

Assistant Professor (or Higher Rank) | Lighting and Sound
Designer/Assistant Technical Director
American University of Sharjah

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| Department | Performing Arts Program |
| Institution | American University of Sharjah Sharjah, , United Arab Emirates |
| Date Posted | Nov. 29, 2022 |
| Application Deadline | Feb. 23, 2023 |
| Position Start Date | Fall 2023 |
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Job Description

American University of Sharjah invites applications for an Assistant Professor (or Higher Rank) faculty position of Lighting and Sound Designer/Assistant Technical Director to begin in Fall 2023. This faculty member will join a small but growing Performing Arts Program. Responsibilities will include serving as Lighting and Sound Designer and ATD for music and theatre events; assisting the Technical Director with builds, set-up and strike of events; coordinating student crews with the Technical Director to serve as technical operators for music events; assisting TD in maintaining production shops and equipment;

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teaching a 3-3 load in our core liberal arts education; and serving on committees as requested. Other program duties may be assigned.

We are especially interested in candidates who are dedicated to teaching undergraduates in a liberal arts environment, committed to working with ethnically and culturally diverse faculty and students from across the globe, and who will thrive in a small, ambitious collegiate setting. A terminal degree is required (MFA in Theatre preferred); preference will be given to those who hold at least one degree from a North American university. Proficiency at programming ETC lighting boards and working with moving LED lights is essential. Professional design experience is a plus. Deadline for applications is February 23, 2023. Please send one collated PDF document containing a cover letter, CV, design portfolio (or design sample link), and contact information for three references to:

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