

Seeking Adjunct (Part-Time) English Language Lecturers for The American Language Institute at NYU Shanghai

NYU Shanghai and the NYU School of Professional Studies are pleased to announce the establishment of the American Language Institute at NYU Shanghai. The American Language Institute (ALI) in New York is one of the first English language centers in the world, offering programs in academic, professional, and comprehensive English. The ALI is expanding its operations abroad, bringing high-quality, rigorous programs to students on site around the world. The first ALI global site, the NYU SPS ALI Tokyo Center, was launched in 2013 in Japan. Building upon this success, The American Language Institute at NYU Shanghai brought sixty years of English language teaching expertise to Shanghai in Fall 2015.

ALI Shanghai offers a range of programs for students, professionals, and the general public. The Academic English Program (AEP) is designed to enable Chinese learners of English to meet US college and graduate school entrance threshold levels of English with academic course offerings as well as a gap-year program. The Professional English Program (PEP) is for professionals aspiring to greater levels of English proficiency in order to more fully and successfully participate in an increasingly globalized business world. The Comprehensive English Program (CEP) helps learners develop general English proficiency and acts as a precursor for those who need to attain the level necessary for the Academic English Program and the Professional English Program.

We are seeking individuals who enjoy the challenge of being part of something new and who are invested in making this entrepreneurial effort a successful enterprise. Adjunct ALI Shanghai language lecturers will be responsible for teaching in one or more of our programs on a part-time basis. (Sample courses for each program are listed below; for a complete listing of courses on offer for current or upcoming sessions, please consult our website.) Those who are interested will also have the opportunity to work with ALI Shanghai full-time faculty and administrators on curricular and program development and on student activities.

Sample ALI Shanghai Course Offerings:

Academic English Program

- Core Reading & Writing and Listening & Speaking courses meet MW or TTH 9:00-12:00
- Courses in pronunciation, grammar, research, and advanced presentation skills meet MW or TTH 13:00-15:00
- Other enrichment courses are offered once a week for two hours in the evening or on weekends. Example courses include the following:
 - Submitting a Successful Graduate or Undergraduate Application
 - Academic English
 - Intercultural Communicative Competence
 - The American University Experience

Professional English Program

PEP courses meet once a week for two hours in the evening or on weekends during regular terms, and two to three times per week in the J-Term. Example courses include the following:

- Pronunciation Practice
- Communicating Effectively in a Global Business World
- Everyday Language: Vocabulary Building and Idioms
- Discussing Global Business Topics
- Writing Clearly and Effectively for the Workplace
- Speaking with Confidence and Fluency
- English Foundations
- English for Hospitality & Tourism
- Everyday Language: Vocabulary Building and Idioms
- Comprehensive English Program

CEP courses meet MW or TTH 10:00 - 12:00

- Elementary Comprehensive English
- Intermediate Comprehensive English

Qualified applicants will

- 1. Have academic English and/or adult professional English teaching experience;
- 2. Possess professional-level English writing and communication skills;
- 3. Have superior proficiency in English;
- 4. Reside in China and possess a Foreign Expert Certificate; and
- 5. Have permission from current employer to seek additional employment.

Priority will be given to candidates who

- Hold a Master's degree in TESOL, applied linguistics, or closely related field;
- Bring innovative and collaborative approaches to their work;
- Have thorough, direct knowledge of American academic and/or business culture;
- Are versatile in teaching students at different proficiency levels;
- Have personal experience learning a foreign language as an adult;

- Have demonstrated successful experience working with Chinese language learners; and
- Are interested in teaching more than one course.

Salary: Adjunct faculty are paid by the course/hour.

Approximate start date: Rolling. Please note that adjunct faculty may be required to participate in certain faculty orientation and on-boarding activities prior to the start of classes, approximately one week before the beginning of the semester.

To apply, submit the following documents to Mr. Luis R. Peña (luis.pena@nyu.edu):

- A cover letter summarizing your qualifications and interest in the position;
- A current résumé or CV; and
- Names and contact information for three (3) references from individuals who are well acquainted with your previous work as a professional EFL/ESL instructor.

About NYU Shanghai:

NYU Shanghai is the newest degree-granting campus within the NYU Global Network University. It is the first Sino-US higher education joint venture to grant a degree that is accredited in the U.S. as well as in China. All teaching is conducted in English. A research university with liberal arts and science at its core, it resides in one of the world's great cities with a vibrant intellectual community. NYU Shanghai recruits scholars who are committed to NYU's global vision of transformative teaching and innovative research.

New York University has established itself as a Global Network University, a multi-site, organically connected network encompassing key global cities and idea capitals. There are three degree-granting campuses: in New York, Shanghai, Abu Dhabi, which are complemented by eleven additional academic centers across five continents. Faculty and students circulate within the network in pursuit of common research interests and cross-cultural, interdisciplinary endeavors, both local and global.

NYU Shanghai is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer/LGBTQ