



ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
IN COMMUNICATION

The Department of Communication at the **College of Charleston** announces a tenure-track position for an *Assistant Professor* position to begin August 2013. PhD in Communication or Mass Communication, a commitment to teaching in a student-centered liberal arts environment, and an active research agenda required.

The Department of Communication at the College of Charleston seeks a faculty member who is a teacher-scholar, dedicated to undergraduate and graduate education in communication. Qualified candidates will demonstrate a record of accomplishment in teaching and research in either Organizational communication **OR** Media and Society.

The successful candidate's primary teaching responsibilities will include upper-level writing courses and participation in either the year-long entry level or Capstone course. The candidate will also have the opportunity to develop junior and senior level departmental courses specific to their area of expertise. Other duties include the continuation of research and professional development, advising, committee service, and involvement in activities sponsored by the department and university.

Candidates should provide evidence of a record of research, teaching, and service. Evidence of effective teaching (e.g., syllabi, examples of student work, student evaluations), a description of your commitment to the most recent pedagogical and technological advances, and evidence of scholarly or creative potential (e.g., samples of previous work) are required for consideration.

Interested candidates should send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, teaching portfolio (e.g. teaching philosophy, syllabi, student evaluations, sample student work, etc.), unofficial graduate transcripts, and three letters of reference electronically (preferred) to benigniv@cofc.edu or by regular mail to the search committee:

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Review of materials will begin November 30th and will continue until the position is filled. Materials should arrive by December 7, 2012 to assure full consideration.

The Department of Communication at the College of Charleston boasts a dynamic, integrated program with an accomplished [faculty](#) whose teaching and research are reflective of the diversity of our discipline. Special areas of strength for the department include strategic communication, public and visual culture, health communication, media, and political communication. Undergraduate students in the Department of Communication learn in one of the nation's most exciting, innovative, and personalized communication programs, with an entry level year-long course sequence devoted to core communication competencies and a year-long Capstone experience devoted to the integration and synthesis of communication theory, research, and application. We aspire to help students become communication experts who write beautifully, speak eloquently, think critically, and research effectively.

This collegial department has over 24 full-time faculty, approximately 750 undergraduate majors, and a master's program. To learn more about the department and the College of Charleston, founded in 1770 and located in the historic downtown area, visit our Web site at <http://www.cofc.edu/communication>. The College of Charleston has adopted a strategic plan emphasizing interdisciplinary research and teaching and placing a high priority on international initiatives.

The College of Charleston is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer and strongly encourages applications from women, minorities, and persons with disabilities. The College of Charleston is committed to creating a diverse community.