

Kitt School of Music

ANNOUNCEMENT OF FACULTY POSITION IN PIANO PEDAGOGY (#607071)

POSITION

Assistant Teaching Professor / Lecturer in Piano Pedagogy, non-tenure track, full-time, 9-month appointment. Attractive benefits package. Duties begin August 21, 2023.

DESCRIPTION:

The NAU School of Music seeks a dynamic, creative, collaborative, and dedicated teacher of class piano and piano pedagogy. Responsibilities would include teaching class piano, keyboard harmony, piano pedagogy; coordinating the piano pedagogy/class piano area; and other teaching or performing assignments in the candidate's field of expertise.

Northern Arizona University is a Hispanic-Serving Institution that values cultural and intellectual diversity and strives to become the nation's leading university serving Native Americans. We share an institutional commitment to the advancement and success of Native American and Latinx students, as well as to support efforts promoting justice, equity, diversity and inclusion.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS - Lecturer

- Master's degree in piano pedagogy or related field
- Two years' experience teaching piano pedagogy or class piano

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS - Assistant Teaching Professor

- Doctorate in piano pedagogy or related field
- Two years' experience teaching piano pedagogy or class piano

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Doctorate in piano pedagogy or related field.
- Experience teaching at the university level.
- Experience teaching applied piano.
- Experience performing solo or collaborative piano at a professional level.
- Commitment to working effectively with NAU's diverse faculty, staff, and student populations.

THE INSTITUTION:

The School of Music at Northern Arizona University continues a proud tradition of training the next generation of music teachers, performers, and scholars for the State of Arizona and the Southwestern U.S. Students pursue degrees in music education, performance, choral conducting, instrumental conducting, music theory and composition, musicology, Suzuki violin, and piano accompanying and chamber music.

Northern Arizona University has a student population of 29,569, including approximately 21,000 on its main campus in Flagstaff and the remainder at more than 20 locations statewide and online.

Committed to a diverse and civil working and learning environment, NAU has earned a solid reputation as a university with all the features of a large institution but with a personal touch, with a faculty and staff dedicated to each student's success. All faculty members are expected to promote student learning and help students achieve academic outcomes. While our emphasis is undergraduate education, we offer a wide range of graduate programs and research. Our institution has carefully integrated on-campus education with distance learning, forming seamless avenues for students to earn degrees.

Flagstaff has a population of about 70,000, rich in cultural diversity. Located at the base of the majestic San Francisco Peaks, Flagstaff is 140 miles north of Phoenix at intersection of Interstate 17 and Interstate 40.

Northern Arizona University requires satisfactory results for the following: a criminal background investigation, an employment history verification and a degree verification (in some cases) prior to employment. You may also be required to complete a fingerprint background check. Additionally, NAU is required to participate in the federal E-Verify program that assists employers with verifying new employees' right to work in the United States.

SALARY:

Commensurate with academic qualifications and relevant experience.

DEADLINE:

Review of applications will begin on April 3, 2023, and will continue until position is filled or closed.

APPLICATION:

To apply for this position, please visit nau.edu/hr (faculty position #607071).

Complete the online application and attach the following required materials as pdf or Word documents:

- Cover letter
- CV
- Contact information for five references
- Teaching Statement
- Diversity Statement addressing how your past and/or potential contributions to social justice, diversity, equity, and/or inclusion will advance NAU's commitment to inclusive excellence (750 words max).
- Sample video recordings of recent classroom or private teaching (preferably both)
- Sample video recordings of recent solo and/or collaborative performances
- Please share the teaching and performance video recordings as unrestricted links on platforms such as YouTube, Vimeo, or similar. If possible, include all videos in a playlist that can be accessed with a single link.

If you need assistance completing your application there are instructions available on line at <http://hr.nau.edu> or in person in the Human Resources Department located in Building 91 on the NAU Campus—on the corner of Beaver and DuPont Streets. If you are an individual with a disability and need reasonable accommodation to participate in the hiring process please contact the Affirmative Action Office at 928-523-3312/TDD - 928-523-1006 or PO Box 4083, Flagstaff AZ 86011.

Northern Arizona University is a committed Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution. Women, minorities, veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. NAU is responsive to the needs of dual career couples.