Faculty of Education

TENURE TRACK or LECTURER POSITION IN COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

The Faculty of Education, Simon Fraser University, seeks applications for a tenure-track position in Counselling Psychology in the area of School Counselling. The appointment will be at the rank of Assistant Professor or Lecturer and will begin September 1, 2019.

The successful candidate will join an existing complement of counselling psychology scholars to contribute to the teaching of core counselling courses and offer clinical supervision. Applicants should have experience in school counselling (K-12) or counselling children and families. Candidates whose research program will enable the support of graduate student research are encouraged to apply. The final selection of candidates will be based on the best overall demonstration of potential for contribution to the program.

Candidates will contribute to the growth of the Counselling Psychology program at our SFU Surrey campus. Our program includes the SFU Surrey Counselling Centre that works in collaboration with the Surrey School Board. Along with clinical training, the Centre supports research in counselling practice and supervision.

Candidates must possess a doctoral degree in Counselling Psychology or related field and a minimum of three years of counselling practice experience in the field. Candidates for a tenure track position must demonstrate the ability to develop a program of research related to Counselling Psychology. Preference will be given to candidates who can contribute to three or more of the key teaching areas of the program including: school counselling, theories of counselling, counselling skills and strategies, assessment, ethics, group counselling, career counselling, multicultural counselling and family counselling. Candidates must demonstrate supervisory competencies (e.g., CCPA’s Canadian Certified Counsellor-supervisor designation or Graduate level training in counsellor supervision) and experience providing clinical supervision. Applicants will be expected to teach and develop counselling related courses and programming at both the undergraduate and graduate level, work with pre-practicum and practicum students, and to supervise graduate research.

Located in the Greater Vancouver area, SFU’s Faculty of Education is committed to scholarly excellence, leading-edge pedagogy, innovative curriculum, engagement with teachers, and a participatory democratic culture. We offer programs on three campuses in Burnaby, Surrey, and downtown Vancouver (http://www.sfu.ca) and work with learning communities, school districts, institutions of higher education and industry partners throughout British Columbia. The Faculty has an outstanding record in research grants and publications, and in the design and delivery of innovative community-based programs in teacher education and professional development. As a relatively small, generalist counsellor education program, we seek candidates who are able to contribute in these areas and have interests in education across disciplinary boundaries, in keeping with the non-departmental organization of the Faculty.
SFU is a university that serves students of diverse ethnic, cultural, linguistic and international origins and, therefore, interests and or experience in working in multicultural and international settings with students of diverse backgrounds is a desired attribute of applicants.

Applicants are asked to email three separate files (Word or PDF) to educ_appointments@sfu.ca:

- A signed application letter that includes the description of the applicant’s scholarly interests, research plans and achievements to date, teaching experience, and potential contributions to the faculty, as well as names and contact information of three referees. (If unable to send an application letter with a scanned signature, a signed original should be mailed to: Chair, Appointments Committee, c/o Devi Pabla, Faculty of Education, Simon Fraser University, 8888 University Drive, Burnaby, BC, Canada, V5A 1S6).
- A current curriculum vitae; and
- A scholarly publication

Deadline for applications is January 2, 2019

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. Please do not ask referees to send letters of reference. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Simon Fraser University is committed to employment equity and welcomes applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, persons of aboriginal heritage, persons with disabilities, and LGBTQ-identified persons. The position is subject to availability of funding and final approval by the SFU Board of Governors. Under the authority of the University Act personal information that is required by the University for Academic Appointment Competitions will be collected. For further details see: https://www.sfu.ca/vpacademic/faculty_openings/collection_notice.html