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Faculty Position in Political Science/International Relations

JOB DETAILS			
Position Title:	Faculty Position in Political Science/International Relations	Grade	
Department/Division:	Liberal Arts		
Reports to:	Chair of Department		
Supervises:	None		
Last Updated on:	November 20, 2026		

RIT Dubai is currently seeking applications from exceptional candidates for an Assistant Professor of Teaching in Political Science/International Relations for Fall 2027. RIT Dubai is looking for a highly qualified, motivated, and enthusiastic individual.

Required Qualifications:

* PhD in Political Science/International Relations from an accredited university.
* Previous teaching experience at the undergraduate level.
* Ability to teach a wide range of Political Science and International Relations courses offered within the Minor in International Relations and the Political Science Immersion. Priority will be given to the following courses, while remaining open to other offerings:
  - ANTH 365 – Culture and Politics in the Middle East
  - POLS 220 – Global Political Economy
  - POLS 280 – AI and the Political Good
  - POLS 325 – International Law and Organizations
  - POLS 330 – Human Rights in Global Perspective
  - POLS 351 – Politics of China
* Excellent communication skills.

Application Process:

Please note – this job posting will close on January 1, 2027.

Email your application to careersdubai@rit.edu. The email subject line must include your name and the position you are applying for. Submit the following items as part of your application:

- Resume or CV;
- Teaching statement; detail the methodology and/or general teaching philosophy of the candidate's pedagogy.
- Cover letter detailing your technical/professional and teaching achievements, how these address the required and preferred qualifications for the position, and which course/s of the list you intend to teach.
- Names, e-mail addresses and phone numbers of three references.
- Candidates are also required to send a 2-minute introduction video as part of their initial application. The video can be recorded from their phone and/or Zoom/Teams. This video must be sent via email and/or via WeTransfer (with the same subject line as the application email: full name and position you are applying for). The requirements are as follows:
  - Video length must not exceed 2 minutes

- Candidate is required to introduce himself/herself by including: relevant qualifications and professional experience as it relates to the role
- Candidate must state the courses in Political Science/International Relations that he/she has previously taught and what courses in the International Relations Minor and Political Science Immersion he/she would like to teach.
- Candidate may include any other information related to their motivation in applying for the role

Application review will begin immediately and continue until a candidate is selected. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. For more information, please visit the RIT Dubai website at www.dubai.rit.edu.