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**University of Houston
Graduate College of Social Work
JOB OPPORTUNITY POSTING**

Job Title: Assistant Professor

Employer/Agency: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

Job Description: Assistant professor will teach courses in macro-level social work practice (communities and organizations), community research, social welfare policy, and introduction to social work. The candidate may assume duties as director of the Community Research Center and Telephone Survey Center, and secure external funding through these centers. Skills in grant-writing, evaluation research, and community needs assessment are essential. Candidates must hold a Master's degree in social work from a CSWE-accredited program, have at least two years of post-MSW degree practice experience, and hold a doctorate in social work or sociology (or be ABD with an expected degree completion date of August 2014). The Department is seeking a person with a strong commitment to, and demonstrated excellence in, undergraduate teaching. Special consideration will be given to candidates who have experience with racially and ethnically diverse groups, including Native Americans, Hmong and other Southeast Asians, Latinos, and African Americans. Salary is commensurate with experience. Teaching assignments will typically be 12 credits per semester. Responsibilities also include scholarship and university service.

Department/University Description: The UW-Stevens Point Department of Sociology & Social Work has 11 full-time faculty positions (8 in sociology and 3 in social work). We work with over 200 majors and 100 minors in sociology and have recently launched a new major in social work (with almost 50 accepted majors). We house interdisciplinary minors in gerontology and social science in health as well as the Community Research Center and the Telephone Survey Center, which provide faculty and student research opportunities. The Center for the Small City, which sponsors a biennial national conference on the Small City and Regional Community and a variety of educational workshops and lecture series for students, faculty, professionals, and community members, is affiliated with the department and is under the co-directorship of a sociology faculty member. The department is affiliated with the American Indian Families Institute within the UWSP Native American Center. The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is a predominantly undergraduate institution with an enrollment over 9,500 students and is consistently rated among the Midwest's top public universities by U.S. News and World Report. Stevens Point, located in the

central region of the state, midway between Milwaukee and Minneapolis and 100 miles north of Madison, is ranked among the nation's best places to live. The area offers a range of cultural and outdoor recreational opportunities.

Qualifications: Master's degree in social work from a CSWE-accredited program, have at least two years of post-MSW degree practice experience, and hold a doctorate in social work or sociology. ABD will be considered but PhD must be in hand by August 2014 for consideration for retention.

Salary/Hours: DOE

Employer/Agency: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point
City, State, Zip: Stevens Point, WI

Application Method: Application Procedure: An application will be considered complete when a set of credentials (vita, copies of graduate and undergraduate transcripts, statement of teaching philosophy, evidence of teaching performance, and three letters of recommendation) is received. Send credentials to: Dr. Robert B. Enright Jr., Chair, Department of Sociology and Social Work, UW-Stevens Point, Stevens Point, WI 54481. Email: sociology@uwsp.edu.

Deadline: Review of applications will begin Dec. 15, 2012. Position remains open until filled.

Opening Date: August 2013

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