

Department of Dramatic Arts  
Brock University

Brock University invites applications from candidates with a PhD (or ABD) in an area that involves aspects of Applied Theatre and/or Drama/Theatre in Education. The candidate will have experience in teaching and learning methodologies, as informed by critical theory and practice, across a diversity of communities, including formal educational settings. The position is at open rank, subject to final budgetary approval.

The preferred candidate will have experience in curriculum development and in creative outreach and networking across the national and international fields of Applied Theatre. The candidate will teach key foundational and senior courses in Applied Theatre and in Drama in Education and Society, which may involve internships and practicae throughout a range of communities. The ideal individual will bring skills in a secondary area, such as movement arts, collaborative creation, design and stage craft, directing theatre, and interdisciplinary practice. Administrative skills are an asset.

The salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. The candidate will be expected to assume a strong leadership role within Drama in Education and Society in the Department of Dramatic Arts.

The Department of Dramatic Arts offers BA and BA Honours degrees in Theatre, Dramatic Literature or Drama in Education and Society; a four-year BA in Theatre; a concurrent B.A./B. Ed. and Co-op options in Drama in Education, Theatre and Dramatic Literature. The various streams in the department are integrated by a common emphasis on praxis. The department's significant expansion of students and faculty over the past five years is due in large part to the success of this integrated intellectual and practical approach, as well as a dynamic connection with professional affiliates and diverse local communities.

Located at the centre of Canada's beautiful Niagara peninsula in St. Catharines, Ontario, we are a community of learners and researchers with a strong and expanding regional base, with excellent resources in cultural, social, and athletic enrichment. Canadian and American metropolitan centres are within easy distance.

More information on Brock University can be found on the University's website [www.brocku.ca](http://www.brocku.ca).

Brock University is actively committed to diversity and to principles of Employment Equity and invites applications from all qualified candidates. Women, Aboriginal peoples, members of visible minorities, and people with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply and to voluntarily self identify as a member of a designated group as part of their application. Candidates who wish to have their application considered as a member of one or more designated groups should fill out the Self-Identification Form available at <http://www.brocku.ca/hr/careers/SelfIdentification.pdf> and include the completed form with their application.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

Applications accepted before January 15, 2009. The appointment begins on July 1, 2009.

Please send applications, including CV, statement of teaching philosophy, and five year research plan to:

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