Lecturer in Arabic at the University of Georgia

The University of Georgia, Department of Religion (Arabic undergraduate major program) seeks a non-tenure-track, full-time Lecturer in Arabic, beginning August 2013. Possibilities of annual renewal and promotion to rank of Senior Lecturer after seven years. Required: Ph.D. in Teaching Arabic as a Second Language; also training in teaching Modern Standard Arabic/Fus'ha and Arabic grammar (with \textit{i'}rab). Consideration will also be given to candidates who possess both a Ph.D. in Arabic language or literature and an M.A in Teaching Arabic as a Second Language and who have received training in teaching MSA/Fus'ha and Arabic grammar. Near native speaker proficiency in MSA/Fus'ha (with native-speaker-level pronunciation) and proficiency in explaining in English the rules of Arabic grammar and in speaking one dialect of Arabic and the English language are also required. Duties: teach eight courses per academic year at elementary, intermediate, advanced levels (as needed), using the communicative method and by teaching Arabic grammar (with \textit{i'}rab). This is a language teaching (non-research) position. Send letter of application, vitae, three reference letters, at least two pages of your own writing in Arabic, and evidence of teaching skills by email to Arabic Lecturer Search Committee at religion@uga.edu. To assure full consideration, application must be received by March 5, 2013.

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