

West Virginia University
College of Human Resources & Education
Assistant Professor of Social Studies Education

The College of Human Resources & Education seeks applications for a nine-month tenure track Assistant Professor of Social Studies.

Position: Assistant Professor Social Studies Education, Tenure Track
Nine-month appointment with possibility of summer employment

Required Qualifications:

1. Earned doctorate in Social Studies Education K-12.
2. Documented expertise in elementary, secondary, and/or middle school social studies.
3. Minimum of three years successful K-12 public school teaching experience with emphasis in social studies education.

Preferred Qualifications:

1. Master's degree in social studies, a social science or history.
2. Experience in teaching elementary social studies education courses at the college level.
3. Experience providing professional development to social studies teachers.
4. Demonstrated interest in collaborating with students, teachers, and colleagues.
5. Experience in the use of technology as a learning tool, including the design and delivery of instruction.
6. Documented capacity to engage in scholarly activities, including research, grant proposal writing, and dissemination of scholarly works.
7. Evidence of commitment to working with public schools in developing a research and service agenda.

Responsibilities:

1. Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in social studies K-12 education.
2. Engage in scholarly activities leading to publication and external funding.
3. Advise graduate students, serve on committees, and direct doctoral research.
4. Work with Professional Development Schools and other school partners.
5. Establish and maintain positive interdisciplinary relationships with faculty within the College and across the University.
6. Provide service to the College, the University, the State of West Virginia, and the profession.

Starting Date: August 16, 2008

Salary: Competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience.

To apply: Submit application materials electronically or through the postal service. Application materials should include a letter of interest in this position, vita, and three letters of reference.

Postal Submission

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Electronic Submission

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**MS Word or PDF files must be used
for all electronic submission materi-
als, including the letter of interest.**

The position will remain open until filled, but priority will be given to applications received by November 30, 2007.

Prospective applicants are encouraged to visit the College of Human Resources & Education of West Virginia University website at <http://www.hre.wvu.edu/>.

West Virginia University is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer that accommodates the needs of persons with disabilities. Women, individuals with a disability, and minorities are encouraged to apply.