

Assistant Professor of Comparative Politics

The American University of Paris invites applications for a full-time position in the Department of History and Politics at the rank of Assistant Professor, beginning 1 August 2024.

Qualifications: A PhD in Political Science is required by the date of appointment. Applicants should combine a dynamic research agenda with a commitment to teaching in a Liberal Arts institution. The appointment includes teaching introductory and advanced courses in comparative politics and political economy. The successful candidate will also develop courses that align with her/his/their scholarly interests and have the opportunity to collaborate with AUP's interdepartmental research centers.

Applicants should include samples of recent scholarship (journal articles, chapters, published or in manuscript form) with their applications.

We invite and encourage women and underrepresented populations to apply. The University is an equal-opportunity employer for whom diversity is an essential source of vitality and strength.

The Institution: Founded in 1962, The American University of Paris (AUP) is a small, undergraduate and Masters degree-granting institution with a Liberal Arts core, dedicated to the advancement of the Arts & Sciences in an international and multicultural environment. AUP brings together the values of the American higher education system with its location in Paris and Europe. Located at the crossroads of American and European institutions of higher education and research, AUP facilitates its faculty's development of an international and stimulating professional network. The Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools accredits AUP in the United States of America. AUP has cooperative agreements with USA and European-based universities.

The Department: Dedicated to international and interdisciplinary research, the History and Politics department integrates the study of Politics, History, Law, and Philosophy. It houses six majors: International and Comparative Politics; Philosophy, Politics & Economics; History; History, Law, and Society; Philosophy; Middle East Pluralities. Along with eight minors and dynamic MA programs.

<https://www.aup.edu/academics/departments/history-and-politics>

<https://www.aup.edu/academics/undergraduate/majors/international-comparative-politics>

<https://www.aup.edu/academics/undergraduate/majors/philosophy-politics-economics>

Responsibilities:

- The teaching load is six courses per academic year
- Teaching responsibilities will primarily be focused in the department's International and Comparative Politics curriculum
- Professional mentorship is an important component of our work with students
- Commitment to scholarship, excellence in teaching, integrative learning
- Service to the department (contributing to curricular development and innovation, collegial behavior, advising students)
- Willingness to provide service to the university (participation in committee work, assessment, interdisciplinary collaboration)
- Participating in faculty governance, including attending full faculty, department, and committee meetings
- Working in a professional and collegial manner with the university community

- Maintaining compliance with policies and procedures in the Faculty Manual

Faculty at AUP must have a commitment to liberal arts education in a highly international environment and pursue international research and scholarship. We seek engaged scholars and have high expectations of teaching and scholarly research.

Applications: Please submit your application <http://apply.interfolio.com/133004> including:

- cover letter
- curriculum vitae
- statement of pedagogical philosophy with evidence of teaching effectiveness
- statement of research interests
- writing samples of recent scholarship
- three confidential letters of reference

The search committee will begin reviewing applications on 15 December 2023. We expect to interview long-listed candidates in January 2024. The search will continue until the position is filled.