



Chair, Department of French Studies

Nominations and applications are invited for the position of Chair of the Department of French Studies. Nominees and applicants must hold a tenured appointment at Western. The Chair appointment will be effective July 1, 2025 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, diversity and interdisciplinarity.

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Nominations and applications should be sent to:

Chair of the Selection Committee for the Chair of French Studies

Ileana Paul, Acting Dean

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The committee will commence its review of nominations and applications after December 1, 2024 and will continue until the position is filled. Applications should include a CV and a statement of intent and qualifications.

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.

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)

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