**California State University, Long Beach**

**College of Liberal Arts**

**Department of Comparative World Literature and Classics**

**Recruitment #:  24/25- PTL-CWL (COMPLIT)**

**Position:  PART-TIME LECTURER, COMPARATIVE WORLD LITERATURE**

**Effective Date**: Fall Semester: August 19, 2024-December 24, 2024;

Spring Semester: January 2, 2025-May 23, 2025

**Minimum Qualifications**:

* MA in Comparative Literature or related discipline
* Demonstrated potential for teaching excellence at the university level
* Demonstrated commitment to working successfully with a diverse student population

**Desired/Preferred Qualifications**:

* Ph.D. or candidate status in Comparative Literature or related discipline
* Knowledge of world literature and interdisciplinary approaches to literary and cultural studies
* Ability to elicit good writing and critical thinking skills about literature and culture
* Ability to teach or experience teaching online classes

**Duties**:  Teach one to three courses in one or more of the listed areas, depending on enrollment demand.

* **CWL 100:** Introduction to World Literature ● **CWL 124**: Introduction to World Theater and Drama
* **CWL 132:** World Mythology ● **CWL 161:** Reading the World
* **CWL 205:** Digital Literature and Culture ● **CWL 213:** Comics and Graphic Novels
* **CWL 220:** Literature and Play ● **CWL 305:** Science Fiction and Global Technologies

● **CWL 315:** Literature and Medicine ● **CWL 320**: Comic Spirit

**Probable Salary Range**:  Commensurate with training and experience.

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**Required Documentation**:

* Letter of application addressing qualifications
* Curriculum vitae, including email address
* Unofficial tran­script from institution awarding highest degree
* Evidence of successful teaching (examples: syllabi, student evaluations, course handouts, if applicable)
* Finalists will be required to submit an original SC-1 hiring form obtained from the department and an official transcript

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A background check (including a criminal records check and telephone reference check with most recent employer) must be completed satisfactorily before any candidate can be offered a position with the CSU. Failure to satisfactorily complete the background check may affect the application status of applicants or continued employment of current CSU employees who apply for the position.

**Application Deadline**:  Position open until filled (or recruitment canceled).  Review of applications to begin August 1, 2024. Application, required documentation, and/or requests for information should be addressed to:

**Dr. Kathryn Chew**

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