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Faculty Position Available in

Landscape Architecture

Cornell University

Position: Assistant Professor, Tenure-track.

Location: Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853-5701. The academic home for this position is the Department of Landscape Architecture in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences.

Position Description and Responsibilities:

The Department of Landscape Architecture at Cornell University seeks applications for a full-time tenure-track **Assistant Professor** position to begin Fall 2018, with a focus on sites and systems design in contemporary **landscape architecture**. This position requires a 70% teaching and 30% research effort on a 9-month academic year basis. We particularly seek candidates with a strong design philosophy and expertise such as: experience in practice, teaching, and/or research regarding the role and potential of living systems and landscape materials (plants, soils, water, etc.) in contemporary approaches addressing emerging socio-ecological design issues at multiple scales. An understanding of the evolving role of analog and digital representation tools for data visualization and landscape modeling and mapping is required and should be an integral part of the candidate's research and/or practice. This would include spatial data applications such as GIS as well as parametric modeling and representational software such as Rhino and Grasshopper. Applicants will teach design studios at both the undergraduate and graduate levels, and two seminars, one of which should focus on their area of scholarship. These courses will contribute to a curriculum that aims to prepare skilled and critical practitioners and researchers and expand the role of the landscape professions in addressing urgent anthropogenic issues. In addition to excellence in sites and systems design, we are interested in candidates who will participate in cross-disciplinary research and teaching initiatives in relation to the design disciplines, environmental sciences, or urban humanities. We seek faculty with innovative professional experience who can contribute to the development of a systematic cultural and ecological foundation for design of environments.

Qualifications

Successful applicants will have an accredited degree in landscape architecture, and be developing a body of rigorous research or inquiry that addresses contemporary and future challenges in landscape architecture. An MLA is required and a PhD or license within the field or related discipline is desirable.

Cornell University is a Land Grant University and supports a robust program of community-engaged research and outreach that seeks to bridge between the classroom, research, and communities at both the local and international scales. We seek strong teachers committed to both professional preparation and to intellectual inquiry, able to link theory and practice through their teaching and research. We seek a candidate with the ability to work collaboratively with faculty, students, and staff with diverse backgrounds.

Applications and Starting Date:

Anticipated starting date is July 1, 2018.

Applications should include:

1. Cover Letter
2. CV
3. Academic portfolio including studio outcomes
4. Three academic references

Materials may be submitted via email to April Kampney at ak29@cornell.edu or via mail to:

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Applications will be reviewed beginning November 1, 2017 and continue until a suitable candidate is found.