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**SOUTH CAROLINA**

**Assistant/Associate Professor**  
**Faculty Excellence Initiative Position**  
**SmartHOME: Community & Social Support for Older Adults**  
**College of Social Work**

The University of South Carolina invites applications for one nine-month, tenure-track faculty position at the rank of assistant or associate professor. This Faculty Excellence Initiative (FEI) position is part of a cluster hire for the SmartHOME Initiative in the SeniorSMART Center of Economic Excellence ([www.seniorsmart.org/](http://www.seniorsmart.org/)).

The SmartHOME Endowed Chair for Community and Social Support is based in the College of Social Work. Faculty in the cluster hire will work with the Endowed Chair to develop and evaluate technological innovations in products and services that enable older adults to live as independently as possible in home or community-based environments. Affiliations with other academic disciplines in the University are encouraged.

The successful applicant will have a doctoral degree in social work or a health/mental health related field, a background in aging and health/mental health, a demonstrated commitment to interdisciplinary teamwork, a promising or significant record of competitive extramural funding, and strong methodological skills. In addition to having experience in aging and health/mental health, a background in built environments and assistive technologies is of particular interest to us.

Address specific inquiries to SmartHOME Endowed Chair Dr. Sue Levkoff, SmartHOME FEI Search Committee, College of Social Work, University of South Carolina ([slevkoff@mailbox.sc.edu](mailto:slevkoff@mailbox.sc.edu)). All applications should be submitted electronically to [feismart@mailbox.sc.edu](mailto:feismart@mailbox.sc.edu). Include a curriculum vitae, a list of 3-5 references, and a cover letter summarizing applicant qualifications, research agenda, and potential contributions to the SmartHOME Initiative.

*The University of South Carolina is an affirmative action/equal opportunity institution.  
Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.*