



Los Angeles Valley College Spanish Instructor – Fall 2010

Description: Los Angeles Valley College seeks candidates for a full-time, tenure-track Spanish position to begin September 2010. All instructors are required to teach 15 hours (3 courses) per semester. Evening, or split assignment, will be included in the assignment.

Minimum Qualifications: Master's degree in Spanish.

The successful candidate must have native or near-native fluency in Spanish and English, have the ability to teach a full range of undergraduate courses that address the multiple learning styles of a diverse population, be familiar with assessment processes for student learning, and demonstrate evidence of effective language teaching (teaching experience at the community college level preferred).

Responsibilities include: Teach sequential courses in Spanish, including literature, culture and civilization; participate in student advisement and Spanish Club activities; assist in curriculum and program development; contribute to the life of the college, including committee participation and professional development. Candidates with experience in language instruction for heritage learners and the ability to help develop a strong Spanish for translation program will be given special consideration. Interest in developing and leading a summer Study Abroad program in Latin America and/or Spain, and knowledge of computer-based language programs and the use of technology in the classroom are desirable.

About the College: Los Angeles Valley College is one of nine colleges in the Los Angeles Community College District and is located in Valley Glen, in the San Fernando Valley. With an enrollment of approximately 18,000 students, LAVC offers a wide range of academic and vocational programs and serves as one of the primary transfer institutions for California State University, Northridge, UCLA, UC-Berkeley, and USC.

Salary and benefits: The Los Angeles Community College District determines placement on the Academic Salary Schedule, depending on education and experience, which includes the salary range of \$4,760 - \$7,411. District benefits include: Health, Dental, Vision, and Term Life Insurance.

Application procedure: Interested persons should submit a letter of interest addressing specific qualifications for this position, curriculum vitae, teaching philosophy, 3 letters of reference and a completed LACCD Faculty Employment Application form (downloadable at: http://www.laccd.edu/district_resources/employment.htm) to:

Dr. Sandra L. Mayo
Vice President of Academic Affairs
Los Angeles Valley College
5800 Fulton Avenue
Valley Glen, CA 91401

**Emailed or faxed application materials will not be accepted.
Closing date: 4:00 p.m., March 15, 2010**

Note: The District does not provide expense reimbursement for those invited to interviews.