THE UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE INVITES APPLICATIONS AND NOMINATIONS FOR

CHAIR OF THE

Department of Communication

START DATE: SEPTEMBER 1, 2018

We are seeking a Chair enthusiastic about advancing the prominence of the department, furthering its scholarly impact, and leading efforts to create an innovative Ph.D. program that has the strong and public support of the University Provost and the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

The ideal candidate should have a Ph.D., a strong record of scholarship commensurate with that of a tenured full professor, as well as extensive teaching and professional service; demonstrated evidence of academic leadership at the department, college, or university level; faculty level experience with graduate studies; a well-developed commitment to diversity; and the desire to play a senior leadership role in the College of Arts and Sciences.

We believe that this is a rare opportunity for someone interested in moving the field forward and who would appreciate the opportunity to work with a collegial and accomplished group of faculty.

APPLY NOW

The Department of Communication is in the College of Arts and Sciences and has 20 full-time and jointly-appointed faculty, about 600 undergraduate majors and minors, and 17 students in the master’s degree program. Our faculty are outstanding teachers and prolific scholars. Overall, the faculty rank above the 80th percentile for articles published and citations of their research. Faculty publish regularly with their students.

The Department faculty teach and conduct research in a rich range of communication subdisciplines: interpersonal communication, media communication, political communication, intercultural communication, health communication, small group communication, computer-mediated communication, environmental communication, science communication, sports, cognitive and emotional responses to communication, persuasion, broadcast journalism, social media, political entertainment, public relations, media effects, children and the media, media ethics and law, public opinion, and research methods and measures.

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