Brooklyn Law School's legal writing program is seeking a one-year Visiting Assistant Professor of Legal Writing. Professor Carrie Teitcher welcomes applications for the one-year Visiting Assistant Professor position for the 2021-2022 academic year. A professor in this position will teach two sections of students in our year-long 1L legal writing program (approximately 20 students per section).

To provide applicants with background about our legal writing program, two years ago, Brooklyn Law School launched our new seven-credit 1L legal writing curriculum, a change from our prior four-credit program. Our fall semester course (which increased from two to three credits) introduces students to the fundamentals of legal research and writing, focusing on objective legal analysis.

In spring of 2020, we launched our brand new 1L legal writing course called Gateway to Lawyering. We offer four subject-matter “Gateways”: (1) Law and Business, (2) Law and Information, (3) Law and Social Justice, and (4) Law and Individual Life. We endeavor to place incoming students in their subject-matter area of preference. Each legal writing professor teaches one of the four Gateway courses. The Visiting Assistant Professor likely would teach the Gateway to Lawyering: Law and Business course. All four “Gateways” follow a similar syllabus progression and assignment/grading model, and offer consistent learning objectives. Teams of legal writing professors within each Gateway choose a statutory framework within the particular subject matter area that students work with throughout the semester. In the spring course, students produce three written works (descriptive, transactional, and persuasive) to advance a client’s interests. Students also learn and develop oral communication skills, including persuasive advocacy.

We welcome entry-level and experienced teachers to apply. Applicants must have a J.D., at least three years of legal practice experience, and experience reviewing and providing written and oral feedback on the legal work of students or junior attorneys. We are looking for innovative, collaborative, and creative educators to join our legal writing team.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, résumé, and a list of three professional references to Professor Carrie Teitcher at carrie.teitcher@brooklaw.edu by Friday, July 16, 2021.

Brooklyn Law School is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, age, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, veteran status, national origin, or any other protected status under local, state, and federal law.

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Job Posting Disclosure Form  
for the Dircon and LRWPROF-L Listservs

At least one option must be checked for each of the four items below; but all options for any item may not be checked to avoid giving a specific answer, or in an effort to avoid specifying a legitimate range. Space is provided for additional textual explanations after each item. The completed form must appear
within the body of an E-mail posting about a posting, and the completed form must be included within the text of any file attachment.

1. The position advertised:
   - a. is a tenure-track appointment.
   - b. may lead to successive long-term contracts of five or more years.
   - c. may lead only to successive short-term contracts of one to four years.
   - d. has an upper-limit on the number of years a teacher may be appointed.
   - e. is part of a fellowship program for one or two years.
   - f. is a part-time appointment, or a year-to-year adjunct appointment.

Additional information about job security or terms of employment, any applicable term limits, and whether the position complies with ABA Standard 405(c): This is a one-year visitor appointment.

2. The professor hired:
   - a. will be permitted to vote in faculty meetings.
   - b. will not be permitted to vote in faculty meetings.

Additional information about the extent of the professor’s voting rights: n/a

3. The school anticipates paying an annual academic year base salary in the range checked below. (A base salary does not include stipends for coaching moot court teams, teaching other courses, or teaching in summer school; a base salary does not include conference travel or other professional development funds.)
   - $120,000 and over
   - $110,000 - $119,999
   - $100,000 - $109,999
   - $90,000 - $99,999
   - $80,000 - $89,999
   - $70,000 - $79,999
   - $60,000 - $69,999
   - $50,000 - $59,999
   - less than $50,000
   - this is a part-time appointment paying less than $30,000
   - this is an adjunct appointment paying less than $10,000

Additional information about base salary or other compensation:

4. The number of students enrolled in each semester of the courses taught by the professor will be:
   - a. 30 or fewer
   - b. 31 - 35
   - c. 36 - 40
   - d. 41 - 45
   - e. 46 - 50
   - f. 51 - 55
   - g. 56 - 60
   - h. more than 60
Additional information about teaching load, including required or permitted teaching outside of the legal research and writing program: