Announcement of a Tenure-Track Faculty Position  
Start Date: August, 2016

The University of Utah, College of Social Work invites applications for a 9-month tenure-track faculty position at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor. The successful candidate will be based primarily in the BSW program as well as qualified and interested in teaching at all social work degree levels.

**Required Qualifications:** Applicants must have an MSW degree from a CSWE-accredited program, and a doctorate in social work or a related field. Applicants must demonstrate the ability to teach in one or more of the following content areas: (1) generalist social work practice, (2) diversity and reflexive social work, and (3) research. Candidates who are ABD and expect to graduate before the position start date may also apply. Applicants must demonstrate clear evidence of scholarly productivity, as well as documented excellence in teaching at a college level.

**Preferred Qualifications:** Applicants with two years post MSW practice will be given strong preference. Substantive expertise and scholarship in one or more of the following areas will strengthen a candidate’s application: (1) international social work, (2) issues of migration, resettlement and integration, (3) Indigenous, Aboriginal, Tribal or self-determined populations, (4) substance abuse, (5) child welfare, and (6) interpersonal and/or structural violence. Applicants with interest in and/or experience in teaching through an online platform are encouraged to apply. Preference will be given to candidates with a strong publication record, an externally-funded research program, and an ability to integrate teaching and research within a community-based framework. Members of 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, professional practice and teaching are observed. The University is located in Salt Lake City, at the base of the Wasatch Mountains, providing ready access to world class outdoor recreational opportunities. Several national press outlets have recently recognized Salt Lake City for its growing diversity.

The College of Social Work (CSW) was established in 1937 and is the only public institution in the Intermountain West that offers BSW, MSW, and Ph.D. degrees in Social Work. Within the College are programs and centers which support teaching and collaborative research, including the Global Social Work Program, The Social Research Institute, The Utah Criminal Justice Center, and the Goodwill Initiatives on Aging. The College’s new Goodwill Humanitarian Building features clinical training suites for state of the art practice instruction and intervention research. CSW faculty have obtained federal (e.g., NIH and DOD), state, and foundation (e.g., Hartford Foundation) funding to conduct applied research and provide service to those in need. The BSW program is also offered at the University of Utah’s Asia Campus in Songdo, South Korea. The University of Utah offers the only online BSW in the state.

The CSW has established community partnerships for research on social work practice, including collaborations with the Huntsman Cancer Institute, the University of Utah Primary Care Clinics and University Medical Center, and the Salt Lake VA Hospital. University Neighborhood Partners is a nationally recognized center bridging higher education with disadvantaged communities through innovative teaching, community-based research, and service. Faculty members enjoy direct access to local and state decision makers who have the ability to translate research findings into policy and practice. The College of Social Work website is located at http://www.socwk.utah.edu

**Application Process:** Review of applications will begin immediately and the position will be open until filled. Applicants must provide a cover letter, curriculum vitae, three professional letters of reference, and writing sample(s). Course evaluations are required, if available. Applicants apply on line at http://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/45865 . Inquiries regarding the position may be directed to the Faculty Search Committee Chair, Dr. Mary Jane Taylor, at 801-581-8828, mjtaylor@socwk.utah.edu.

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