Job Description: Professorial Lecturer in Asian Philosophy

The Department of Philosophy and Religion in the College of Arts and Sciences at American University invites applications for a full-time, academic year appointment (renewable) in Asian philosophy at the rank of Professorial Lecturer beginning August 26, 2024. Teaching duties include both introductory courses and graduate seminars on Asian philosophy. We particularly welcome candidates with expertise in Buddhist philosophy. The capacity to teach global/comparative ethics will be a plus. In addition to scholarship, teaching, and service, responsibilities include participation in department, school, and university activities.

Applicants should hold a Ph.D.; however, ABD will be considered. Salary and benefits are competitive for a full-time term appointment. The teaching load for the year is three courses per semester (fall and spring). Funding for research and/or travel to participate in academic conferences is available. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

Include a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference to apply. Please contact Jin Y. Park, department chair, at jypark@american.edu if you have any questions.

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