



School of Social Work

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School of Social Work Faculty at the Detroit Institute of Arts

A Position Opening for an Assistant Professor

The School of Social Work at Wayne State University invites applications for a faculty positions at the rank of Assistant Professor. Our new vision, research infrastructure, innovative curriculum, inspired teaching and community engagement make our School an exciting place for those committed to applied research, scholarship and social work education. We are recruiting outstanding candidates with expertise in the areas of health, mental/behavioral health, children and families, community development, poverty and economic disparity. However, candidates in all areas are encouraged to apply. Preference is for candidates whose research and teaching demonstrate knowledge about issues and concerns of urban, poor or vulnerable populations.

Candidates must have a doctorate in social work, social welfare or a related discipline as well as a strong commitment to research, teaching and service. A record of publications and some experience teaching and mentoring undergraduate and/or graduate students is desirable. For candidates interested in teaching courses in foundation practice, a master's

degree in social work plus two years post-master's direct practice experience is preferred. For those candidates interested in teaching advanced interpersonal practice courses (clinical practice more extensive experience is desired).

The School of Social Work, accredited since 1945, is a national leader in preparing students for professional practice. Building on this tradition the School is moving forward with a 21st century agenda to address complex problems, promote social justice and foster overall well-being through engaged teaching, applied research and partnerships within an urban and global context. The Center for Social Work Research and center staff, housed in the School, provides support for faculty research, scholarship, and interdisciplinary collaboration. For more information about the School please visit our website at

<http://socialwork.wayne.edu>

Wayne State University is a Research University/Very High Research Activity (RU/VH) with 13 Schools and Colleges, offering more than 370 undergraduate, graduate and professional degree programs to over 29,000 students. The University is located in Midtown Detroit, a vibrant academic and cultural center within a few blocks of the Detroit Medical Center, Henry Ford Health System, several libraries, the Detroit Institute of Art, the Museum of African American History, the Detroit Symphony, and two Wayne State theaters.

Applications must be made online, at <http://jobs.wayne.edu>

Please include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, names and full contact information of three references.

In addition, please send one writing samples to:

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