
Rank: Assistant Professor, Director of Choral Activities. Conduct multiple choirs. Teach undergraduate courses in music education (may include choral methods, choral conducting, choral literature, and/or relevant pedagogies), teach relevant applied studio and assist in vocal master class. Assist in the administration of music student teachers (including placement, observation, and evaluation). Other duties typically include: annual choir tours, hosting PMEA District 5 Honors Chorus, and work with the Chapel Office concerning selected Sunday Vespers and Christmas Vespers services. Quality piano skills are necessary. Show evidence of 1) ensemble conducting, and 2) individual vocal performance. Recruit students for applied studio(s) and for the School of Music needs. Required: doctorate and minimum of three years of successful, full-time teaching experience at the K-12 level, and evidence of potential for significant scholarly and/or creative work.

A coeducational, national liberal arts institution with historical ties to the Presbyterian Church (USA), Westminster’s strong tradition of excellent liberal arts education is the foundation for its innovative, multi-pronged educational programs. The College has been recognized for its outstanding graduation rates, civic engagement, undergraduate research in all fields, and women in STEM. Nearly 1,300 undergraduate and graduate students benefit from individualized attention from dedicated faculty while choosing from 41 majors and nearly 100 organizations on the beautiful Western Pennsylvania campus, located within easy driving distance of both Pittsburgh and Cleveland.

Application Deadline: Immediately until filled. Interviews to be held prior to the end of this academic year. E-mail letter of interest, curriculum vitae, philosophy of teaching statement, three current letters of recommendation, list of five references (with addresses, e-mail, and phone information), degree transcripts, and web links of live, unedited performances both as an ensemble conductor and as an individual performer from within the last three years to: Dr. Daniel Perttu, Chair, School of Music, perttude@westminster.edu. DVD’s of performances may be accepted if web links are not available. Items that must be mailed may be mailed to Dr. Daniel Perttu, Chair, School of Music, Westminster College, 319 S. Market Street, New Wilmington, PA 16172. EOE.