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Department	Performing Arts Program
Institution	American University of Sharjah Sharjah, , United Arab Emirates
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Application Deadline	Feb. 23, 2023
Position Start Date	Fall 2023
Job Categories	Assistant Professor Associate Professor Professor
Academic Field(s)	Performance Studies Drama/Theater/Theater Education Art - General Fine Arts - General
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Job Description

American University of Sharjah invites applications for an Assistant Professor (or Higher Rank) faculty position of Scenic Design to begin in Fall 2023. This faculty member will join a small but growing [Performing Arts Program](#). Responsibilities will include serving as scenic designer for theatre productions, constructing sets for productions with assistant of the program ATD, maintaining production shop and equipment, teaching a 3-3 load as part of the core liberal arts education, and

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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 in theatre is required (MFA 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 cover letter, CV, design portfolio (or design website link), and contact information for three references to:

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