



Sweet Briar College, a women's college increasingly defined by innovation, has launched a bold academic program that integrates the liberal arts with women's leadership to prepare graduates to address the challenges facing our world. Faculty are committed to cultivating the habits of mind—in problem solving, decision making, and creativity—that are critical for leaders. These values are embedded in the College's institutional vision and supported by our confidence that academic excellence, small classes, and dedication to empowering young women will position Sweet Briar and its graduates to thrive.

As an Equal Opportunity Employer, Sweet Briar College is committed to enhancing our community and encourages applications from qualified individuals with varied backgrounds, experiences and ideas who would increase the diversity of the College.

Job Title: Adjunct Instructor/Assistant Professor of Studio Art

Classification: Part-time, non-benefits eligible faculty position

Reports To: Arts Division Head

Job Summary/Objective:

Sweet Briar College invites applications for a part-time, non-benefits eligible position of Adjunct Instructor/Assistant Professor of Studio Art for the Spring 2021 three-week term (April 1, 2021 through May 6, 2021). The ideal candidate will have a broad understanding of the field, including industry and art standards, and a working knowledge of a range of animation methods and styles with successful teaching experience. This position requires a thorough understanding of animation software and proficiency with a range of software tools including Adobe Creative Suite, the Wacom Cintiq drawing system, and Toon Boom Harmony software. Applicants should have experience working with beginning level students, and will also be expected to mentor animation students and to maintain a record of their creative production.

Candidates ready to work with a diverse student body are especially welcome. Sweet Briar prides itself on creating a learning environment that encourages young women to fulfill their highest potential. Leadership in all walks of life is fostered by the special connections our faculty make with their students, and Sweet Briar women translate their academic experiences into interesting and important lives.

Required Qualifications:

- M.F.A. or other terminal degree in animation or a related field, or extensive professional experience in computer animation/kinematics;
- Demonstrated successful teaching in animation;
- Active record of creative work which may include produced credits or festival screens; and
- Excellent communication skills.

How to Apply:

All applications should include: 1) cover letter; 2) CV; 3) statement on teaching philosophy; and 4) work samples or a reel of work in digital animation; 5) a statement highlighting contributions to or future plans for promoting diversity and inclusion through work in this position; 6) the names and full contact information for three professional references. Materials are to be emailed to dean@sbc.edu. Work samples should be provided as a MOV or MP4 file and the remainder of items should be submitted in a single PDF file. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.