Florida Tech Libraries
Florida Institute of Technology

Instruction Librarian

Florida Institute of Technology’s Evans Library (http://lib.fit.edu) invites applications for the position of Instruction Librarian. Experienced, energetic, knowledgeable, and forward-thinking professionals are encouraged to apply for this full-time twelve-month faculty appointment that reports to the Library’s Associate Dean, User Experience & Learning. This librarian provides information literacy instruction for Florida Tech students, faculty, and staff, including needs assessment, design, and facilitation of instructional materials and sessions both in-person and online; coordination and instruction for first-year-student and other required undergraduate courses; instruction for Research Sources and Systems, a one-credit information literacy course; reference services; and outreach and promotion of library resources and services.

Characteristic Duties and Responsibilities:

- Delivers a variety of instructional sessions and tools for the teaching of a one-credit course, for the support of Florida Tech course requirements, and for around-the-world and around-the-clock access
- Contributes to the design, promotion, coordination, delivery, and assessment of the Library’s instructional programs
- Provides research and reference assistance to on-site and distant students, teaching and research faculty, and members of the community (Some evenings and weekends are required.)
- Serves as liaison to one or more academic units
- Serves on committees to ensure excellent information literacy & research practices university-wide
- Represents the library as needed at regional and national conferences and meetings

Required Qualifications:

- ALA-accredited Master of Library Information Studies
- Three years of professional teaching experience in an academic library
- Working knowledge of discovery tools, databases, and e-reference common to academic libraries
- Demonstrated knowledge of technology issues and trends affecting libraries and academia
- Excellent verbal, written, and interpersonal communication skills
- Preference given to candidates with research or academic experience in science or engineering

Located in Melbourne (http://www.melbourneflorida.org/), Florida Institute of Technology (www.fit.edu) provides over 100 undergraduate, master, and doctoral programs on-site and online.

Appointment: Available July 2015; full-time, 12-month faculty position with excellent benefits.
Application Process: Applications will be reviewed upon receipt and will be accepted until the position is filled. Applications received by June 30, 2015 will be given first consideration. Send/email cover letter, curriculum vitae, and three references with contact information to:

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About Florida Institute of Technology

Founded at the dawn of the Space Race in 1958, Florida Tech is the only independent, technological university in the Southeast. The university is ranked in the top 200 in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2013-14, has been named a Barron's Guide “Best Buy” in College Education, is designated a Tier One Best National University in U.S. News & World Report, is one of just nine schools in Florida lauded by the 2014 Fiske Guide to Colleges and is recognized by Bloomberg Businessweek as the best college for return on investment in Florida. A recent survey by PayScale.com ranks Florida Tech as the top university in Florida for mid-career salary potential. The university offers undergraduate, graduate and doctoral programs. Fields of study include science, engineering, aeronautics, business, humanities, mathematics, psychology, communication and education. Additional information is available online at www.fit.edu.