

Chair, Department of Languages and Cultures

Nominations and applications are invited for the position of Chair of the Department of Languages and Cultures. Nominees and applicants must hold a tenured appointment at Western. All candidates affiliated with Languages and Cultures will be considered. The Chair appointment will be effective July 1, 2023, for a five-year term, renewable. The successful candidate will have a proven track record in both teaching and research, as well as significant administrative experience and a commitment to fostering collegiality, equity, diversity, inclusion and interdisciplinarity. Closely aligned with the University's strategic plan, particularly with tenets such as engaging the world and working internationally, the Department of Languages and Cultures is a diverse and multicultural community, with undergraduate and graduate students coming from every continent. Committed to adapting programs to offer contemporary degrees (from Certificates to PhDs), the department welcomes nominations and applications of candidates with a global vision and an inter-cultural understanding of the Humanities.

Nominations and applications should be sent to:

Chair of the Selection Committee for the Chair of Languages and Cultures  
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The committee will commence its review of nominations and applications after January 3, 2023 and will continue until the position is filled. Applications should include a CV and a statement of intent and qualifications.

Effective September 7, 2021, all employees and visitors to campus are required to comply with Western's [COVID-19 Vaccination Policy](#).

*Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized groups, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.*

*In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.*

*Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Joanne Gribbon ([jgribbo2@uwo.ca](mailto:jgribbo2@uwo.ca))*

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