

University of South Carolina
Department of English Language and Literature

Assistant Professor of Latinx Literatures and Cultures

The [English Department](#) at the [University of South Carolina](#) seeks a tenure-track Assistant Professor in Latinx Literatures and Cultures. We are open to applications from scholars working in any historical period, genre, and methodology. We are especially interested in scholars working at the intersection of Latinx Studies and other fields, including but not limited to Indigenous Studies, Black Studies, Ecocriticism, Film and Media Studies, Women's and Gender Studies, and Disability Studies. Evidence of the ability to conduct excellent research is essential, and the successful candidate should be prepared to offer courses in the field in our undergraduate and graduate programs (where the teaching load is typically 2/2). PhD must be in hand by August 16, 2022.

All applicants must complete an online application at: <https://uscjobs.sc.edu/postings/108091>. Applicants should submit a letter of application, CV, writing sample (of no more than 30 pages), and the names and email addresses of three reviewers (who will be prompted to submit letters of recommendation directly). The search committee will begin reviewing applications on December 1, 2021, and hopes to conduct first-round interviews in mid-December. Inquiries may be directed to the search committee chair, Anne Gulick, at agulick@mailbox.sc.edu.

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