

COMPARATIVE LITERATURE / ITALIAN

The University of Western Ontario, Department of Modern Languages and Literatures (<http://www.uwo.ca/modlang/>), invites applications for a Probationary (tenure-track) position at the rank of Assistant Professor in Comparative Literature and Italian to begin July 1, 2012. A Ph.D. in Comparative Literature or Italian, a specialization in Renaissance or modern Italian literature, expertise in literary theory an asset, native or near-native fluency in Italian, a proven track record in teaching, and an excellent scholarly profile are required. Responsibilities will include undergraduate teaching in Italian language and literature, undergraduate and graduate teaching in Comparative Literature, and M.A. and Ph.D. thesis supervision in Comparative Literature. Send letters of application with curriculum vitae, transcripts, a writing sample, and three letters of reference to Prof. Joyce Bruhn de Garavito, Chair, Department of Modern Languages and Literatures, The University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada N6A 3K7; fax 519-661-4093. Applications must be received by October 1, 2011. Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Western Ontario is committed to employment equity and welcomes applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people and persons with disabilities.