

**Towson University**  
**College of Fine Arts and Communication**  
**Department of Music**

**Adjunct Instructor in Music History & Culture**

**Position:** Adjunct instructor to teach MUSC 112, “World Music: the Americas, Africa, and West Europe,” during the Fall 2019 semester. Course description: “Traditional and popular music in the Americas, Africa, and West Europe. Different functions and meanings of music in various societies.” MUSC 112 is a core curriculum class (“Global Perspectives” core) populated by non-music majors.

**Qualifications:** Ph.D. in musicology or ethnomusicology preferred, ABD considered. Previous classroom teaching experience at the college/university level desired. Diversity, equity, and inclusion are high priorities for Towson University; applicants must articulate and demonstrate how they address these institutional priorities in all aspects of their teaching and as a faculty colleague.

**Duties:** Teach MUSC 112, “World Music: the Americas, Africa, and West Europe,” Mondays & Wednesdays, 2:00–3:15 p.m., August 26–December 17, 2019. Keep regular office hours for student consultation. Collect and evaluate data necessary for assessment of course learning objectives. Work as a collaborative team member within the Music History and Culture division.

**Application Process:** Review of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Submit an electronic letter of application and a current CV via email to:

Dr. Aaron Ziegel  
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**Department of Music:** The Department of Music ([towson.edu/music](http://towson.edu/music)) is committed to fostering a learning community that mirrors the face of the population surrounding the campus, regionally and statewide. The department enrolls a diverse population of approximately 260 students served by 27 full-time and over 50 part-time faculty. This comprehensive music program offers a variety of concentrations in Bachelors and Masters degrees. The NASM-accredited program is housed in the Center for the Arts.

**Towson University:** Towson University ([towson.edu](http://towson.edu)) was founded in 1866, is recognized by U. S. News and World Reports as one of the top public universities in the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic regions, is Baltimore’s largest university, and is the largest public, comprehensive institution in the University of Maryland System. TU enrolls almost 19,000 undergraduates and over 3,000 graduate students across six academic colleges (business, education, fine arts, health professions, liberal arts, science & mathematics), has over 865 full-time faculty, and offers more than 65 bachelor’s, 45 master’s, and 5 doctoral programs. Our centrally located campus sits on 330 rolling green acres and is 10 miles north of Baltimore, 45 miles north of Washington D.C., and 95 miles south of Philadelphia.

A criminal background investigation is required for the hired candidate and the results may impact employment.

*Towson University is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and has a strong institutional commitment to diversity. Women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and veterans are encouraged to apply.*