Adjunct Faculty
Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine
Position Available: Immediately
Posting Date: 07/31/2015
End Date: Open until filled

Maryland University of Integrative Health (formerly Tai Sophia Institute) is the leading academic institution for integrative health in the nation. For nearly 40 years, MUIH has educated and informed leaders in health and wellness through transformative and relationship-centered programs that draw from contemporary science and traditional wisdom. MUIH offers graduate degrees and certificates in a wide range of wellness fields, as well as programs for professional and personal development. MUIH’s on-site Natural Care Center offers compassionate and affordable healthcare from student interns and professional practitioners.

Maryland University of Integrative Health is currently conducting a search for part-time adjunct faculty members to teach the following courses:

History and Classics: Chinese Medicine from the Classical Perspective – Conducted for the evening/weekend program, this course requires a philosophical and scholarly understanding of the Chinese Medical Classics (in particular, the Huang Ti Nei Ching) and an ability to translate this early written text to modern notions of health and wellness. In addition, some knowledge of Chinese characters and their construction is required as well as an understanding of their relevance to Chinese medical concepts.

The Organs of the Body and Patterns of Disharmony – Offered in the evening/weekend program, this course requires a theoretical foundation in the basic elements of Zang/Fu theory, the Patterns of Disharmony, and 8 principle theory. All candidates must have clinical experience with the application of this theory.

Chinese Medical Physiology I – This course designed for acupuncture students prior to entry into the herbal program covers the Zang organ functions, the substances, the 8 principle categories, and the signs and symptoms of the Chinese herbal categories. Certification in both acupuncture and Chinese herbal medicine is required. This course is offered on two consecutive weekends, all day Saturday and Sunday, September 26, 27 and October 3, 4.

Responsibilities/Duties
Responsibilities/duties include, but are not limited to:
• Teach (including all responsibilities associated with teaching) assigned courses
• Assess student learning outcomes
• Grade and review assignments
• Monitor student progress and grades
• Prepare and duplicate student materials
• Collaborate with the Division Chair and Academic Director
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• Participate in faculty meetings
• Coach/advise students as required
• Perform other duties as assigned

Qualifications
• Master’s degree or higher in Acupuncture or Oriental Medicine
• A minimum of 2 years of experience teaching in a postsecondary, academic institution
• Demonstrated high level of competency in the required subject area
• Desire to engage in activities that are needed for an expanding curriculum
• Superior interpersonal and communication skills (both written and oral)

To apply
Interested individuals should forward a) a letter of interest listing desired course or courses, b) CV/resume, c) a minimum of 3 references, and d) any student evaluations from courses taught in the last 5 years to our Office of Human Enrichment at jobs@muih.edu, referencing “1530 – AOM Adjunct Faculty” in the subject line of the email.