

**PRINTER-IN-RESIDENCE  
UNIVERSITY OF IOWA CENTER FOR THE BOOK (UICB)**

The University of Iowa Center for the Book invites applications for a Printer-in-Residence position for the academic year 2007-08. A certificate-granting graduate program that also serves undergraduates, the UICB seeks a fine letterpress printer for a nine-month academic appointment starting August 2007. Responsibilities include teaching two courses (one in the fall and one in the spring), completed production of a proposed fine press or artist's book edition while in residence (two copies of which will go to the Center), production of ephemera or other short projects with student assistance, and studio oversight. The applicant should have an MFA or equivalent, significant letterpress printing experience, and a substantial fine press literary or artist's book exhibition or publication record. The printer-in-residence will be provided a Vandercook SP-20 press, storage and work space within a studio shared among UICB adjunct instructors, as well as a project budget to assist in financing the proposed book project. Teaching experience required, and knowledge of Vandercook operation and general maintenance required. Experience with academic teaching, polymer plate production, and nontraditional relief print processes desired.

Salary for nine-month appointment: \$36,000, with health and dental insurance. The University of Iowa is an Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action employer. Women and minorities are strongly encouraged to apply. Please send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, a book proposal (including a detailed project description, estimated edition size, and production schedule with timeline for completion), a portfolio of personal work (slides or cd accepted, 20 images maximum), images of student work if available, and the names of three professional references, to Matthew P. Brown, Printer-in-Residence Search Committee, 308 EPB, University of Iowa, Iowa City, 52242. Applications received by May 10, 2007 will be given priority, with review continued until position is filled.

UICB press facilities: two letterpress studios, one used as a classroom and a second for professional and advanced student work. There are three SP20's, an SP 15 and a Universal 1; an assortment of monotype book faces, wood display type, photopolymer plate maker, and wash out unit. The letterpress shop also has a computer lab with 5 iMacs, a black and white laser printer, and a large format color inkjet printer. There is a well-equipped student bindery and student papermaking facility.

For more information about the UICB, visit our website at:  
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