Multicultural Post-Doctoral Fellow, Department of Psychology, University of Alaska, Anchorage

JOB NO:508981

Duties: This is a 9 month appointment (August to May) with a 3 month contract extension during the summer. This appointment may be renewed for up to an additional two years.

UAA – with community campuses in Mat-Su, Kenai, Kodiak, and Prince William Sound – is located on the traditional homelands of the Dena'ina and Ahtna Athabascan, Alutiiq/Sugpiaq, and Eyak peoples. Furthermore, a rapidly increasing number of culturally diverse peoples from all over the world also call Anchorage home. To better reflect this diversity and better serve our communities, we seek a culturally and academically diverse postdoctoral fellow with an emerging or established interest in working with Indigenous/American Indian/Alaska Native communities or other marginalized groups. The postdoctoral fellow may be involved in the department's undergraduate, masters, and PhD programs, depending on the fellow's career goals. The successful candidate will teach one course per semester in the first year, with the teaching load potentially increasing in subsequent years based on individual goals. Psychology faculty will provide mentorship in peer-reviewed publications, conference and community presentations, applications for external funding, and/or clinical service provision. Psychology faculty will also provide mentorship in opportunities to engage with UAA and the greater Anchorage and Alaska communities.

Applications from all persons are welcomed; women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and veterans are especially encouraged to apply.

Knowledge/Skills/Abilities:

Candidates must be eliqible to work in the United States at the time of application.

Successful candidate will be prepared to teach psychology courses and have teaching competence in at least one of these areas: behavioral health, clinical, community, statistics, or research methods. Research interests should address issues of diversity and/or reflect an interest in working with Indigenous/American Indian/Alaska Native communities or other marginalized groups. Scholars who study health disparities or whose research is focused on diversity are especially encouraged to apply.

Required Experience:

Successful candidates will be prepared to teach psychology courses and have teaching competence in at least one of these areas: behavioral health, clinical, community, statistics, or research methods. Research interests or expertise in working with Indigenous or multicultural communities are especially encouraged to apply.

Typical Education or Training:

Ph.D. in Psychology or closely related field is required. ABDs in Psychology will be considered however employment is contingent upon conferral of Ph.D. prior to appointment start date in August 2018. Successful applicants must provide Official Transcripts documenting academic credentials required for the position as a condition of employment. Qualifying earned degrees must be conferred either by institutions of higher education which are accredited by one of the six US regional accrediting associations or by an equivalent international institution of higher education as determined by UAA based on a review by a foreign educational credential evaluation service and recognized by UAA.

For further information and to apply: http://careers.alaska.edu/cw/en-us/job/508981/multicultural-postdoctoral-fellow-department-of-psychology

Direct questions about the position to the chair of the search committee, Dr. Vivian Gonzalez (vmgonzalez@alaska.edu).

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