Knight Chair in Sports Journalism and Society

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Journalism Job Number: 39339 Date Announced: 04/23/2013 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

The College of Communications at Penn State seeks an outstanding professional journalist for the Knight Chair in Sports Journalism and Society, a chair endowed by The John S. and James L. Knight Foundation with a \$1.5 million grant. The five-year, non-renewable appointment will begin in August 2013. The successful candidate will be appointed at the rank of professor and will serve as director of the Center for Sports Journalism, housed in the Department of Journalism. He or she will possess strong professional credentials and the resiliency to make a smooth transition from industry to the academy; will have the ability to serve as a thought leader on issues in sports, media and society; will bring speakers to campus to discuss sports, media and society issues, and interact with students; will normally teach two courses each semester; will be able to cement partnerships with professionals and academics; will be able to provide national leadership to improve and deepen media coverage of sports; and will have an active presence on the University Park campus. The successful candidate will also have project management experience and will be well-versed in new and social media. Teaching and/or lecture experience is desirable. An advanced degree would be a plus. The College of Communications is the largest nationally accredited undergraduate program in the country. The College is home to four departments: Advertising/Public Relations; Film/Video and Media Studies; Journalism; and Telecommunications. Faculty members in the Department of Journalism possess a blend of academic and professional credentials; they average 10 years of full-time teaching experience and 15 years of full-time professional experience. Faculty members publish in academic journals and the professional press. The College offers five undergraduate majors (advertising/public relations, film/video, journalism, media studies, and telecommunications), a master's degree program in media studies, and a Ph.D. program in mass communications. The University Park Campus is set in State College, a university town located in the heart of central Pennsylvania. State College offers a vibrant community with outstanding recreational and cultural activities, a low crime rate, and excellent public schools. The campus is within a half-day drive to Washington, DC, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York City and Pittsburgh. For more information, please visit http://comm.psu.edu and www.cbicc.org/. Send a letter describing qualifications, a resume outlining background and experience, and the names of three to five references to Knight Chair Search Committee, College of Communications, Penn State, 201 Carnegie Building, Box CoC, University Park, PA 16802 or electronically to Marie Hardin, search chair, at mch208@psu.edu. Screening of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Employment will require successful completion of background check(s) in accordance with University policies.

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Assistant Professor of International Communication

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Department of Film-Video and Media Studies Job Number: 40595

Date Announced: 09/17/2013 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

International Communication Faculty Position in Media Studies Penn State College of Communications The Department of Film-Video and Media Studies is seeking candidates with the ability to contribute to the broad intellectual and creative life of an interdisciplinary media studies program. To that end, a tenure-track assistant professor position in international communication is available starting August 2014. Candidates should have demonstrated scholarly interest and teaching expertise in international communication and related topics (e.g., comparative media systems). Key responsibilities include teaching two courses per semester and student advising (including the possibility of graduate-level teaching and mentoring), service on departmental and college committees and the active pursuit of a substantive agenda for scholarly/creative work. An earned Ph.D. in Mass Communication, Media Studies, or a related field is preferred, although ABD status will be considered. The College of Communications at Penn State is home to four departments: Advertising/Public Relations; Film-Video and Media Studies; Journalism; and Telecommunications. In addition, the College offers a master's degree program in media studies, and a Ph.D. program in mass communications. The University Park Campus is set in State College, a university town located in the heart of central Pennsylvania. State College offers a vibrant community with outstanding recreational and cultural activities, and excellent public schools. The campus is also within a half-day drive to Washington, DC, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York City and Pittsburgh. For more information, please visit http://comm.psu.edu/ and http://www.cbicc.org/ To apply, send a letter describing qualifications, a c.v. detailing teaching and research/creative experience and the names of three to five references to International Communication Faculty Search Committee, College of Communications, Penn State University, 201 Carnegie Building, University Park, PA 16802. Electronic submissions may be sent to CommFacSearch@psu.edu, and should include "International Communication Position" in the subject heading. Screening of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Employment will require successful completion of background check(s) in accordance with University policies.

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Part-time Instructors in Communications

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Job Number: 42489 Date Announced: 04/01/2014 Closing Date: 04/07/2014

The College of Communications seeks applicants for part-time, fixed-term instructor positions in the resident-instruction programs of the College of Communications for Fall 2014. Courses include but are not limited to topics and skills-based courses in digital and print journalism, public relations, and film/video production. Qualifications: Professional experience in relevant communications industries. Master's degree and teaching experience preferred. Applicants should submit a letter of application, resume, names and contact information for three professional references. Closing date for Applications: Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until a qualified candidate is identified. For information on the department and its programs, see: http://comm.psu.edu/

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Instructors in Telecommunications

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Telecommunications Job Number: 42013 Date Announced: 02/17/2014 Closing Date: 02/23/2014

The College of Communications has full-time openings for Instructors in Telecommunications beginning in Fall 2014. The individual will be responsible for teaching a range of courses in telecommunications and related disciplines. Instructional responsibilities may vary from year to year and may include teaching of undergraduate sections with large enrollments. In addition to instruction, the individual will support the teaching mission of the Department through regular office hours, student counseling and advising, involvement in student extra-curricular activities, and academic service and administration. Desired qualifications include advanced degrees (particularly in telecommunications-related fields such as communications, computer science, engineering, or business), and relevant work experience in telecommunications and/or the mobile industries. Teaching experience strongly preferred. The salary and benefits will be competitive, and commensurate with qualification and experience. The Instructor position will be structured as a renewable annual or multiyear contract based upon successful candidates' gualifications and the needs of the College. The Department of Telecommunications has more than 300 students in the major and prepares students for careers in the telecommunications and electronic media industries. Applicants should submit a letter of application, including a resume and references to: Department of Telecommunications, Mr. Christopher Fivek, Human Resources; College of Communications, Search # 022-32FT, 201E Carnegie Building, University Park, PA 16802 or e-mail to cqf3@psu.edu. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Employment will require successful completion of background check(s) in accordance with University policies.

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Assistant Professor in Journalism and Telecommunications

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: College of Communications and Rock Ethics Institute Job Number: 53258

Date Announced: 08/27/2014 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

The College of Communications and the Rock Ethics Institute (REI) at The Pennsylvania State University seek an outstanding scholar and teacher for a tenure-track appointment in Fall 2015 at the level of assistant professor in Journalism and Telecommunications. He or she will conduct interdisciplinary research, teach, and engage the professions with a focus on ethics and ethical literacy at the intersections of journalistic practice, new media industries, and communication technologies. This is a joint appointment, and the ability to collaborate with scholars on interdisciplinary projects across departments in the College and at the University is essential. The position will normally involve teaching three ethics-focused courses at the undergraduate or graduate level each year and conducting research and outreach appropriate to the appointment. Additional information on REI responsibilities is noted below. The search committee will be beginning reviewing applications October 31, 2014. Ph.D. is preferred but ABD will be considered. Industry experience is a plus, but not required. Rock Ethics Institute background and position requirements: Penn State (www.psu.edu) is embarking on a transformative series of co-funded hires in ethics designed to ensure that Penn State becomes a leader in ethics informed interdisciplinary research and the integration of ethical literacy throughout the Penn State curriculum. This is one of twelve tenure-track appointments funded by the University to augment the Penn State mission in this important area. Co-funded faculty will be hosted as affiliate faculty in the Penn State Rock Ethics Institute (rockethics.psu.edu). We are seeking candidates who will build on the Rock Ethics Institute's tradition of excellence in collaborative, interdisciplinary ethics research and ethically informed decision support for significant societal issues, as well as their success in integrating ethics into the curriculum. We are looking for individuals who will be effective in working on and leading interdisciplinary teams that embed ethical analysis into research projects including decision support research, and who have experience and interest in integrating ethics in undergraduate and graduate curriculum. Faculty who are hired will be Affiliate Faculty in the Rock Ethics Institute and receive a one-course release for the first five years designed to enhance collaboration with faculty and students on existing ethics research and curricular initiatives as well as building new initiatives and programs in conjunction with the Institute's mission. To be considered, applicants must include cover letter, vita, a list of references and a statement of how the candidate's work is relevant to the University and Rock vision and how such a position is likely to augment their own work. Additional supporting information may be sent to: Assistant Professor in Journalism and Telecommunications Search Committee, Communications – Rock Ethics, 201 Carnegie Building, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA 16802 or electronically to Tasha Smith at tce105@psu.edu.

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Film-Video Faculty Position

Work Unit:	College Of Communications
Department:	Department of Film-Video and Media
Job Number:	56694

Date Announced: 04/01/2015 Closing Date: 04/08/2015

The Department of Film-Video and Media Studies is seeking candidates for a fixed-term multi-year lecturer position available starting August 2015. Candidates should have undergraduate-level teaching abilities in basic to advanced film and video production courses, with specific experience in the combined areas of screenwriting and post-production. Applicants must be familiar with digital film technology and be able to guide students through the pre-production, production and post-production of individual short films. Key responsibilities include teaching three courses per semester, student advising and service on departmental and college committees. An M.F.A. in Film-Video or related field is required. Candidates with a strong professional portfolio and college-level teaching experience will be given preference. The Film-Video major offers in-depth study of film and video production management principles. Narrative, documentary, and experimental forms are explored in a program that encourages critical thinking, idea development and applied practice. Emphasis is on discovering the ability to make creative, aesthetic and content decisions while developing a sense of personal style. The Film-Video major is one of five majors in the College of Communications and currently serves approximately 140 students. More information about the major can be found at:

http://comm.psu.edu/departments/fvms/film-video-major. The University Park Campus is set in State College, a university town located in the heart of central Pennsylvania. State College offers a vibrant community with outstanding recreational and cultural activities. The campus is also within a half-day drive to Washington, DC, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York City and Pittsburgh. For more information, please visit www.cbicc.org/. To be considered for this position, please submit a cover letter and curriculum vitae, including the names and contact information of three references. Screening of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

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Tenure-Track / Tenured Faculty - Journalism

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Journalism Job Number: 59683 Date Announced: 09/10/2015 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

The Department of Journalism in the College of Communications at Penn State is seeking candidates for a tenuretrack/tenured position to start August 2016. Position rank is negotiable. Duties include teaching two courses per semester, pursuing an active research program, and providing service to the college, university and the profession. The successful candidate will have demonstrated knowledge and experience in teaching digital media skills. The successful candidate should also be able to teach undergraduate and graduate courses in the areas of business journalism or sports and media. The college places strong emphasis on the integration of teaching, research and service. A Ph.D. and professional experience is required. Learn more about Penn State and the College of Communications on its homepage at http://comm.psu.edu/. To be considered for this position, upload a cover letter, resume or curriculum vitae including professional and teaching experience, prior student evaluations of teaching if available, and three references. Application review begins immediately and will continue until a suitable candidate is identified.

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Don Davis Professorship in Ethics

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Job Number: 67464 Date Announced: **11/01/2016** Closing Date: **Open Until Filled**

Penn State's College of Communications is seeking candidates with a track record of leadership on issues of ethics, integrity and social responsibility in the media and public communication for the Don Davis Professorship in Ethics starting in August 2017. The holder of this prestigious position will be expected to administer an ethics-across-thecurriculum program in the College; represent the College in ethics-related initiatives and programs at the University; and provide leadership on ethical issues for the professions and the public. Preferred candidates will have the experience needed to teach in one of the College's curricular departments: Advertising and Public Relations, Journalism, Media Studies/Film Video, and Telecommunications. In addition, candidates should have the capacity and commitment to collaborate in multi-disciplinary research and grant opportunities across the University. A terminal degree is preferred, but not required. Rank will be determined based on gualifications of the ideal candidate. The Don Davis Professorship in Ethics was founded in 2005 through the generous support of Don Davis Jr., a 1942 graduate of Penn State and the retired chairman and CEO of Stanley Works. The College of Communications has a long history of emphasizing the importance of ethics and social responsibility through both its curriculum and practice. It has two endowed lecture series on the topic: the Donald W. Davis Symposium in Advertising Ethics and the N. N. Oweida Lecture in Journalism Ethics. In 2004, the College also launched the Arthur W. Page Center for Integrity in Public Communication, whose research and programming centerpiece is ethics and responsibility. A course in media ethics is required of all journalism majors. In addition, questions of ethics, fairness, responsibility, credibility and good citizenship are woven into the fabric of the majority of courses throughout the entire College curriculum. More broadly, Penn State is home to the Rock Ethics Institute and a world leader in multiple disciplines now at the center of urgent public communications and policy discussions—energy, environment, water, agricultural biotechnology, engineering, medicine, sustainability, climatology, corporate social responsibility, and ICT4D, among many others. Applicants should include a cover letter, CV, and three or more references who may be contacted for letters of recommendation (references will not be contacted without prior approval of the applicant). For questions or additional information, please contact Dr. Russell Frank, at rfrank@psu.edu. Review of applications will begin on December 1, 2016, and continue until filled. The 2017-18 academic year at Penn State begins July 1; Fall classes begin August 21.

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Assistant Dean for Multicultural Affairs, College of Communications

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Office of Multicultural Affairs Job Number: 69351 Date Announced: 02/20/2017 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

Fixed-term faculty appointment, Senior Lecturer level. The College of Communications seeks an Assistant Dean for Multicultural Affairs. The Assistant Dean will oversee administrative and programmatic functioning of student support services for students from traditionally under-represented groups as they relate to gender, race, ethnicity, condition of ability, sexual orientation and gender identity, and socio-economic status. Working closely with the College's faculty and other units in the College, the successful candidate will be responsible for strategic planning and for the implementation and management of programs designed to recruit, retain, and support diverse pools of undergraduate and graduate students. The College gives high priority to increasing equity among its faculty, students, and staff. The Assistant Dean will seek partnerships with minority-serving institutions, secondary schools, and federal and state programs that might be sources of talented and motivated students, staff, and faculty from underrepresented groups. Will be responsible for identifying and securing grants and other sources of funding that will directly support various diversity initiatives throughout the college. Will work with the College faculty, staff, administrators, students, and alumni to promote a culture of diversity and equity. Will represent the College on University-wide committees or activities connected with diversity enhancement programs and will serve on other College and University committees as appointed. The successful candidate will also work closely with the Office of the Vice Provost for Educational Equity, other University offices and other colleges, and is expected to contribute to University-wide programs that promote diversity at Penn State. May teach, provide some academic advising, or advise student organizations. The successful candidate will possess a Master's degree or higher plus five years of related experience, or an equivalent combination of education and experience. Previous experience in diversity, multicultural affairs roles, or a related field is strongly preferred. Excellent written and oral communication skills required. Strong initiative, self-motivation and high standards of excellence also required. Teaching or advising experience preferred. Review of applications will begin March 13, 2017.

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Science Communication - Research Faculty Positions

Job Number: 71643 Date Announced: 05/24/2017 Closing Date: Open Until Filled Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Science Communication

The Penn State Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications is expanding its programs in science communication and seeks 1 or 2 assistant professors with proven experience and/or strong interest in building collaborative research teams focused on the science of science communication (candidates with exceptional experience and credentials will be considered at higher rank). The College is a national leader in undergraduate and graduate communication education. and in theory-driven research faculty productivity. A new \$30 million gift naming the college from Donald P. Bellisario will support even more ambitious and cutting-edge student and faculty investment in the years ahead. In addition to our Media Effects Research Lab, the College provides faculty with graduate student support and numerous opportunities for internal and external funding. More broadly, Penn State is a world leader in multiple disciplines now at the center of urgent public communications and policy discussions-energy, agricultural biotechnology, engineering, medicine and climatology, to name just a few. Building and supporting collaborative research teams with strong social science components is a top priority for the University, and the College of Communications is uniquely positioned to play a central role in these initiatives. Preferred candidates will teach in the areas of advertising and public relations, journalism, or other areas of media production at the undergraduate level, and have strong ability or interest in exploring multi-disciplinary research opportunities across the University. Applicants should include a cover letter, CV, and three or more references who may be contacted for letters of recommendation (references will not be contacted without prior approval of the applicant). For questions or additional information, please contact Dr. Lee Ahern, Director of the College's Science Communication Program, at laa182@psu.edu. Review of applications will begin on October 2, 2017, and continue until filled.

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Tenure-track faculty position in Public Relations

Job Number: 72520 Date Announced: 07/06/2017 Closing Date: Open Until Filled Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Advertising And Public Relations

The Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications at The Pennsylvania State University invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor position in the Department of Advertising and Public Relations. The position will start in Fall 2018. The successful candidate is expected to teach basic and advanced public relations courses, engage in active research, and provide professional and academic service. Opportunities to teach graduate courses and advise students also exist in a college-wide graduate program. We are looking for an individual who enjoys the art of teaching and working with a faculty group that maintains a high degree of collegiality, collaboration, and professionalism. The department's recent curriculum improvements include the introduction of a digital media minor, an online undergraduate degree, and a forthcoming online professional graduate degree in strategic communications. The candidate's experience and/or interest in teaching online classes as well as digital public relations and research methods classes are highly desirable. The college is home to the Arthur W. Page Center for Integrity in Public Communications, a leading research center dedicated to the study and advancement of ethics and responsibility in corporate communication and public relations. Faculty with interests in these areas will be invited to participate in Page Center-related research projects. Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree in communication or a related discipline prior to joining Penn State. Relevant professional industry experience will be a strong plus. To apply, candidates must complete an online application and upload a cover letter describing gualifications, a current CV, and list of at least three references. For full consideration, please submit applications by October 1, 2017. Please direct questions to Search Committee Chair, Dr. Denise Bortree, or email at dsb177@psu.edu.

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Lecturer/Branded Storytelling

Work Unit: Donald P. Bellisario College Of Communications Department: Telecommunications Job Number: 77615

Date Announced: 03/13/2018 Closing Date: Open Until Filled

Founded in 1855, Penn State is a major, public, Research-1 university serving Pennsylvania and the global community. As the Commonwealth's only land-grant institution, Penn State takes pride in its mission of teaching, research, and service-and focus on the future. Penn State is a member of the prestigious American Association of Universities, one of 62 universities recognized for their especially strong research and academic programs. Penn State is home to more than 46,000 students at the University Park campus engaged in undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs, with an additional 31,000 students at 19 satellite campuses scattered throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The Donald P. Bellisario College of Communications, working with partners in the Office of Strategic Communications and College of Arts and Architecture at the University, seeks a professional with experience in brand-based digital storytelling to work with students across media-related and graphics-arts majors to create high-guality, client-driven videos and social posts. This faculty member, appointed at the rank of Lecturer in the College, will work with partners and coach student teams on client relations and all elements of the creative and production process. This is a non-tenure track appointment. Candidates must be able to teach video production and must have demonstrated experience managing client-driven media projects. A minimum of five years of professional video production/post-production is required. A master's degree and university teaching experience are preferred. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Applicants must electronically submit their applications, including a letter of interest, resume or curriculum vitae, an abbreviated portfolio that includes links to video work, and a list of three references who may be contacted.

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Fixed-Term Faculty (Part-time) Positions in Communications

Work Unit: College Of Communications Department: Job Number: 67467 Date Announced: **11/01/2016** Closing Date: **Open Until Filled**

The College of Communications seeks to hire various fixed-term II academic positions for Spring 2017. These appointments will be part-time, non-tenure track appointments without benefits and no guarantee of renewal. Courses include, but are not limited to skills-based courses in advertising/public relations, film/video, journalism, media studies and telecommunications. The selected candidates should have professional experience in relevant communications industries. Positions can require a Bachelor's degree, Master's degree or Ph.D. Applicants should apply by submitting a short letter of interest with their qualifications, current Curriculum Vita (CV) and contact information for at least three references. Applications will be received on an ongoing basis and positions filled as the need arises. For information on the College of Communications and its academic programs, please visit the following site: http://comm.psu.edu

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