Position Title: Visiting Assistant Professor of Sociology
External Link to Posting: http://jobs.uncw.edu/postings/17769
Department: Sociology & Criminology - 32450
Vacancy Number: 16F-313
Position Number: 2531
Location of Workplace: Main UNCW Campus
Position Type: Time-limited
Anticipated Ending Date if Time-Limited Positions: 05/07/2021
Job Posting Date: 03/11/2020
Priority Consideration Date: 04/10/2020

Brief Summary of Work for this Position

The Department of Sociology and Criminology at the University of North Carolina Wilmington is seeking a one-year Visiting Assistant Professor in Sociology for 2020-21. This position carries a teaching load of 4 courses per semester. Candidates must be capable of excellent/dynamic teaching in introductory courses in sociology.

Minimum Requirements

A PhD in sociology or a closely related field is required. ABDs will be considered for the position.

Preferred Qualifications

Previous teaching experience at the undergraduate level, experience in teaching introduction to sociology, social problems, quantitative methods, and online teaching experience is preferred.

Primary Function of Organizational Unit

The Department of Sociology and Criminology at the University of North Carolina Wilmington has 22 full-time faculty members, roughly 350 undergraduate majors, and offers bachelor’s degrees in sociology and criminology (general and public), including an online bachelor’s degree in criminology, and an MA in Sociology and Criminology. The University of North Carolina Wilmington, the state’s coastal university, is dedicated to learning through the integration of teaching and mentoring with research and service. Guided by our Strategic Plan, the university is committed to nurturing a campus culture that reflects its values of diversity and globalization, ethics and integrity, and excellence and innovation.

A public institution with over 17,000 students, the university is focused on supporting and enhancing the student-centered learning experience that has been a hallmark since its founding in 1947. UNCW offers an array of programs at the baccalaureate and master’s levels, and doctoral programs in marine biology, educational leadership, psychology and nursing practice. UNCW is one of the 17 institutions that make up the UNC System.

UNCW actively fosters a diverse and inclusive working and learning environment and is an equal opportunity employer. Qualified persons from all racial, ethnic, or other minority groups, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.

College/School Information

At UNCW, the College of Arts and Sciences provides the vital foundation for the university’s pursuit of excellence. Through our teaching, we educate students for lives of fulfillment in the twenty-first century. Through our research, we advance the state of knowledge and creativity in the arts and sciences. And through our outreach, we improve the quality of life in Southeastern North Carolina and beyond.

University Information

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EEO Statement

At the University of North Carolina at Wilmington (UNCW), our culture reflects our values of inclusion, diversity, globalization, ethics and integrity and innovation and we are committed to providing equality of educational and employment opportunity for all persons without regard to race, sex (such as gender, gender identity, marital status, childbirth, and pregnancy), age, color, national origin (including ethnicity), religion, disability, sexual orientation, political affiliation, veteran status, military service member status, genetic information, or relationship to other university constituents – except where sex, age, or ability represent bona fide educational or occupational qualifications or where marital status is a statutorily established eligibility criterion for State funded employee benefit programs. UNCW believes that embracing the unique contributions of our faculty, staff and students is critical to our success and paramount in being recognized for our global mindset.

Applicant Instructions

Please submit the following in the applicant documents section:
1. Cover letter
2. Curriculum vitae
3. List of three professional references
4. Evidence of teaching effectiveness (Other Category)

Address application documents to: Mike Maume

Priority Consideration Information

Applications must be submitted through the online application system to be considered. Priority consideration will be given to applications received by the Priority Date of April 10, 2020; however, applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Position details and full applicant instructions can be found at http://jobs.uncw.edu/postings/17769