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**Assistant Professor/Technical Director-Designer
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Tenure-track Assistant Professor/Technical Director-Designer to start August 2008. Duties: (1) teach courses in stagecraft, lighting/sound technology and related subjects, (2) plan and implement all technical aspects of productions, (3) share design assignments with other faculty. In addition, (4) train, schedule and supervise student and volunteer crews, and (5) maintain physical plant, equipment and tools of performance venues, shops and storage spaces. Qualifications: MFA in theatre technology and design; knowledge of CAD, stage carpentry, metal working/welding, stage machinery, rigging, safety, budgeting/cost analysis, time and personnel management, production scheduling, stage electric and lighting systems; excellent interpersonal communication and collaboration skills. Compensation commensurate with qualifications, excellent benefit package, computer start-up fund, professional mentoring program, and funding in support of professional development. To apply, send a letter outlining and providing specific evidence of qualifications, a resume, CD/DVD with sample portfolio, and arrange for three original letters of recommendation to be sent to: Professor M.C. Friedrich, Chair, Technical Director Search Committee, Visual and Performing Arts, Michigan Technological University, 1400 Townsend Drive, Houghton, Michigan, 49931 (mcfriedr@mtu.edu, 906/4878-3284). MTU is an equal opportunity educational institution/equal opportunity employer.