Assistant Professor, Director of Choral Activities

Michigan Technological University, Department of Visual and Performing Arts, seeks an Assistant Professor, Director of Choral Activities, beginning August 2010. Nine-month tenure-track position in a 7000-student state supported research university in Upper Michigan, includes: Conducting the Michigan Tech Concert Choir, an established university/community choir; expanding the choral program to include other vocal ensembles; collaborating with faculty colleagues in a multidisciplinary department (art/music/theatre); teaching voice, including private and group lessons; and broad-based teaching in the music curriculum. Department currently offers B.S. or B.A. degrees in theatre and electronic media performance, audio production and technology, theatre and entertainment technology, and sound design, plus three music minors (see [http://www.vpa.mtu.edu](http://www.vpa.mtu.edu)). We seek candidates dedicated to excellence in both music and teaching in a multidisciplinary environment.

Requirements include terminal degree in appropriate specialty and/or commensurate experience conducting university and/or community choirs, and demonstrated teaching skill.

Send letter of application addressing the required qualifications, video and aural recordings of recent conducting work, samples of recent programs, contact information for three references, and proof of degree to:

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Houghton, MI 49931 - 1295  
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Review begins December 1, 2009, and continues until position is filled.

In addition to the present search, strategic faculty hiring initiatives with up to ten new positions in "Next Generation Energy Systems" and "Health: Basic Sciences, Technologies, and Medical Informatics" are under way and qualified candidates are encouraged to send a separate application, following the "How to Apply" guidelines at [http://www.mtu.edu/sfhi](http://www.mtu.edu/sfhi).

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