

Position Announcement

Western Connecticut State University
Macricostas School of Arts & Sciences
Computer Science
Adjunct Teaching Positions
Academic Year 2024-2025

Western Connecticut State University's Department of Computer Science is pleased to announce applications are being accepted for part-time adjunct teaching positions for the 2024-2025 academic year.

WCSU is committed to enhancing our diverse university community by actively encouraging people with disabilities, members of LGBTQIA and BIPOC communities, veterans, and women to apply. We take pride in our pluralistic community and continue to seek excellence through diversity and inclusion. WCSU is honored to be awarded the federal designation as a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI). This accomplishment marks a pivotal moment in our progress toward fostering diversity, equity, and inclusion within our campus community.

The Macricostas School of Arts and Sciences www.wcsu.edu/sas/ is home to nine (9) departments offering 16 undergraduate majors www.wcsu.edu/sas/undergraduate-study/ and four (4) graduate majors www.wcsu.edu/sas/graduate-degrees/ that offer a variety of ways for students to further their education. The Computer Science department offers a variety of degree options: The Computer Science department offers an ABET accredited Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science, a Bachelor of Arts degree in Applied Computing and a Master of Science degree in Artificial Intelligence. Detailed information on the department may be found on www.wcsu.edu/cs/

Course Information & Qualifications:

Introduction to Programming with Python: This position is for teaching CS 140 "Introduction to Programming". The sections are scheduled for Tuesday & Friday 11:00 am to 12:40 pm and Tuesday and Friday 3:30 pm to 5:10 pm. Candidates must possess a master's degree in computer science or a closely related discipline and have industry experience in programming in Python. Prior university teaching experience is desired. Candidates must be able to teach in-person on-campus during normal business hours (this is not a remote teaching opportunity).

Data Modeling and Database Design with PostgreSQL: This position is for teaching CS 205 "Data Modeling and Database Design". The section is scheduled for Tuesday and Friday 5:30 to 7:10 pm. Candidates must possess a master's degree in computer science or a closely related discipline and have extensive industry experience in database development with PostgreSQL. Additional software engineering experience will be an advantage. Prior university teaching experience is desired. Candidates must be able to teach in-person on-campus (this is not a remote teaching opportunity).

Computer Organization and Architecture: This position is for teaching CS 215 "Computer Organization and Architecture". The section is scheduled for Tuesday and Friday 11:00 am to 12:40 pm. Candidates must possess a master's degree in computer science or a closely related discipline and have significant industry or



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academic experience in computer organization and architecture, including digital logic, Boolean algebra, and assembly language programming. Prior university teaching experience is desired. Candidates must be able to teach in-person on-campus during normal business hours (this is not a remote teaching opportunity).

Salary & Benefits: The current minimum starting salary is \$2,026 per load credit (or a minimum of \$6,078 for a single 3 credit course). Additional information on benefits can be found at www.wcsu.edu/hr/benefits/. Part-time faculty at WCSU are represented by the American Association of University Professors. WCSU is within walking distance of the Danbury station on the Metro North train. All employment, if offered, is contingent upon proof of citizenship or employability under the requirement of the Immigration and Control Act (IRCA) and the successful passing of a background check. WSCU is committed to providing a safe campus community. Background investigations include reference checks, and a criminal history record check.

Application Process: Interested candidates should e-mail a cover letter, curriculum vitae/resume and one or more sample syllabi to Dr. Gancho Ganchev at ganchevg@wcsu.edu. In the subject line, please reference "Computer Science Adjunct." Application review will begin immediately and continue until the position(s) are filled.

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