Visiting Instructional Track

Appointees to this title *must* have employment responsibilities with another institution of higher education and are usually on leave from that institution. (e.g. here for a six month sabbatical.)

Visiting Assistant Professor: This is the rank appropriate to a person who has demonstrated competence in teaching and scholarly activity, but has yet to achieve exceptional status as a teacher or regional/national recognition in their professional field. Persons who have begun to publish scholarly work and/or who may have had teaching responsibilities (e.g., seminars, bedside instruction, small group interactions, and/or didactic activities) before their initial faculty appointment, may begin their faculty careers at the rank of Visiting Assistant Professor.