

PART-TIME ARCHITECTURAL WORKSHOP TEACHING POST

FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE

FIELD: GRAPHIC DESIGN

START DATE: 01/09/2024

The University of Liège is the biggest French-speaking public university in Belgium. It employs more than 5,700 staff members across four campuses, including 3,600 active teachers and researchers in all fields of the human and social sciences, science and technology, and health sciences. It hosts nearly 27,000 students of 123 different nationalities in one of the most multicultural and dynamic cities in Europe, less than an hour from Brussels and Cologne, two hours from Paris, and three hours from London and Amsterdam.

Actively involved in the social and environmental transition, ULiège supports students to fulfil their roles as responsible citizens (training in sustainable development, Green Office, etc.) and promotes ethical, multidisciplinary and open research. ULiège is committed to the region in which it operates and contributes towards local socio-economic development. It has developed numerous partnerships, notably with the university hospital. International and united, it participates in the [European University of Post-Industrial Cities, UNIC](#) initiative and has one of the most extensive collaborative networks in the world.

ULiège offers attractive career prospects [in a high-quality working environment](#), promoting well-being, diversity and equality of opportunity. Since 2011, ULiège has been proud to display the European [Human resources strategy for researchers](#) (HRS4R) label, which reflects its commitment to open, transparent and merit-based procedures. In addition, it recognises the quality and diversity of research in line with the recommendations of the [Coalition for Advancing Research Assessment \(CoARA\)](#). ULiège encourages its academic staff to travel internationally and welcomes international researchers through its EURAXESS centre.

JOB DESCRIPTION

A part-time (50%/0.5 FTE), indivisible, architectural workshop teaching position, in the field of Graphic Design within the Faculty of Architecture. The graphic design position aims particularly to teach students how to think about and use methods to design and communicate graphic elements related to architecture and its principles. This position includes teaching as well as services to the community.

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

The post-holder must develop courses addressing graphic design related to the fields of architecture, town planning and landscape design.

The post-holder may be expected to teach:

- ▶ ARCH1108-1 Communication and graphic construction – Basic principles, B1, 40 hours, 5 credits;
- ▶ ARCH1013-1 Communication and graphic construction – Advanced principles, B1, 40 hours, 5 credits;
- ▶ ARCH3332-1 Communication and graphic construction – Graphic analysis, advanced subjects, B3, 40 hours, 5 credits;
- ▶ Introduction to research in architecture – Advanced principles – Occasional intervention (ARCH0563-1, M1);
- ▶ Specialised support in the architecture project course;
- ▶ Supervision of dissertations and dissertation-projects.

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

Applicants will be expected to take part in services to the community, particularly within the Faculty of Architecture and the University, including:

- ▶ Participating in ad hoc Faculty committees;
- ▶ Promoting courses / invigilating exams each term;
- ▶ Preparing and coordinating exhibitions and cultural activities organised by the Faculty.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED / PROFILE

- ▶ Hold a Masters degree in Graphic Design or Architecture or any other Masters with comparable skills for at least seven years;
- ▶ Have at least three years' experience in a relevant professional field and proved skills recognised in the sector;
- ▶ Understand the basics and current issues in graphic design in the field of architecture;
- ▶ Know how to use infographic and digital production tools. Freehand drawing skills are a plus.
- ▶ Holding a teaching qualification is a plus.

Throughout the duration of the contract with the Faculty:

- ▶ Maintain professional activity throughout the duration of the teaching contract, according to criteria set out in the regulations defining the careers of architecture workshop teaching staff;
- ▶ Develop a critical analysis of your own practice, which will be evaluated every five years.

SELECTION PROCEDURE

The selection process consists of a number of stages. A recruitment committee will prepare an initial shortlist of applicants to be called for an interview. The shortlisted candidates will be invited to an interview which will include a simulation of teaching a course related to the position and will enable them to demonstrate their teaching skills.

The applicants will be selected on the basis of their teaching skills and practical experience. The committee will strive to ensure that the applicants' specific profiles fully respond to the teaching requirements as defined in the Faculty course programme and to its strategic development.

Applicants may be asked by the recruitment committee to provide additional information.

Our institutional policy is based on diversity and equal opportunity. We select candidates based on their qualities and regardless of their age, sexual orientation, origin, beliefs, disability or nationality.

APPLICATIONS

Applications should be made using an on-line form available at: https://my.uliege.be/portail/go_xt.do?a=o%7C11004%7Ce%7C579005. To be eligible, applications must be submitted **no later than 12/05/2024 (before midnight Belgian time)**.

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- ▶ Cover letter.
- ▶ Curriculum vitae;
- ▶ A portfolio (in PDF format) of graphic productions prepared by the applicant with a descriptive list of each element presented. The portfolio may include a reference to external elements (website, etc.);
- ▶ A list of the applicant's fields of expertise, with a presentation of a maximum of three significant projects in each field (400 characters per field maximum);

- ▶ A teaching plan (1600 characters maximum) where, based on their practice, the applicants present their vision of teaching the architecture project and how it relates to other subjects taught at the Faculty;
- ▶ A reflective report (1600 characters maximum) on their own background and changes in practices, including a comment with regard to the themes of the Masters programme.

These documents must be uploaded in PDF format to the online application platform (see link in the "APPLICATIONS" section).

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

The position is awarded for a fixed term of four years. An evaluation will be carried out at the end of the third year.

- ▶ If the evaluation is negative, the person's appointment will end after the fourth year.
- ▶ If the evaluation is positive, the person will be appointed permanently.

Specific and detailed conditions can be found in the [EDA regulations](#).

INFORMATION

Information about the content of the post may be obtained from: **Éric Le Coguiéc** – erci.lecoguiéc@uliege.be

Additional information may be obtained from **Pierre Hallot**, Dean of the Faculty of Architecture – doyen.archi@uliege.be

REMUNERATION

The salary grids and their rules of application are available from the Human Resources department of the University: **Ludivine Depas** – tel.: +32 (0)4 366 52 04 – Ludivine.Depas@uliege.be

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