

Indiana University School of Social Work

Division of Social Work Indiana University Northwest

Position Available: Assistant Professor

Applications are invited for a tenure-track social work faculty position in the Division of Social Work on the Indiana University Northwest campus available August, 2012. The IUSSW-Indiana University Northwest campus currently offers a BSW program and a part-time evening MSW Program with concentrations in Mental Health and Addictions, Health, and School Social Work.

One of eight campuses of Indiana University, IU Northwest is located in metropolitan Northwest Indiana, approximately 30 miles southeast of Chicago and 10 miles from the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore. The campus has a diverse student population of over 6,000 students and offers Associate, Baccalaureate and Master degrees in a variety of undergraduate and graduate programs in arts and sciences, business and economics, education, nursing and health professions; public and environmental affairs, and social work.

Responsibilities include teaching both MSW and BSW courses in the curriculum areas of human behavior and the social environment, and policy practice. Faculty must also conduct research in specialty areas, provide academic and professional advising services to students, and be an active member of the academic and professional community.

Essential qualifications include: an earned doctorate in social work or a closely related field (ABD will be considered if degree awarded prior to August, 2012); an MSW degree from a CSWE accredited program; three (3) years of post Master's practice experience; teaching experience in undergraduate or graduate social work education; a well articulated research and publication agenda; demonstrated potential to acquire external funding to support and enhance scholarly activities; and demonstrated interest in online and distance education delivery methods. Preference will be given to applicants who have two or more years teaching experience in both undergraduate and graduate social work education, have experience in online and distance education delivery methods, and a strong commitment to working with diverse populations. Preference will also be given to candidates who have a demonstrate research interests in health, mental health and addictions, or school social work.

Salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Application materials can be sent electronically as pdf files to Dr. Darlene Lynch at darlynch@iun.edu and should include a letter of application detailing qualifications for this position, curriculum vitae, two writing samples of recent scholarly work, and three letters of reference that address teaching and research competencies. Official transcripts can be mailed to Dr. Darlene Lynch, Director, Division of Social Work, Indiana University Northwest, MP 3186, 3400 Broadway Gary, IN 46408. Review of applications will begin in December of 2011 and will continue until the position is filled.

Indiana University Northwest is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer committed to achieving excellence through diversity. The university actively encourages applications from women, minorities, persons with disabilities and members of other underrepresented groups.