Position Announcement

Western Connecticut State University
School of Visual, Performing, and Communication Arts
Music
Adjunct Teaching Positions
Academic Year 2024-2025

Western Connecticut State University’s Department of Music is pleased to announce applications are being accepted for part-time adjunct teaching positions in Applied Trumpet, Applied Tuba & Euphonium Lessons for the 2024-2025 academic year.

WCSU is committed to enhancing our diverse university community by actively encouraging people with disabilities, members of LGBTQIA and BIPOC communities, veterans, and women to apply. We take pride in our pluralistic community and continue to seek excellence through diversity and inclusion. WCSU is honored to be awarded the federal designation as a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI). This accomplishment marks a pivotal moment in our progress toward fostering diversity, equity, and inclusion within our campus community.

The School of Visual, Performing, and Communication Arts www.wcsu.edu/svpca/ offers a professional training program in a liberal arts context at the relatively affordable cost of a public university. New York City’s proximity means our students receive the benefit of a faculty of nationally recognized artists, directors, designers, performers, and scholars dedicated to teaching a highly diverse student population. The Department of Music offers a variety of degree options: Bachelor of Music in Performance; Bachelor of Music in Audio and Music Production; Bachelor of Science in Music Education; Bachelor of Arts in Music, and a Bachelor of Arts in Popular Music. Detailed information on the department may be found on www.wcsu.edu/music.

Qualifications:
Applied Trumpet Lessons: Candidates must have earned a Master of Music degree (trumpet performance preferred), have experience performing with a variety of ensembles including orchestras and brass quintets, and have at least five years of experience teaching trumpet lessons, preferably at the collegiate level.

Applied Tuba and Euphonium Lessons: Candidates must have earned a Master of Music degree (tuba performance preferred), have experience performing with a variety of ensembles including orchestras and brass quintets, and have at least five years of experience teaching tuba lessons, preferably at the collegiate level.

Salary & Benefits: The current minimum starting salary is $2,026 per load credit (or a minimum of $6,078 for a single 3 credit course). Additional information on benefits can be found at www.wcsu.edu/hr/benefits/. Part-time faculty at WCSU are represented by the American Association of University Professors. WCSU is within walking distance of the Danbury station on the Metro North train. All employment, if offered, is contingent upon proof of citizenship or employability under the requirement of the Immigration and Control Act (IRCA) and the successful passing of a background check. WSCU is committed to providing a safe campus community. Background investigations include reference checks, and a criminal history record check.
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Application Process: Interested applicants should email as attachments the items listed below to the Associate Department Chairperson, Mr. Jamie Begian at begianj@wcsu.edu. In the subject line of your email, please reference “Adjunct Trumpet or Tuba and Euphonium”. Application review will begin immediately and continue until the position(s) are filled. Please submit a cover letter stating your area of specialization and a current curriculum vita/resume, including the names and contact information for three (3) professional references.

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