

FACULTY OF SOCIAL WORK Assistant Professor Calgary

The Faculty of Social Work invites applications for a tenure-track academic position at the Assistant Professor rank on its Calgary campus. Candidates must possess a doctorate (or near completion), at least one degree in social work (or equivalent), refereed scholarly publications, direct social work practice experience, post-secondary teaching experience and a demonstrated capacity to work effectively in a collaborative environment. Experience in distance and technology-mediated teaching and learning will be an asset in this competition.

We are specifically seeking faculty to teach in both our undergraduate and graduate programs. To complement our Faculty's research and programming priorities, candidates should have subject expertise in one or more aspects of: leadership in the non-profit/voluntary sector or social services administration, and/or health & mental health policy and practice.

Rank and salary for this position is at the **Assistant Professor** level, however, where qualifications and previous academic experience warrant, consideration will be given at a higher rank. The Faculty is committed to increasing racial, cultural, ethnic and gender diversity in its staff complement and therefore encourages applications that would support this commitment.

The University of Calgary is a young, dynamic, comprehensive research university. The Faculty of Social Work is researchintensive, supporting inter-professional and community-based enquiry from multiple perspectives in the generation and application of knowledge to social and individual change. The Faculty is the sole provider of social work degrees in Alberta with offices in Calgary (main campus), Edmonton (Central and Northern Alberta) and Lethbridge (Southern Alberta) and serves approximately 230 BSW students, 204 MSW students and 36 PhD students at the Calgary campus.

The competition will remain open until qualified applicants have been chosen; recruitment activities will commence immediately with appointment date to coincide with the beginning of either the academic Fall or Winter Sessions over the next two years. Ideally, the chosen candidate will start in Fall 2011. Information about our programs may be found on the Faculty of Social Work web site: www.fsw.ucalgary.ca.

Applications should include a statement that explains how the applicant's program of research and publication record, and teaching and social work practice experience qualifies the individual for this position. Please send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, sample of published work, sample course outline, and names and contact information of three referees to:

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All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Calgary respects, appreciates, and encourages diversity.