

**POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**

**OPEN: 11-8-11**

**Open until filled**

**Antioch University Seattle  
Core Faculty/Prior Learning Coordinator  
B.A. Degree Completion Program in Liberal Studies**

**Position Summary**

The Core Faculty/Prior Learning Coordinator in the B.A. Degree Completion Program in Liberal Studies provides teaching, advising, and curricular leadership to undergraduate students who are completing their college degrees. This Core Faculty position is responsible (50%) for teaching classes, advising students, and contributing to the further development of learning opportunities, especially in disciplinary/interdisciplinary areas that involve change-advocacy, community-based research, service-learning, internships and/or project-based learning consistent with Antioch University Seattle’s new Social Engagement Initiative.

This Core Faculty position is also responsible (50%) for administering all aspects of the B.A. Degree Completion Program’s prior learning assessment process that supports students in documenting and earning credit for learning acquired from pre-enrollment non-academic life/work experience. Duties include coordinating the ongoing design and implementation of priors writing courses, approving student learning packages, and hiring and supervising affiliate faculty evaluators who do the assessments.

**Background**

Antioch University Seattle's B.A. in Liberal Studies completion program is part of a nontraditional, liberal arts university located in the heart of the Belltown neighborhood. Our programs focus on social justice, psychology, spirituality, leadership, global studies, and the arts. They are designed with the student needs in mind: relevant classes, a degree to be proud of and a real advantage when it comes to landing a good job. With small class sizes, college credit for life experience, individualized attention, evening and weekend classes and no standardized testing — students experience an inspirational learning environment, designed for working adults to reach their individual educational goals.

**Qualifications:**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Doctorate from a regionally accredited college or university required, with an academic background appropriate to a program committed to progressive education, diversity, social justice and community engagement.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum of three years’ experience teaching at the college level, as well as advising/working with adult learners.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ability and experience teaching in an interdisciplinary setting.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience and demonstrated success as an active participant in teaching, advising, new program development and faculty collaboration.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrated experience in community-based learning or advocacy.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For the Prior Learning Coordinator role, candidates are expected to have project coordination and management experience in higher education, an understanding of issues and practices in the narrative assessment of student learning, and experience working with student-centered, experiential, interdisciplinary approaches to undergraduate education as a faculty member.</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrated cultural competence and reflective practice skills.</li> </ul>

*Equivalent education/experience may substitute for minimum qualifications except when there are legal requirements, such as a license/certification/registration. (See next page for application instructions and other important information.)*

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For accommodations to complete the application process, and/or if selected for an interview, please contact the Human Resources Department at 206-268-4022. TTY: 206-728-5745.

### **Application Process**

#### **Complete and submit the following documents:**

- Cover Letter
- Resume or Curriculum Vita
- Application for Employment
- Applicant Data Form (optional)
- Names, addresses (including e-mail addresses), and telephone numbers of four references. References will not be contacted without prior approval of the candidate.

The application and applicant data forms are located on our website at [www.antiochseattle.edu](http://www.antiochseattle.edu) under the “employment” tab.

#### **Choose one option for submitting your documents:**

E-mail: [AUSHR@antiochseattle.edu](mailto:AUSHR@antiochseattle.edu), Fax: 206-441-3307, OR Mail: Search for Faculty c/o Human Resources, 2326 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Seattle, WA 98121