

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF HISTORY

RESPONSIBILITIES AND QUALIFICATIONS

The University of the Ozarks invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor of History position to begin July 1, 2023. Candidates must be motivated to work with students from diverse backgrounds and levels of academic preparation. This position carries a teaching load of 12 credit hours (4 courses) per semester across various subfields in history. However, a primary specialization in an area of U.S. history and a second specialization in an area of non-western history are preferred.

The ideal applicant for this position would hold a terminal degree in history from a regionally accredited university. Candidates with ABD status are welcome to apply where the expected degree conferral date is on or before August 1, 2023. Preference will be given to applicants with experience in higher-educational instruction, programmatic assessment, and direction of student research in history.

The University values personal attention and collegiality, and a familiarity with and understanding of a small residential campus are highly desirable. Candidates should demonstrate a strong interest in working with a culturally diverse student body. Excellent communication skills and strong support of the University's mission are also required.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF THE OZARKS

Ranked in the Top 10 of Southern region comprehensive baccalaureate institutions by U. S. News & World Report, the 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 about 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 United States, and from more than 20 countries worldwide. Knowing that diversity contributes to academic excellence and enriches communities, the University is committed to recruiting and retaining a diverse faculty, staff, and student body. Thus, 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 students and other underserved populations. Recent campaigns have enhanced facilities, academic programs, and other campus initiatives. For more information about the University of the Ozarks, please visit www.ozarks.edu.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

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