



The [Music Department](#) at the University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC) invites applications for a position in sound art and design, computer and electronic music, and interactive performance, at the assistant professor (tenure-track) level. Applicants should be able to contribute to other departments, both at the graduate and undergraduate levels, including Art, Film, Theater Arts, Digital Arts and New Media, and Computer Science (including game design). Candidates should have expertise and a national or international profile in one or more of the following areas: composition in electroacoustic music; audio engineering and sound design; experimental audio and compositional software and hardware development; interactive video and audio installation; and film.

We seek experienced, accomplished artists/scholars preferably with teaching experience at the undergraduate and graduate levels. The successful candidate will be expected to serve as a full member of the Music Department, as well as, when appropriate, to contribute to the graduate programs in Digital Arts and New Media, Film, Art, and Computer Science, and to serve on DMA, Ph.D. and MFA committees in the affiliated programs. The successful candidate must be able to work with students, faculty and staff from a wide range of social and cultural backgrounds. We are especially interested in candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of the academic community.

The campus operates on a schedule of three 11-week quarters per academic year. In accordance with the department's workload policy, music faculty members are required to offer the equivalent of 5 five-unit courses per year; advise and mentor students; actively engage in creative work and research; and actively undertake administrative service for the department, affiliated college, and University.

The Arts Division supports faculty research through the Arts Research Institute <http://artsresearch.ucsc.edu/ari/> and the Arts Dean's Fund for Excellence; the campus supports research and teaching with grants awarded by the Committee on Research, the Committee on Teaching, and other groups.

**RANK:** Assistant Professor

**SALARY:** Commensurate with qualifications and experience

**BASIC QUALIFICATIONS:** Ph.D. or M.F.A. or equivalent degree in Music or in a field related to music technology, or six years of artistic and creative work consisting of a national and/or international record of performances, exhibitions or installations in music venues, museums, galleries and festivals, and demonstrated evidence of scholarship in peer-reviewed journals, web and/or book publications.

**PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:** International artistic/scholarly profile; demonstrated excellence in teaching; university teaching; graduate-level teaching; graduate student supervision and mentoring.

**POSITION AVAILABLE:** July 1, 2014, with academic year beginning September 2014. Position contingent upon final budgetary approval.

**TO APPLY:** Applications are accepted via the UCSC Academic Recruit online system, and must include: 1) letter of application outlining scholarly and creative background as well as current and future research plans; 2) curriculum vitae; 3) one to three writing samples and/or creative works (you may upload PDFs with links); and 4) three confidential letters of recommendation\*. Applicants are invited to submit a statement addressing their contributions to diversity through research, teaching and/or service. All documents/materials must be submitted as PDF files.

Apply at <https://recruit.ucsc.edu/apply/JPF00053>

Refer to Position #**JPF00053-14** in all correspondence.

\*All letters will be treated as confidential per University of California policy and California state law. For any reference letter provided via a third party (i.e., dossier service, career center), direct the author to UCSC's confidentiality statement at <http://apo.ucsc.edu/confstm.htm>

**CLOSING DATE:** Review of applications will begin on October 15, 2013.

To ensure full consideration, applications should be complete, and letters of recommendation received, by this date. The position will remain open until filled, but not later than 6/30/2015.

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UC Santa Cruz faculty make significant contributions to the body of research that has earned the University of California the ranking as the foremost public higher education institution in the world. In the process, our faculty demonstrate that cutting-edge research, excellent teaching and outstanding service are mutually supportive.

The University of California, Santa Cruz is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity Employer, committed to excellence through diversity. We strive to establish a climate that welcomes, celebrates, and promotes respect for the contributions of all students and employees.

Inquiries regarding the University's equal employment opportunity policies may be directed to: Office for Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion at the University of California, Santa Cruz, CA 95064; (831) 459-2686. Under Federal law, the University of California may employ only individuals who are legally able to work in the United States as established by providing documents as specified in the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. Certain UCSC positions funded by federal contracts or sub-contracts require the selected candidate to pass an E-Verify check. More information is available [here](#) or from the Academic Personnel Office (APO) at (831) 459-4300.

As of January, 1, 2014, UCSC will be a [smoke & tobacco-free campus](#)

If you need accommodation due to a disability, please contact the Academic Personnel Office at [apo@ucsc.edu](mailto:apo@ucsc.edu) (831) 459-4300.

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