The Department of Romance Languages and Literatures invites applications for a Professor of the Practice/Lecturer in Italian. Responsibilities include supervising multiple sections of first and second-year language and culture classes, assisting in the training, supervision, and mentoring of graduate student teaching assistants and first-year lecturers, and periodically teaching a graduate course in foreign language pedagogy and methodology.

Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrated excellence in teaching, prior coordinating or administrative experience, familiarity with a range of language-teaching methodologies, including technology-related pedagogy and pedagogy through theatre, and experience in curriculum development and assessment. Native or near-native proficiency in Italian, minimum of five years of experience teaching at the university level and PhD or equivalent are required; knowledge of Latin and/or another Romance language highly desirable.

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For consideration, please send letter of application, full curriculum vitae, teaching evaluations, and three current letters of recommendation addressing teaching and administrative experience to Professor Theodore J. Cachey, Jr., Chair, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN 46556 by November 15. The University of Notre Dame is an affirmative action employer with a strong commitment to fostering a culturally diverse atmosphere for faculty, staff, and students. Women, minorities, persons with disabilities and those attracted to a university with a Catholic identity are encouraged to apply. Information about Notre Dame, including our mission statement, is available at http://www.nd.edu; for the department and Italian program, see http://romancelanguages.nd.edu.