



**Assistant Professor of Piano Pedagogy and Music Education
School of Music
Position Announcement**

POSITION:

Assistant Professor of Piano Pedagogy and Music Education. Tenure track position in the School of Music. Salary is commensurate with qualifications. Beginning date: August 2010.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Assignments may include teaching group piano and pedagogy courses, teaching undergraduate/graduate courses in music education (on rotation), administering piano proficiency requirements, and serving as an advisor and member of Master's degree research paper/thesis/recital abstract committees. Other teaching responsibilities will be dependent on candidate's areas of expertise and departmental need. Maintain a portfolio of research/creative activities and participate in service responsibilities as required.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Doctoral degree in Piano Pedagogy or Music Education with evidence of degree completion by August 1, 2010 required. Evidence of successful college/university teaching is also required. In addition, preference will be given to candidates with Master's degree in opposite aforementioned field as well as experience in group piano/pedagogy courses, a background in music education or a record of accomplishment in music education research. Pre-employment background checks are required.

DEPARTMENT:

The School of Music (www.uni.edu/music) includes 36 full-time faculty, 13 adjunct instructors and approximately 300 undergraduate and graduate majors. It is fully accredited by the National Association of Schools of Music and offers the following degrees: B.A. (Music); B.M. (Music Education, Composition-Theory, and Performance); M.M. (Music Education, Performance, Conducting, Composition, Music History, Piano Performance and Pedagogy, and Jazz Pedagogy); and M.A. (liberal arts); and Artist Diplomas. Housed in the newly renovated Russell Hall and the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center, the School of Music has a successful and outstanding faculty with active teaching, research, service and performance portfolios.

UNIVERSITY AND COMMUNITY:

The University of Northern Iowa is one of three state-supported universities in the Iowa Regents system. UNI is located in Cedar Falls, just west of Waterloo. <http://www.uni.edu/infosys/community.shtml>. The two cities, with a combined population of 120,000, offer a welcome setting for just over 13,000 students and 1850 faculty and staff. UNI is a smoke free campus. The University of Northern Iowa has a reputation for providing exceptional undergraduate education, as well as complementary programs at the master's, specialist, and doctoral levels. Building on its historic excellence in teacher education, the university has developed outstanding programs in business, natural sciences, humanities and fine arts, and social and behavioral sciences. The metropolitan area of Cedar Falls and Waterloo has excellent educational, cultural, medical and recreational programs and facilities. The UNI campus is approximately four hours by car from Minneapolis/St. Paul and five hours from Chicago and Kansas City.

APPLICATION:

Send applications to:

Music Education/Piano Pedagogy Search Committee
University of Northern Iowa
School of Music – 115 Russell Hall
Cedar Falls IA 50614-0246
319/273-2024, (www.uni.edu/music)

Please submit a letter of application, current vita, official transcripts for all degrees, three recent letters of recommendation, and contact information of at least three additional references. Please include e-mail addresses, phone numbers and current addresses of all six references. Also include a sample of recent scholarly writings, a DVD of teaching episodes, and an audio recording of piano performance, solo and/or collaborative. Include a self-addressed stamped envelope if you wish to have your publications/recordings returned. The School of Music encourages applications from persons of color, women, persons living with disabilities, and veterans. Applications received by March 1, 2010 will be given full consideration.

The University is an Equal Opportunity Employer with a comprehensive plan for affirmative action.