

Position: Assistant Professor or Associate Professor of Philosophy (Tenure Track)

Department: Philosophy and Religious Studies

Reports to: Department Chair, Philosophy and Religious Studies

Anticipated Start Date: Fall 2016

Job Summary: Candidates should have the ability and willingness to teach a broad array of courses in philosophy, including Moral Philosophy and Theories of Human Nature. Candidates with areas of specialty in Medieval Philosophy and/or Nineteenth and Twentieth-Century Continental Philosophy are strongly preferred. In all cases, a strong command of the history of Western Philosophy is required. Knowledge of the Franciscan tradition in Philosophy is highly desirable. The normal teaching load per academic year is four courses in each Fall and Spring semester. In addition, participation in curricular development is expected, as well as committee work and some administrative duties.

Qualifications:

- An earned Doctorate from an accredited institution in an appropriate academic discipline at the time of application is required;
- Commitment to both teaching and scholarship is essential;
- Candidates invited to interview will be asked to provide three letters of reference, a statement of research interests, evidence of teaching competence, and a writing sample.

Please note that while we are commencing with recruitment efforts for this position, it is understood that hiring will be contingent on funding and enrollment.

About St. Francis College:

St. Francis College is a private, independent, co-educational urban college whose Franciscan and Catholic traditions underpin its commitment to academic excellence, spiritual and moral values, physical fitness, social responsibility and life-long learning. We educate the whole person for a full, relational life, developing the students' talents and abilities to form confident alumni well prepared for graduate study, for meaningful, fulfilling careers, as well as for collaborative, service-oriented leadership. The College strives to offer ample opportunities for students to immerse themselves in the intellectual, cultural and professional opportunities afforded by New York City and to serve the needs of the local community in which they live and study.

The College provides a quality, accessibly priced education to students from the five Boroughs of New York City and well beyond. Specifically, our students experience a strong liberal arts core curriculum integrated with pre-professional programs in a wide range of disciplines, designed to prepare them for the rigors of an increasingly technological and globalized marketplace and society. Excellence of instruction, small classes and professors' individual attention to each student create a hospitable community atmosphere, based on trust and mutual respect. These foster the development of critical thinking, moral choices, responsible citizenship and personal commitment to social justice and the environment. Our location in Brooklyn Heights provides a confluence of cultures and religious beliefs, mirroring our commitment to maintain and celebrate our diverse student body.

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