The Department of Psychology invites applications for the position of:

**Sessional Instructor**
Teaching Support Staff Union (TSSU)

Please note that all Sessional Instructor positions are in the Teaching Support Staff Union (TSSU); and are subject to sufficient enrollment, and FINAL budgetary authorization. The Department of Psychology follows Article XIV (E.2) of the TSSU-SFU Collective Agreement, when hiring Sessional Instructors.

**COURSE:**
PSYC 391 – Human Cognition Language & Evolution (3 credit hours)
Lecture Day and Time: Wednesday 9:30-12:20

**LOCATION:**
Burnaby Campus

**DURATION:**
May 4, 2020 to August 28, 2020 (Summer 2020)

**RESERVE SESSIONAL INSTRUCTOR POSITION:** Yes
Article XIV E.3.a of the TSSU-SFU Collective Agreement allows for up to 25% of appointments within a given department to be reserved for graduate students or postdoctoral fellows. "While priority will be given to Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows in awarding this RESERVED position, all Sessional Instructors are encouraged to apply. In the event it is not filled by a Grad or Postdoc, it will be filled by another qualified applicant in accordance with Article XIV E of the Collective Agreement."

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Friday, December 20, 2019. Please send applications to the attention of Dr. Jeremy Carpendale at jcarpend@sfu.ca; cc to Tara Smith at tds11@sfu.ca

**QUALIFICATIONS:**
- PhD in Psychology (or PhD Candidate) or a cognate field with demonstrated expertise in the desired area of teaching.
- Demonstrable teaching experience and/or practical experience in human cognition language & evolution and developmental psychology, as documented in a current resume/curriculum vitae and example detailed course outline
- Knowledge of relevant teaching methods.

**DOCUMENTS REQUIRED:**
- A current resume/curriculum vitae.
- A list of past courses taught at SFU and/or another University or Colleges, and teaching employment evaluations for those courses.
- Three letters of reference, including at least one from a department/school/program for which courses have been taught.
- A brief course outline and a more detailed (e.g., week by week) course syllabus.
- A statement of the applicant’s teaching pedagogy.

**REQUIRED EMPLOYMENT DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:**
- Works closely with the Undergraduate Chair/Area Coordinator, as relevant.
- Delivers instruction, the content of which is approved by the Chair, Associate Chair and/or Area Coordinator.
- Manages electronic and/or other platforms for the effective delivery of instruction.
- Holds regular office hours for students.
- Undertakes the grading of assignments and examinations per the grading policies/practices of the department/school/program. Compiles final examination and Term marks, and submits the final grades for students in the course.
- Manages grade appeals, as necessary, in a timely manner.

**OTHER INFORMATION:** Departments/schools/programs may interview a short list of candidates. Some qualifications/documents may be waived for graduate students enrolled in the SFU department/school/program in which they are applying to teach.

**EQUITY:** The University is committed to the principle of equity in employment. (See Policy GP 19.)

**PRIVACY:**
The information submitted with an application is collected under the authority of the University Act (R.S.B.C. 1996, c.468, s. 27(4)(a)), applicable federal and provincial employment regulations and requirements, the University's non-academic employment policies and applicable Collective Agreements. The information is related directly to and needed by the University to initiate the employment application process. The information will be used to contact references supplied by an applicant, evaluate an applicant’s qualifications, and complete the employment process by making a hiring decision. Applicant information may also be disclosed to the TSSU in accordance with Article XIII F.3.1.b of the Collective Agreement. If you have any questions about the collection, use and disclosure of this information please contact the Associate VP, Human Resources, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC V5A 1S6. Telephone 778-782-3237.