



THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

School of Social Work

The School of Social Work (UBC-Vancouver) is accepting applications for the position of Sessional Lecturer for the following undergraduate course in Term 1&2, September 6 – December 2, 2016 and January 3 – April 7, 2017 of the academic year 2016-17.

SOWK554C.002 Research – Program Evaluation – 6 credits, Friday, 9:00am – 12:00pm

Course Description: There is a growing demand in the health and human services for professionals to evaluate intervention and program outcomes. This course will introduce students to the art and science of intervention and program evaluation research, with attention to the structural and sociocultural contexts within which evaluation research takes place. Working collaboratively with Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD) staff, students will develop skill in assessing the conceptualization, implementation, and effectiveness of human service interventions, programs, and policies. The course will provide meaningful opportunities to engage in real world evaluation activities such as conducting literature and jurisdictional reviews, designing logic models, and evaluating existing interventions and programs. Students will develop an understanding of the role played by evaluation frameworks, formative and summative evaluation, and data collection strategies used to evaluate knowledge and practice at the client, program, community, and provincial levels. For reference, access to the full course outline is available from *our website www.socialwork.ubc.ca*.

Instructor requirements: Preference will be given to applicants with an MSW or Ph.D. in a relevant field and experience teaching at the college or university level. The successful candidate will be responsible for teaching, holding regular office hours, marking assignments and exams and reporting grades.

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The current minimum salary is \$6,264. (per 3 credit course).

With their letter of application, candidates should include a statement on pedagogy, sample course outlines, teaching evaluations, and a C.V. Please clearly state your legal status to work in Canada, e.g. Canadian citizen. The C.V. must include a detailed list of all post-secondary courses taught: name, length, credit-value, and responsibility. They should also ask two appropriate persons to forward confidential letters of reference. (Applicants who currently hold a sessional appointment need only ensure that in addition to a letter of application, their C.V. in the School is up-to-date.)

All positions are subject to enrollment and funding and are governed by UBC's "Agreement on Conditions of Appointment for Sessional and Part-time Faculty Members." As per the memorandum of Agreement, "Vacancies or changes in existing appointments arising as the result of unforeseeable events do not have to be posted."

UBC hires on the basis of merit and is committed to employment equity. We encourage all qualified persons to apply. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.

Please send letters of application to:

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Deadline for applications: May 5, 2016