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SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY
Junior Ruth Wynn Woodward Chair in
Women's Studies

The Department of Women's Studies at Simon Fraser University (Burnaby Campus) is seeking outstanding candidates for a half time Assistant Professor as the Junior Ruth Wynn Woodward Chair in Women's Studies, funded by the Ruth Wynn Woodward Endowment.

This one year, non-renewable 12-month half time position is of interest to those seeking the equivalent of a half time position at an assistant professor level and will be awarded for the period of September 1, 2010 to August 31, 2011. The successful applicant will have a demonstrated expertise in women's studies, show strong evidence of teaching potential and public outreach, and be able to participate constructively in departmental and collegial activities in the transition to a new Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies focus for the Department. The Junior Ruth Wynn Woodward Chair will work under the supervision of Dr. Catherine Murray, Chair of Women's Studies. Applicants must have submitted their doctoral dissertation by the starting date, or must be within five years of having received their doctorate. The salary is equivalent to \$38,000 plus benefits. Responsibilities include: teaching of two undergraduate courses (Fall and Spring Semester, including a large enrollment course and a special course related to the candidate's research interests); delivering a public lecture and engaging in modest community outreach, which is fully supported by a part time secretary to the Junior Chair.

The application letter should set out a short (750 word) plan of research, a suggested course outline, description of a proposed public event, and a type of community outreach envisioned. The successful candidate will be asked to teach one undergraduate course in each of the Fall and Spring semesters. The Department teaches gender and women's studies courses; for some examples, please consult the department website at <http://www.sfu.ca/gsws>. Completed applications must be received by the Department of Women's Studies no later than March 15, 2010.

Candidates should have three letters of reference, an application letter, and a curriculum vitae sent to: Professor Catherine Murray, Chair, Department of Women's Studies, Simon Fraser University, 8888 University Drive, Burnaby, BC, V5A 1S6.
Email: gswschr@sfu.ca. Tel: 778-782-5526. Fax: 778-782-5518.

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Simon Fraser University is committed to employment equity and encourages applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people, and persons with disabilities. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply. Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. Under the authority of the University Act, personal information that is required by the University for academic appointment competitions will be collected.