

Sociology - Assistant Professor

McMaster University

Location: Ontario

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The Sociology Department at McMaster University invites applications for a one year contractually limited appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor, for the period July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015. Two positions are expected.

The successful candidate will be required to teach eighteen units and will be able to demonstrate the ability to teach a range of Sociology courses. The specific courses to be taught will be negotiated with the Chair according to the needs of the Department and the candidate's background. The position includes some administrative responsibilities and some courses may be offered in the evening and/or spring/summer session. The current annual salary floor is \$66,243 for an assistant professor. A package of benefits as well as a professional development allowance will be provided.

A PhD in sociology is strongly preferred, but graduate students with ABD status in a sociology PhD program will also be considered. A strong, proven record in teaching sociology courses is required, as is evidence of professional participation in the discipline of sociology, such as research publications and involvement in professional conferences.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply. However, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority for these positions. McMaster University is strongly committed to employment equity within its community, and to recruiting a diverse faculty and staff. The University encourages applications from all qualified candidates, including women, members of visible minorities, Aboriginal peoples, members of sexual minorities and persons with disabilities.

Interested candidates should send an application package consisting of a letter of application, a curriculum vitae, the names and contact information for three referees, a 1 page statement on teaching philosophy, summaries of teaching evaluations, and a list of courses that applicants have taught and/or could teach at the first, second, third and fourth year levels.

Application packages can be sent electronically as a single PDF document to sochire@mcmaster.ca, addressed to Roy Cain, Acting Chair, Department of Sociology.

The Department will begin reviewing applications on April 4, 2014 and will continue until the position is filled.

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