

## ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF COMMUNICATION STUDIES

### RESPONSIBILITIES AND QUALIFICATIONS

University of the Ozarks invites applications for a current opening as a tenure track Assistant Professor of Communication Studies beginning July 2023. The primary responsibilities of this position include the teaching and advising of Communication students, as well as contributing to the University's general education curriculum. This position requires a Ph.D. degree in Communication or a related discipline as well as the ability to work as part of a team and be a good colleague. The appointee to this position is expected to teach and coordinate the University's required course in speech communication, as well as teach a range of other communication courses.

A sincere interest in students, excellent communication skills, and support of the University's mission are also required. The appointee to this position must be able to demonstrate a familiarity with and understanding of a small and residential campus that values personal attention and collegiality.

### ABOUT UNIVERSITY OF THE OZARKS

Ranked in the Top 10 of Southern region comprehensive baccalaureate institutions by U. S. News & World Report, University of the Ozarks is a Presbyterian-related institution that blends the liberal arts and professional preparation in a student-centered environment emphasizing quality teaching and student learning. The University serves approximately 800 undergraduate students on a beautiful campus in Clarksville, Arkansas, located along Interstate-40 approximately 90 miles northwest of Little Rock, and nestled between the Arkansas River and the Ozark Mountains. The University serves students from diverse religious, cultural, educational and economic backgrounds and welcomes students from throughout the U.S. and from more than 20 countries around the world. Knowing that diversity contributes to academic excellence and rich and rewarding communities, Ozarks is committed to recruiting and retaining a diverse faculty, staff and student body. The University is especially interested in applicants with diverse backgrounds and experiences and those with a successful record of teaching and working with diverse students, including historically underrepresented minority students and other underserved populations. Recent campaigns have enhanced facilities, academic programs and other campus initiatives. For more information about University of the Ozarks, visit [www.ozarks.edu](http://www.ozarks.edu).

### APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the search is completed. Please send a letter of application; vita; statement of teaching philosophy; and three current letters of reference, at least one of which addresses teaching ability, to: [humanresources@ozarks.edu](mailto:humanresources@ozarks.edu)