Curriculum Vitae or Resume
 - Names of three references with contact information

Official transcripts & a criminal background check will be required before a contract will be issued.

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