

University of Houston Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design

Director of Graduate Studies

**Description**

The Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design, University of Houston seeks a full time, associate or full professor as Director of Graduate Studies, to be appointed with tenure. The college offers professional and non-professional degree programs in architecture including the Master of Architecture, the Master of Science in Architecture, the Master of Arts in Architectural Studies, and the Master of Science in Industrial Design.

The Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design at the University of Houston is located just southeast of downtown Houston, Texas—the fourth largest city in the United States. With a growing population, an international outlook, and a bustling economy, Houston provides a fertile environment to understand the challenges of designing in a contemporary global city, while its vibrant professional community offers incomparable employment opportunities for graduates of our programs.

**Responsibilities**

The college seeks a candidate with vision and strong leadership skills to oversee the strategic growth and diversification of the existing programs and to work with the faculty to develop new degree directions. We are seeking candidates who value collaboration, scholarship, and ‘making’ with an ability to direct the multiple degree programs while pursuing and promoting research and design excellence. The appointee will perform the duties of a tenured member of the faculty, contribute to the intellectual life of the college and administer all functions related to graduate studies. The director of graduate studies will have the opportunity to develop new degree programs and build other areas of advanced study.

**Qualifications**

Qualified candidates must hold at least one degree in Architecture and/or Design at the graduate or undergraduate level. Candidates must hold a Master’s degree or PhD in a design-related field. Experience must be demonstrated with an exemplary and extensive record of leadership, professional practice, scholarship, publications, and teaching recognized at the national and international level. Rank and salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

**Application Process**

Submit application to: <http://jobs.uh.edu/postings/28411>

Only electronic applications will be accepted. Applicants should provide the following: a letter of intent responding to the outlined duties and qualifications, curriculum vitae, work and publication samples with candidate’s role or responsibility indicated, and contact information for three references.

Application review will begin January 30, 2016 and will continue until the position is filled. The successful applicant is expected to start August 2016. For more information about the Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design, please visit: [www.arch.uh.edu](http://www.arch.uh.edu).

*The University of Houston is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer and is strongly and actively committed to diversity within its community. Women, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.*