About the Faculty of Architecture & Design (ARCHIDES) at Azm University

As a new academic Faculty, ARCHIDES is committed to a learning environment that is built on a culture of inquiry, discovery, and entrepreneurship that enables the development of a particular design praxis and consequently of a breed of designers and architects who are capable to address emerging issues/problems by having access to the necessary most up-to-date set of theoretical and practical knowledge.

Such an outlook is based on a conscious positioning of our future graduates on the boundaries of the professional practice where socially and environmentally driven innovations are required. We expect our body of academic staff and students to be open minded, energetic, and experimental. ARCHIDES is committed to hiring academicians who want to work in a high performing culture that promotes the outstanding work of its faculty and students.

Open Faculty Positions

Assistant or Associate Professor of Architecture & Design

Beginning Academic Year 2019-2020

A full-time faculty position is available at the Faculty of Architecture & Design for a highly qualified individual. Teaching responsibilities will involve instruction in design studios and lectures in the theories of contemporary architecture. Applicants are also expected to demonstrate experience in a student-centered pedagogy with a research work compelled by environmental and social concerns of the local context. Given the young age of the Faculty, the applicant needs to show how he/she would contribute to building a dynamic, interdisciplinary, and innovation-driven environment at Azm with prospective international network with renowned programs.

Candidates should be architects holding a graduate degree in an applicable Architecture discipline with a minimum of seven (7) years of relevant academic experience and research work in Design and theories of Contemporary Architecture. The application should highlight the way design activity is approached as a creative and reflective process that is engaged in scholarly work and inquiry and the ways in which it contributes to the advancement of knowledge in Architecture. Candidates should have a respected record of practice, research and publication, and/or creative work.

A PhD degree is desirable, but not required.

Ranking shall be based on credentials.

Applications must include the following, in order to be considered:

- 1- a letter of interest that expands on teaching philosophy/approach, research objectives and outlook, and the value addition to ARCHIDES,
- 2- an up-to-date curriculum vita with a copy of the degrees in HE.
- 3- a hyperlink to a portfolio comprising the applicant's scholarly design work, student's design work, Contemporary Architecture Theory course file- alternatively a CDROM is acceptable,
- 4- three samples of publication work, and
- 5- the names and contact details of at least three references within the academic field.

Consideration of the received applications will begin as of May 1st, 2019 and will continue until the position is filled. Shortlisted candidates are expected to be invited for an interview. The proposed starting date for the position is September 1st, 2019.

Interested candidates are requested to apply on "Assistant or Associate Professor of Architecture and Design" job opening on our careers page by following the below link: http://www.azmuniversity.edu.lb/job-

<u>vacancies/vacancies</u>. All applications will be treated with high confidentiality. Azm University is an equal opportunity employer.