Position Title: Assistant/Associate Professor of Speech Communication

Department: Speech Communication and Theatre Arts

Reports To: Chairperson, Speech Communication and Theatre Arts

General Function: Teach courses and participate in the development of Corporate Communication track curriculum

Examples of Duties and Responsibilities:

- Teach courses each semester in public speaking, interpersonal communication, business and professional speech, communication theory and other specialized areas
- Participate in the development of the emerging Corporate Communication track targeted at adult learners and working professionals
- Coordinate writing across the curricula initiative
- Engage in an active program of scholarship/professional creative endeavors
- Advise students and provide service to the department, university and profession

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

- Successful teaching at the university level and/or comparable professional experience in professional communication
- Demonstrated knowledge of diverse speech communities, including African American communication
- Ability to work with professional colleagues reflecting a variety of approaches to communication, including the integration of technology into teaching

Qualifications: Ph.D. in Speech Communication or related field and three-five years of teaching at the university level teaching and/or comparable experience in professional communication.

Position Start Date: August 2006

Application Deadline: Screening of applications will continue until the position is filled. Send letter of application, current vita, and three letters of reference to: Dr. Cheryl Renee Gooch, Associate Dean, Division of Communication Arts, Clark Atlanta University, 223 James P. Brawley Drive, S.W., Atlanta, GA 30314
Clark Atlanta University
Division of Communication Arts

Position Title: Instructor/Assistant/Associate Professor of Mass Media Arts (2006-2007)
Department: Mass Media Arts
Reports To: Chairperson, Mass Media Arts
General Function: Teach courses within one or more concentrations within the Mass Media Arts curriculum

Examples of Duties and Responsibilities:

• Teach four courses each semester in the areas of broadcast, journalism, filmmaking and/or public relations; occasionally it may be necessary to teach mass communication research and/or survey of mass communications

• Advise students

• Engage in an active program of scholarship/professional and creative activities

• Provide service to the department, university and profession

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

• Strong conceptual and historical grasp of contemporary issues in the intersecting worlds of media and communication

• Successful university level teaching and comparable professional experience in media communication

• Ability to work with professional colleagues reflecting a variety of approaches to communication

Education: Master’s degree in appropriate discipline required, Ph.D. in appropriate discipline preferred.

Years of Experience Required:

• Two to five years of teaching at the university level and/or five to ten years of comparable professional experience

About the University:

Clark Atlanta University is situated in the metropolitan, media-rich state’s capital of Atlanta. The university has nearly 5,000 students. The Department of Mass Media Arts, one of two academic units within the Division of Communication Arts, has more than 800 students in three areas of concentration (Journalism, Radio/TV/Film, Public Relations). In addition to the student-run FM station, the Division consists of a NPR radio station and a cable access station, and provides direct advisement to the Panther Newspaper. The Digital Teleproduction Laboratory provides a stellar technology-enhanced learning environment for students.

Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, transcripts, evidence of quality teaching and/or relevant professional experience, and three letters of recommendation to Dr. Cheryl Renée Gooch, Associate Dean, Division of Communication Arts, Clark Atlanta University, 223 James P. Brawley Drive, S.W., Atlanta, GA. 30314. Screening of applications will continue until the position is filled.