Assistant Professor (Teaching & Scholarship) in Computer Science

POSITION OVERVIEW

Location	London
Term	1-year, potentially renewable
Salary	£36,000 pro rata (0.27FTE)
Benefits	Generous benefits package including 25 days holiday allowance (excl. Bank holidays), group life assurance, group income protection, pension schemes and private healthcare (optional)
Start	ASAP

The role

The New College of Humanities at Northeastern wishes to appoint a part-time Assistant Professor (Teaching & Scholarship) in Computer Science. Due to the business need to appoint at the earliest opportunity, the College may review applications prior to the deadline and make an appointment. For this reason, early application is encouraged.

This opportunity has arisen following Dr Alexandros Koliousis's participation in the research project "Polygraphs: Combating Networks of Ignorance in the Misinformation Age", funded by the Royal Society APEX scheme.

We wish to appoint a computer scientist that can contribute to the development and delivery of our undergraduate and postgraduate courses. Appointees will be flexible, able, and willing to be wide-ranging in their teaching and in their professional development. Preference may be given to candidates with active interests in the relationship of Computer Science to one or

more of the following areas: software and/or technology; employment contexts; diversity and inclusion; and to candidates with experience or interest in teaching courses on algorithms, functional programming and/or data science, to both computer science and non-computer science majors.

Core duties are expected to include teaching, marking, and support of students on courses such as Discrete Structures, Fundamentals of Computing and Foundations of Data Science, as well as wider educational and administrative duties.

We particularly encourage applications from those with an interest in innovative teaching, learning and assessment; those with experience of supporting a wide variety of students; and those belonging to groups underrepresented in UK higher education. We are open to appointing on a reduced fraction/job-share basis subject to our business needs.

About the College

Founded in 2012, with the aim of providing the highest quality of education in the humanities and social sciences, New College of the Humanities at Northeastern has established itself as a prestigious higher education institution based in the heart of London. We offer a unique and broad liberal arts-inspired curriculum with highly personalised teaching, which may include tutorials. The College is undergoing an exciting period of growth, having become part of Northeastern University's global network in early 2019.

Enquiries

Informal enquiries may be made to Dr Alexandros Koliousis (alexander.koliousis@nchlondon.ac.uk). However, all applications must be made in accordance with the application process specified.

Application Process

Applications should be made via **this link** by 20:00, **28 July 2021**. Please reference your application "**CSA0721".** Due to the business need to appoint at the earliest opportunity, the College may review applications prior to the deadline and make an appointment. For this reason, early application is encouraged.

Please ensure that your application takes of the form of the required dossier found **here** either by using the form or by providing the material requested for the dossier in in a cover letter and CV. You can consult our academic job description **here**

Participation in the equal opportunities section is encouraged, but voluntary.

Applications are welcome from all sections of the community and will be judged on merit alone. Candidates must be able to demonstrate their eligibility to work in the UK in accordance with the Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Act 2006. We are <u>not</u> able to provide Tier 2 Sponsorship for this role.

Person Specification Criteria

Qualifications

- PhD, or equivalent professional experience, in a relevant area of Computer Science

Key Criteria

- Demonstrates, through evidence, excellent ability so as to be adaptable, innovative, and inclusive in undertaking the role as advertised with regards to teaching and service
- Flexibility and capacity to teach across a wide range of courses
- Ability to develop excellent educational provision in areas with significant appeal to students, including at postgraduate level
- Willingness and capacity to undertake continuous professional development in relation to the use of technology, software, and data in relation to Computer Science, and to teach on these matters
- Ability to engage and develop working relationships with relevant employers as appropriate