TENURE TRACK POSITION IN FRENCH EDUCATION

The Faculty of Education, Simon Fraser University, seeks applications for a tenure-track position in French Education. The appointment will be at the rank of Assistant Professor and will begin September 1, 2017.

Located in the greater Vancouver area, the Faculty offers classes on three urban campuses in Burnaby, Surrey, and downtown Vancouver (http://www.sfu.ca) and works with communities and school districts 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. 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.

Candidates must have a doctoral degree in Education with a focus on educational programs in French (French Immersion, Core French, Francophone schools or other programs for learners of French), Plurilingual and Intercultural Education, Multiliteracies, or a closely related field. Candidates must have experience working with one or more of the following groups involved in French Education: practicing teachers, multilingual children, youth and adults of diverse backgrounds and their communities. Applicants must have established or show strong promise to develop an original, externally funded program of research related to French Education, conducted either solo or in collaboration with scholarly and professional partners.

Applicants will be expected to teach in French and contribute to program development at both the undergraduate and graduate levels, working with pre-service and in-service teachers, and to supervise graduate students. Demonstrated expertise in varied teaching contexts including face-to-face, online and mixed mode instructional formats is an asset. As well, experience with Indigenous communities and the indigenization of the curriculum in French education is a valuable quality.

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 March 10, 2017.

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 encourages applications from all qualified women, men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people, and persons with disabilities. 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 Collection Notice.