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## [Department of Languages, Literatures, and Cultural Studies](#)

### **Tenure-track position in French Studies**

The Department of Languages, Literatures, and Cultural Studies at the University of Saskatchewan invites applications for a full time tenure-track position in French Studies at the rank of Assistant Professor effective July 1, 2018.

The successful candidate will teach courses at various levels of French language as well as senior courses in their area of specialization, will be expected to supervise graduate students, initiate and participate in research projects, compete successfully for external funding, contribute to the scholarly and artistic work of the department and undertake relevant administrative activities, including meetings and committee work.

The Department comprises French, Spanish and German, and is housed in the College of Arts & Science which offers a dynamic combination of programs in the Humanities and Fine Arts, the Social Sciences and the Sciences. There are over 10,000 undergraduate and graduate students in the College and 295 faculty, including 12 Canada Research Chairs. The College emphasizes student and faculty research, scholarly and artistic work, interdisciplinary programs, community outreach and international opportunities.

The University of Saskatchewan, situated in Treaty 6 territory and the Métis homeland, is located in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, a city with a diverse and thriving economic base, a vibrant arts community and a full range of leisure opportunities. The University has a reputation for excellence in teaching, research, scholarly and artistic work, and offers a full range of undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs to a student population of over 21,000.

#### **Qualifications:**

Successful candidates will have native or near-native proficiency in French and English, an ability to engage in scholarly activities as evidenced by established or developing research initiatives, a strong or emerging research program, and a demonstrated record of excellence in teaching French classes at various levels. A Ph.D. in French (or an equivalent qualification) is required. The ideal candidate will have a research focus in an area of Cultural Studies in French (film studies, critical theory, postcolonial literature, popular culture, media or technology, etc.) or specialize in the Didactics of French as a Second Language. Experience and expertise in the use of computer-based language instruction will be considered an asset.

**Salary and Benefits (July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017):**

Salary: Assistant Professor: \$93,293 (floor)

This position includes a comprehensive benefits package which includes a dental, health and extended vision care plan, pension plan, life insurance (compulsory and voluntary), academic long-term disability, sick leave, travel insurance, death benefits, an employee assistance program, a professional expense allowance, and a flexible health and wellness spending program.

**Application Procedure:**

Interested candidates should arrange to have three letters of reference sent to the Department Head and forward their CV, examples of recent publications and teaching evaluations as well as a statement of their philosophy of teaching and a description of their research program to:

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Electronic submission of documents is preferred. The Department will accept applications until the position is filled but consideration of candidates will begin on February 1<sup>st</sup> 2018.

*The University of Saskatchewan is strongly committed to a diverse and inclusive workplace that empowers all employees to reach their full potential. All members of the university community share a responsibility for developing and maintaining an environment in which differences are valued and inclusiveness is practiced. The university welcomes applications from those who will contribute to the diversity of our community. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.*