

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

The American Language Institute (ALI) at NYU Shanghai opened in Fall 2015, bringing over 70 years of English language teaching expertise from the ALI at the NYU School of Professional Studies to Shanghai.

ALI Shanghai offers a range of courses for students, professionals, and the general public. All of our courses help learners to develop communication and critical thinking skills and to achieve their English language proficiency goals. Some courses are specifically designed to enable Chinese learners of English to meet U.S. college and graduate school entrance threshold levels of English while learning about academic culture and expectations in U.S. higher education. Other courses are designed for professionals aspiring to greater levels of English proficiency in order to participate more fully and successfully in an increasingly globalized business world.

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 English language lecturers are responsible for teaching in one or more of our programs on a part-time basis. We are now accepting applications for part-time adjuncts for Fall 2016.

### ALI Shanghai Programs

- **Comprehensive English.** An eight-level program with daytime, evening, and weekend offerings of core reading/writing and listening/speaking courses; elective pronunciation, grammar, research, and advanced presentation skills courses; and specialized skills- and content-based courses. Higher levels focus on academic skills.
- **Professional English.** Evening and weekend courses focusing on general proficiency or specific skills, such as Pronunciation Practice, Communicating Effectively in a Global Business World, Writing Clearly and Effectively for the Workplace, and Speaking with Confidence and Fluency.

### Qualified applicants will

1. Have at least a bachelor's degree (in any discipline) and a certificate in teaching English to speakers of other languages;
2. Have academic English and/or adult professional English teaching experience;
3. Possess demonstrable knowledge, skills, and abilities in lesson planning and teaching English as an additional language;
4. Demonstrate professional-level English writing and communication skills;
5. Have superior proficiency in English;
6. Reside in China and possess a valid Foreign Expert Certificate; and
7. Have permission from their current employer to seek additional employment.

**Priority will be given to candidates who**

- Hold a Master's degree in TESOL, applied linguistics, or a 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 lecturers are paid by the contact hour.

**Application Deadline and Approximate Start Date:** Rolling, with a July 31<sup>st</sup> deadline for priority consideration. The semester begins on September 8 and ends on December 17, 2016.

**To apply,** submit the following documents to Mr. Luis R. Peña at [applyALISH@nyu.edu](mailto:applyALISH@nyu.edu)

- A cover letter summarizing your qualifications, interest in the position, and availability;
- A current résumé or CV;
- A copy of your current Foreign Expert Certificate; 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.

***Incomplete applications will not be considered.***

You should also be prepared to submit a letter from your current employer granting you permission to work for NYU Shanghai part time. Finalists will be required to submit this letter before an official offer can be issued.

**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 US 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, and 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.