

## Announcement of Communication & Design Faculty Positions for Fall 2020 Communication & Design Program School of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences – Habib University

The Communication & Design program at Habib University invites applications for open rank faculty positions in the areas of media content management and planning, social media and web content management, digital strategy, journalism, public relations, brand management, marketing communications, graphic design and film. Industry experience a strong plus. Relevant previous academic or administrative experience involving interdisciplinary work within a liberal arts context also preferred at the rank of full Professor. Familiarity with Islamic Arts and aesthetics, the history of South Asia and media in emerging markets are all assets. Additionally, a strong background in human-centered design theory and experience with interdisciplinary pedagogy and experience building partnerships and collaborations with designers, industry leaders and creative and artistic thinkers are also important assets.

The start date for positions is August 2020 for Fall. Depending on credentials and experience, candidates will be considered at the Lecturer, Assistant Professor or Associate Professor ranks as appropriate.

Successful candidates will teach courses and help shape academic pathways at the undergraduate level. For Lecturers the annual teaching load is 6 three-credit courses and for Assistant and Associate Professors the annual teaching load is 5 three-credit courses.

Located in the world's third largest city - Pakistan's highly affordable, bustling, diverse and dynamic artistic, commercial and intellectual capital of Karachi, Habib University opened its award-winning modern campus in fall 2014 as Pakistan's first university of liberal arts and sciences devoted exclusively to undergraduate education. Classes are typically under 25 students - allowing close interaction between students and faculty. The University prides itself both on its needs-blind admissions policy – assuring access to all qualified students - and the quality and dedication of its increasingly diverse international faculty - over 93% of whom hold advanced degrees from leading global institutions. The University also enjoys close connections with several prominent institutions of higher education in the U.S., including the Claremont Colleges, Stanford, UC Berkeley, the University of Michigan and Texas A&M. An innovation in Pakistani higher education, Habib University is also among a handful of global institutions actively rethinking what defines the liberal arts and sciences in the 21st Century.

Qualified applicants should submit a letter of interest, a current curriculum vitae and the names and contact information for at least three references via the University's online application portal.

Program-related queries may be directed to the Program Director for C&D Dr. Susan Pak at <a href="mailto:susan.pak@ahss.habib.edu.pk">susan.pak@ahss.habib.edu.pk</a>. Recruitment-related queries may be directed to <a href="mailto:academic@habib.edu.pk">academic@habib.edu.pk</a>.