

**Case Western Reserve University  
Department of English**

**Shirley Wormser Professor in Journalism and Media Writing**

The Department of English in the College of Arts and Sciences at Case Western Reserve University seeks applicants for the Shirley Wormser Professorship in Journalism and Media Writing, beginning in AY 2010/2011. The purpose of this Chair is to promote the practical and theoretical knowledge needed for graduates to enter the new worlds of writing that will characterize the 21st Century. In reviewing recommendations we will be particularly looking for individuals with a national reputation for media writing, who will be able to provide our students (directly and through their leadership) with the practical and theoretical knowledge necessary to a career in new media. Advanced degree with open specialization in the field of journalism and emerging media preferred; relevant professional and teaching experience required. Applicants should be qualified for appointment at the level of associate professor or above (candidates for associate professor should have a substantial publication record and a national reputation; those for professor should have a distinguished record of publication and evidence of sustained research in their field). Teaching load 2-2. Electronic applications (consisting of a letter of application and a CV) to Mary Grimm, Chair at [wormsersearch@case.edu](mailto:wormsersearch@case.edu). Other correspondence to Mary Grimm, Chair, English Department, Case Western Reserve University, 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44106-7117. Deadline for applications: November 1, 2009. Case Western Reserve University is committed to diversity and is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. Applications from women and members of minority groups are particularly encouraged.