

**VIRGINIA UNION UNIVERSITY**  
**Assistant /Associate Professor**  
**Language and Literature Department**

The Department of Languages and Literature at Virginia Union University invites applications for a full-time, a non-tenure track (but tenure-eligible) position at the rank of Assistant or Associate professor level in English with special preparation in **Africana/Caribbean/Black Literature**. The department seeks to fill this position no later than Fall 2018. We are interested in candidates ready to play a leadership role in building the department's cultural programming to promote diversity and cultural awareness in the Africana/Caribbean/Black Literature global communities.

**Minimum Qualifications:** A doctoral degree in English is required. Official copies of college transcripts must be on file by the appointment date for the successful candidate selected. Teaching experience, service, and record of scholarly activity appropriate to the rank is desirable. Other duties may be assigned as needed.

**Preferred Qualifications:** The Languages & Literature Department seeks a dynamic, well-rounded individual to teach core undergraduate courses in Africana/Caribbean/Black Literature. In addition to teaching, the position entails active participation in department, college and university committees, involvement in scholarly activities such as publishing and obtaining grants, as well as creating opportunities and providing leadership for students to travel abroad. Excellence in teaching, research, and service is required for future promotion and tenure consideration. **Applicant must currently be in a terminal degree program or have a Ph.D.**

The selected applicant may be required to submit to a background investigation. VUU is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative-Action Institution committed to cultural, racial, and ethnic communities and compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. It is expected that successful candidates share in this commitment. Persons who need reasonable accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act to participate in the application process should contact the Office of Human Resources at 804-257-5841.

**Application Deadline:** Review of applications will begin immediately. The application packet should contain a letter of interest, curriculum vita, a copy of graduate transcripts, sample publication and syllabus, and three current letters of recommendation (at least one of which addresses teaching qualifications.) The application package may be e-mailed to [Resumes@vuu.edu](mailto:Resumes@vuu.edu). Please visit [www.vuu.edu](http://www.vuu.edu) for additional information about the University.

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