

<b>Job Title</b>	Assistant/Associate Professor
<b>Employer/ Agency</b>	Governors State University
<b>Job Description</b>	<p>Governors State University (GSU) invites applicants for a tenure-track faculty position in the Department of Social Work, College of Health and Human Services. Rank is open. We seek candidates with a minimum of five years of post MSW Practice experience with children, adults and families and teaching experience in policy and/or direct practice in mental health, inclusive of holistic practices methods or family practice curricular areas. The successful candidate will teach primarily in the MSW Program and demonstrate commitment to excellence in teaching social work practice grounded in a social justice ethic.</p> <p>The University: Governors State University is the only regional, public, comprehensive university in Chicago's south suburban area, serving approximately 7,750 students annually. GSU provides accessible, high value undergraduate and graduate education to culturally and economically diverse students. Founded in 1969, GSU is undergoing major transition. Currently a non-residential institution, accepting transfer and graduate students only, GSU will accept first-year students and complete its first residence halls in 2014. The university has an ambitious five-year Academic Master Plan, greatly expanding current programs. GSU is planning a state-of-the-art General Education program and working to greatly expand student academic and support services to foster student and community engagement. New faculty at GSU must demonstrate enthusiasm and ability to work with students at all levels, from first-year to graduate.</p> <p>The exceptionally beautiful campus is conveniently located within easy reach by road and rail to Chicago and surrounding communities that have a wealth of cultural and natural attractions. The highly diverse region GSU serves has a number of high performing schools and engaged communities as well as struggling urban, suburban, and rural communities. GSU seeks to serve as a public square, working to foster educational opportunities for all populations.</p>
<b>Qualifications</b>	<p>MSW from a CSWE-accredited institution;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Doctorate in Social Work or a related field, ABD's will be considered, but must complete all degree requirements by July 31, 2015;</li> <li>• Post-MSW teaching experience; and</li> <li>• Minimum of five years post-MSW micro/mezzo/macro practice experience.</li> </ul> <p>• Preference will be given to applicants holding a license in Clinical Social Work Practice.</p> <p>Preferred Qualifications:</p> <p>For consideration at the rank of assistant professor, the applicant must have a beginning publication record and demonstrate the potential to secure external funding to support their research agenda. For consideration for a higher rank, the applicant must have a well-established record of publications and scholarship and a demonstrated ability to secure external research funding. Additionally, if an applicant is invited to an on campus interview, you may be asked to provide evaluative materials that will assist us in assessing your teaching experiences and a description of your teaching philosophy.</p>
<b>Salary/Hours</b>	DOE
<b>City, State, Zip</b>	University Park, IL
<b>Application Method</b>	To apply, applicants should attach a letter of interest specifying qualifications, curriculum vitae, a list of professional references with contact information, and official graduate education transcripts.

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Members of the search committee are attending the CSWE annual meeting and will be available to speak with individuals who may be interested in this position. If you would like to speak to members of the Search Committee please contact [lglass@govst.edu](mailto:lglass@govst.edu) or [goutlaw@govst.edu](mailto:goutlaw@govst.edu)

**Opening Date**

Fall 2014

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