

# International Christian University

## English for Liberal Arts Program, College of Liberal Arts

### Announcement of Faculty Position in English for Liberal Arts Program

Outline	<p>International Christian University (ICU) is a private, bilingual liberal arts university with an undergraduate College of Liberal Arts and graduate programs. ICU's educational mission is based on Christian and democratic principles. ICU has approximately 3,000 students and over 150 faculty members from Japan and overseas. The university is located on a wooded campus in the suburbs of Tokyo.</p> <p>We are pleased to announce an open search for a full-time faculty position (tenured instructor) in English for Liberal Arts Program (ELA). The ELA is an English language program with both content-based and skill-based instruction that incorporates issues related to the College of Liberal Arts (International Studies, Humanities, Education, Social Science, and Natural Science). It places special emphasis on developing critical thinking and academic writing skills, and improving overall English skills of first- and second-year students. The successful applicant is expected to teach RCA (Reading and Content Analysis), AS (Academic Skills) and RW (Research Writing) in the ELA.</p>
Department/ Program	English for Liberal Arts Program (ELA)
Rank & Title	Instructor (tenured)
Employment	Full-time
Term of Employment	Employment until the mandatory retirement age of 65.
Employment Conditions	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Salary: in accordance with ICU employment regulations.</li> <li>2. Allowances: available, in accordance with ICU employment regulations (e.g. commuting allowance).</li> <li>3. Working hours: in accordance with ICU employment regulation.</li> <li>4. Social insurance: coverage by Promotion and Mutual Aid Corporation for Private Schools of Japan (PMAC), workers' compensation, etc.</li> </ol>
Number of Positions	1
Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A native speaker of Japanese who is able to teach courses in English.</li> <li>2. Doctor's degree or equivalent amount of research achievements in English language teaching or in a related field.</li> <li>3. Five or more years of teacher experience at universities. Teaching experience of EAP (English for Academic Purposes) at universities is also required.</li> <li>4. Diverse experience in teaching and non-teaching duties and be able to demonstrate leadership in order to put the mission of the ELA into practice, and manage and further develop the program.</li> <li>5. Be able to accomplish assignments proficiently in Japanese and English, both within and outside the ELA.</li> <li>6. Understand and share different cultures, worldviews, perspectives, and values with people from diverse backgrounds.</li> <li>7. Understand the purpose of ICU as expressed in the following statement from the University Regulations: "The purpose of the establishment of ICU is to create an academic culture to share the values of freedom based on a devout Christian spirit and to foster well-educated democratic citizens who have an internationally recognized high degree of sophistication and public morals."</li> <li>8. Evidence of scholarly work related to language teaching.</li> <li>9. Experience in studying or teaching in an overseas educational system is</li> </ol>

	preferable.
Deadline for Applications	Applications must arrive at the address written below no later than October 20, 2017. (Deadline may be extended until the most appropriate candidate is found.)
Starting Date	September 1, 2018
Selection Process	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Apply for the position online. <a href="https://business.form-mailer.jp/fms/d53e953d74968">https://business.form-mailer.jp/fms/d53e953d74968</a></li> <li>2. Send all the application materials by mail as described below.</li> <li>3. After documentary screening, short-listed candidates will be requested to give a lecture and to be interviewed in November 2017.</li> </ol>
Notification of Decision	Applicants will be notified by letter.
Application Materials	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Curriculum Vitae (Click the link to download). <a href="#">[download]</a></li> <li>2. List of Academic Publications. (Do not send actual publications until requested. Copies of three main publications will be requested from candidates who are selected for an interview.)</li> <li>3. Names and contact information of three references (Three letters of recommendation will be requested from candidates who are selected for an interview.)</li> <li>4. Cover letter describing why the applicant is appropriate for the position and a "Statement of Purpose" in which the applicant's view of English language teaching within the context of a liberal arts education is outlined. (A4 size, 1~2 pages in English)</li> <li>5. A copy of B.A., M.A., and/or Ph.D. diploma.</li> </ol> <p>An application package with all necessary materials should be sent by registered mail to:</p> <p>Professor Yuko Iwata Director, English for Liberal Arts Program International Christian University, 3-10-2 Osawa, Mitaka, Tokyo 181-8585, JAPAN</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Write "Application for Position (ELA: RCA-T)" on the envelope.</li> <li>● In addition to sending the application materials, you must complete the online application.</li> <li>● No email applications will be accepted.</li> <li>● Submitted application materials will not be returned.</li> <li>● Personal information will be treated with confidentiality.</li> </ul>
Contact Address	3-10-2 Osawa, Mitaka-shi, Tokyo 181-8585, JAPAN
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Attached Files	N/A
Additional Information	For inquiries, please use the above e-mail address.