

**Valdosta State University
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ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANCY**

**Department of Music
Assistant Professor – Voice (Tenor/Baritone/Bass)**

Valdosta State University announces the availability of a ten-month tenure-track position in the Department of Music beginning August 1, 2010.

DUTIES: The Assistant Professor of Voice will teach undergraduate and graduate courses in applied voice and other courses in the voice area; maintain an active program of vocal performance, research and scholarly activities; serve on committees and perform other appropriate university and professional service. Additional duties will be assigned appropriate to the candidate's expertise.

QUALIFICATIONS: Tenor, baritone, or bass candidates are preferred. A doctoral degree in voice is required. The candidate must have a record of excellence in college or university teaching and a record of creative activities and service. In addition to outstanding performance ability, preference will be given to candidates who show evidence of strong vocal pedagogy and excellent recruiting skills.

RANK AND SALARY: Appointment as Assistant Professor, tenure track. Salary is commensurate with experience and credentials.

APPLICATION: Review of application materials will begin November 1, 2009, and continue until the position is filled. A complete dossier will consist of a letter of application, a VSU faculty application which is available at http://www.valdosta.edu/academic/documents/Faculty_Employment_APP.pdf, a curriculum vita, a list and contact information (phone and email) of five professional references, and transcripts of all college work. Additional supporting materials may be required of finalists.

The Valdosta State University Department of Music (<http://www.valdosta.edu/music>) is a fully accredited member of the National Association of Schools of Music. With a faculty of 28 artist-teachers, it offers a comprehensive music program whose faculty and students present over 200 performances each year.

VSU is an equal opportunity educational institution. Review of completed applications begins November 1, 2009, position remains open until filled.

Applications and credentials should be addressed to:

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