

Assistant/Associate Professor Tenure Track, Academic Year School of Social Work

The School of Social Work seeks Candidates for Assistant/Associate Professor. This is a tenure-track, academic year position with responsibilities in the BSW and MSW programs.

Qualifications: Ph.D. in social work or related field; MSW degree; two years post-MSW professional practice experience; knowledge and expertise in social work macro practice; demonstrated potential to maintain an active program of scholarly research and grant writing; and the ability to work with diverse groups, including students, faculty, community groups and business leaders. Additionally for rank of Associate Professor: six years of university teaching experience; research and publications record appropriate for the rank of associate professor; and successful grant writing experience. Preferred qualifications: experience in community practice and development in urban and rural contexts; experience in international micro-economic and community development; knowledge of and commitment to social and economic justice; and excellent interpersonal, oral and written communication skills.

Responsibilities: Teach in both the BSW and MSW programs; teach courses in the areas of administration, community practice and/or social welfare policy; serve as a faculty liaison for field education courses; student advising; participate in school, college and university service assignments; maintain an active research agenda; sustain productivity in research and grant writing; service to the School of Social Work, the University, the profession, and the community; and contribute to an interdisciplinary environment of research, instruction, and community collaborations.

School of Social Work: School of Social Work: Please visit http://www.wmich.edu/socialwork/ to learn about the School and our programs.

The University: Western Michigan University (WMU), located in Southwest Michigan, is a vibrant, nationally recognized student-centered research institution with an enrollment of nearly 25,000. WMU delivers high-quality undergraduate instruction, has a strong graduate division, and fosters significant research activities. The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching has placed WMU among the 76 public institutions in the nation designated as research universities with high research activities.

Salary: Competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience, with an excellent benefits package.

Expected Start Date: August 2015

Application Deadline: The formal review of an applicant will begin immediately upon receipt of all materials. Applications will be accepted until the position has been filled.

Please visit www.wmujobs.org/applicants/Central?quickFind=53707 for detailed information and application procedures.

Western Michigan University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer consistent with applicable federal and state law.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply.