

Adjunct Faculty - Literature and Creative Writing  
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**Job Title** Adjunct Faculty - Literature and Creative Writing  
**Department** Humanities & Arts - JM  
**Institution** Worcester Polytechnic Institute  
Worcester, Massachusetts

**Date Posted** Jul. 8, 2025

**Application Deadline** Open until filled  
**Position Start Date** Available immediately

**Job Categories** Adjunct Professor

**Academic Field(s)** Creative or Technical Writing  
Literature - General  
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### **JOB DESCRIPTION SUMMARY**

Part-time adjunct faculty pool in Literature and Creative Writing to fill opportunities on a course-by-course basis as need arises.

### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

The Humanities and Arts Department at Worcester Polytechnic Institute is regularly seeking part-time adjunct faculty to teach Literature and Creative Writing courses. The Literature faculty teach introductory courses, intermediate thematic surveys, and advanced topic seminars and have particular interests in American (including African American and Chicana/o), English, and World literatures; poetry; and American and Global cinema. The Creative Writing Program offers introduction, intermediate, and advanced seminars in fiction, creative non-fiction, and poetry.

We are looking for outstanding scholars, but successful candidates must also demonstrate teaching excellence and versatility as well as an ability to jump into an existing curriculum with creative and critical pedagogical approaches. A successful candidate should hold a PhD in English, Comparative Literature, or Modern Languages and Literatures or an MFA in creative writing.

Submitting an application through this part-time posting will place you in an applicant pool to fill Literature and Creative Writing adjunct faculty positions on an as needed basis. Specific topics and start dates will vary over the academic year.

Qualified applicants from this applicant pool will be contacted as opportunities arise. Your application will remain in the pool until the posting closes. If you wish to be considered for positions beyond that date, then you must reapply.

Applicants should submit the following:

- cover letter that addresses relevant expertise and experience
- current c.v. that includes the names and contact information for three references
- evidence of teaching experience (syllabi, teaching portfolio, etc.)

### **FLSA STATUS**

United States of America (Exempt)

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**To apply, visit:** [https://wpi.wd5.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/WPI\\_External\\_Career\\_Site/job/Worcester/Adjunct-Faculty---Literature-and-Creative-Writing\\_R0003203](https://wpi.wd5.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/WPI_External_Career_Site/job/Worcester/Adjunct-Faculty---Literature-and-Creative-Writing_R0003203)

### **About WPI**

WPI is a vibrant, active, and diverse community of extraordinary students, world-renowned faculty, and state of the art research facilities. At WPI, we have competitive and comprehensive benefits, including health insurance, long-term care, retirement, tuition assistance, flexible spending accounts, work-life balance and much more.

### **Diversity & Inclusion at WPI**

WPI is committed to creating an inclusive workplace where everyone feels valued and respected; a place where every student, faculty and staff member can be themselves, so that they can study, live, and work comfortably, to reach their full potential, and make meaningful contributions in order to meet departmental and institutional goals. WPI thrives on innovative practice and welcomes diverse perspectives, insight, and people from diverse lived experiences, to enhance the community environment and propel the institution to the next level in a competitive, global marketplace.

### **Contact Information**

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

### **Contact**

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