

The Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies at the University of Waterloo is accepting applications for the position of **Lecturer (limited term appointment of two years, possibly renewable for a two-year period) in Russian with a specialization in language teaching and acquisition**. The successful candidate will preferably have a PhD in hand by the time the appointment begins on 1 September 2012. Duties include teaching at the undergraduate level and a leading role in program development (specifically language studies for elementary, intermediate, and advanced learners of Russian, and cultural studies courses taught in English). An ability and interest in online course development is an asset as is the ability to teach other Slavic languages.

Russian studies at the University of Waterloo are undergoing a period of redevelopment following the retirement of core faculty members. The Department of Germanic and Slavic Studies also offers programs leading to the BA, MA, and PhD in German and courses in Dutch, Croatian, and Polish, applied language studies, and visual studies. The University of Waterloo, rated the most innovative university in Canada for many years running, is located in one of the fastest growing regions of the country.

Salary range commensurate with qualifications and experience. The closing date for applications is **30 November 2011**. Applications, including a cover letter, curriculum vitae, evidence of teaching ability and innovation, and letters from three referees, should be sent **in electronic format only** directly to

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All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Waterloo encourages applications from all qualified individuals, including women, members of visible minorities, native peoples, and persons with disabilities.