

## Department of English, School of Arts and Sciences Cornerstone Scholars Program, Postdoctoral Fellow

The Department of English at the Catholic University of America (Washington D.C.) invites applications for a three-year position as a Postdoctoral Fellow in the Cornerstone Scholars Program. The Cornerstone Scholars Program is a four-year interdisciplinary academic program that integrates the depth and breadth of the humanities into the fabric of a Catholic University education. The Post Doc will teach a 2/2 course load in the Cornerstone Program (including First Year Composition and Transformative Texts I, a core class focused on great works of literature and themes of citizenship and community) and will work with the Director of the Cornerstone Scholars Program on projects including, but not limited to, advising for Cornerstone Scholars, program and event development for the Cornerstone Residential Community, and program outreach.

Applicants must have earned their Ph.D. in English or a closely related field by June 2022. Successful applicants will have a background in teaching a diverse range of masterworks of literature to undergraduates and demonstrated excellence in teaching writing at the college level. Experience working in a writing program and/or writing center, as well as undergraduate advising is strongly preferred. The Department of English specializes in literary history and aesthetics and is interested in candidates whose work is deeply invested in these approaches. Information about the department is available at <a href="https://english.catholic.edu/">https://english.catholic.edu/</a>.

Send letter of application, C.V., letters of reference, teaching portfolio, and chapter-length writing sample via <u>this application link</u>. Please contact Dr. Ernest Suarez (suarez@cua.edu), Chair of the Department of English of The Catholic University of America, with any questions. Only complete applications will be considered; review of all applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

We seek candidates who understand, are enthusiastic about, and will make a significant contribution to the <u>mission of the University</u>.

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