



Announcement for a Tenure-Track Faculty Position
Start Date: January, 2012 or August, 2012

The University of Utah, College of Social Work invites applications for a 9-month tenure-track faculty position at the rank of Assistant Professor.

Required Qualifications: Applicants must have an MSW degree from a CSWE-accredited program, and a doctorate in social work or a related field. Candidates who are ABD may also apply. Applicants must demonstrate clear evidence of their potential to become productive scholars, as well as teaching and research expertise related to under-represented communities such as people of color and GLBTQ populations.

Preferred Qualifications: Applicants with at least two years of post-MSW practice experience will be given preference, as will those who demonstrate the ability to teach in one or more of the following content areas: (1) mental health, (2) macro practice, (3) research, (4) human behavior in the social environment, and (5) diversity. Substantive expertise and scholarship in one or more of the following areas will strengthen a candidate's application: (1) substance abuse (2) community-based research, and (3) immigration and refugee issues. Grant writing expertise is also highly desired. Groups traditionally under-represented in higher education are particularly encouraged to apply.

College, University, and Environment: As a major research and teaching university—and the flagship of the Utah System of Higher Education—the University of Utah strives to create an academic environment in which the highest standards of scholarship and professional practice are observed and where responsibilities to students are conscientiously met. The University is located in Salt Lake City, at the base of the Wasatch Mountains, and the site of the 2002 Winter Olympics. The city has received international recognition for its new light rail system, downtown renewal and library system, resources for increasing diversity, and easy access to world class outdoor recreational opportunities.

The College of Social Work was established in 1937 and is the only public institution in the Intermountain West that offers all three degrees in social work — BSW, MSW, and Ph.D. Within the College, the International Program offers opportunities for faculty exchange, student learning experiences, and collaborative research, as well as a certificate in International Social Work. The Social Research Institute helps faculty secure extramural funding and offers research consultation. The Utah Criminal Justice Center is an interdisciplinary research center focusing on justice and community based research. The Wilford W. and Dorothy P. Goodwill Initiatives on Aging are housed in the College's new Goodwill Humanitarian Building which features two clinical training suites and a technology-enhanced wireless classroom that expands the College's distance education capability.

Application Process:

Review of applications will begin immediately and the position will be open until filled. Applicants should provide cover letter, curriculum vitae, list of three professional references, and writing sample(s). Course evaluations are not required but may be provided. Applicants apply on line at <http://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/10800> .

Inquiries regarding the position may be directed to the Faculty Search Committee Co-chairs, Dr. Amanda Barusch, at (801) 581-7585, amanda.barusch@socwk.utah.edu; and Dr. David Derezotes, at (801) 585-3546. David.derezotes@socwk.utah.edu . The College of Social Work website is located at <http://www.socwk.utah.edu>

The University of Utah values candidates who have experience working in settings with students from diverse backgrounds, and possess demonstrated commitment to improving access to higher education for historically underrepresented students. The University of Utah is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer and educator. Minorities, women, and persons with disabilities are

strongly encouraged to apply. Veteran's preference. Reasonable accommodations provided. For additional information:
<http://w3www.regulations.utah.edu/humanResources/5-106.html>.