

**Limited Term Appointments in English  
CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY  
Faculty of Arts and Science**

The Department of English at Concordia University in Montreal, Quebec, invites applications seven limited-term appointments in the following areas: Creative Writing; Canadian Literature; Composition, Professional Writing and Literature (one position); Contemporary Literature; Modern and Contemporary Literature (one position); Nineteenth Century British Literature; and Postcolonial and World Anglophone Literature (one position).

Candidates for the position in Creative Writing should be accomplished fiction writers and should be able to teach sections of ENGL226-Creative Writing: Prose Fiction and ENGL426 Advanced Creative Writing: Prose Fiction. An MFA or equivalent, plus a significant record of publication is desirable.

Candidates for the position in Canadian literature should have competence in all periods of Canadian literature and should be able to teach modern and contemporary Canadian poetry as well as fiction, and ENGL 260-Introduction to Literary Study.

Candidates for the position in Composition, Professional Writing and Literature should possess a graduate degree in Literature or Rhetoric. Considerable experience teaching university-level Professional Writing and writing-intensive courses in Literature is an asset.

Candidates for the position in Contemporary literature should have competence in Contemporary British and American literature in a variety of genres, and should be able to teach sections of ENGL 260-Introduction to Literary Study and ENGL 262-British Literature from 1660 to 1900.

Candidates for the position in Modern and Contemporary literature should have competence in Modernist literatures as well as Contemporary British and/or American literature, and should be able to teach sections of ENGL 260-Introduction to Literary Study and ENGL 262-British Literature from 1660 to 1900.

Candidates for the position in Nineteenth Century British literature should have competence in the long nineteenth century and be able to teach courses in both Romantic and Victorian literature in a variety of genres, as well as ENGL 260-Introduction to Literary Study and ENGL 262-British Literature from 1660 to 1900.

Candidates for the position in Postcolonial and World Anglophone literature should have competence in a variety of genres across multiple geographical regions, including Africa, South Asia, the Caribbean, and Australia and New Zealand, and should be able to teach sections of ENGL 260-Introduction to Literary Study.

A completed Ph.D., or one very near completion, is necessary for the positions in literature, and a record of scholarly publications is an asset.

All applications should consist of a cover letter, a current *curriculum vitae*, a statement of teaching philosophy/interests, and evidence of teaching effectiveness. Successful applicants must be qualified to teach at the level indicated in each position. Evidence of teaching effectiveness is the key attribute by which qualified candidates are ranked. Candidates should arrange for three letters of reference to be sent directly to:

**Dr. Jill Didur, Chair**  
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These positions are subject to budgetary approval and department/unit need. Individuals holding limited-term appointments may be reappointed, given continued funding and need, as well as satisfactory job performance. Together, initial appointments and subsequent reappointments may not exceed 36 months or a span of three consecutive years. They are normally at the rank of Lecturer or Assistant Professor, beginning August 1, 2014 and ending May 14, 2015. Successful candidates will normally be expected to teach three courses per semester.

**All inquiries should be directed to Dr. Jill Didur at [chair.engl.fas@concordia.ca](mailto:chair.engl.fas@concordia.ca).** Review of applications will begin as they are received and will continue until the required position has been filled. **All applications should reach departments no later than March 1, 2014.**

*All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority. Concordia University is committed to employment equity.*

