



REED COLLEGE

## Visiting Assistant Professor of Dance

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Reed College invites applications for a half time, renewable position in the Department of Dance to begin in Fall 2010. With this position, the department is seeking to expand our range of course offerings; the appointee would have the opportunity to design new courses in his or her area of specialty which may include any of the following: Dance Ethnology, Performance Studies, Dance History, Dance Theory, Dance and Technology, African-American dance forms, dances of Latin America, the Caribbean, Africa or the African Diaspora. Half time faculty members in the department typically teach one or two courses each semester (three total per year), contribute to the production of residencies with visiting artists and to student dance concerts. The Reed dance department seeks to integrate scholarship and practice; many courses in the dance department combine work in the classroom with work in the studio.

Reed College is a small, distinguished liberal arts institution committed to excellence in teaching and scholarship. Reed students are known for the high quality of their intellectual engagement and creativity. Portland, Oregon has a thriving artistic community, numerous dance companies, major presenting organizations and an international performing arts festival.

Qualifications: Master's degree (or higher) required; evidence of a professional profile as a scholar and/or artist in the field of dance with a progressive view of diverse cultural approaches; commitment to mentoring undergraduate students. An equal opportunity employer, Reed values diversity and encourages applications from underrepresented groups. Your cover letter should make clear the nature of your background and preparation for this position and your understanding of the role dance plays in a college of this kind. Interested applicants should send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, sample syllabi, examples of work (published articles and/or choreography/performance on Mac compatible DVD) and arrange to have three letters of recommendation sent to: Dance Search c/o Jo Cannon, Reed College, 3203 SE Woodstock Boulevard, Portland, Oregon 97202, U.S.A.; fax: 503-777-7769. Application materials must be received by November 1, 2009. Applications sent electronically will not be considered.

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