



WEST VIRGINIA STATE UNIVERSITY

Assistant Professor Department of Social Work

West Virginia State University:

West Virginia State University (WVSU) is a public-land grant institution, which was founded in 1891 as a Historically Black College and University (HBCU), and has evolved into a fully accessible, diverse, and multi-generational institution serving approximately 3,500 students. The University is a community of students, staff, and faculty committed to innovative teaching and learning, research and service that offers 23 undergraduate and seven graduate degrees through its four colleges, and competes in athletics at the NCAA Division II level in five men's sports and six women's sports. WVSU is located in Institute, WV, a suburb of Charleston, the largest city and the capital of West Virginia. With more than 300,000 people living in the metropolitan area, it is an active, exciting and engaging community, boasting cultural and historical events, music, festivals and entertainment.

Position Description

West Virginia State University's Department of Social Work is seeking a candidate for a full-time, benefits eligible, faculty position to serve as an Assistant Professor for the program.

This position will be start in the Fall 2023 Academic Year

Responsibilities for Assistant Professor of Social Work.

The Assistant Professor position is a 9-month tenure track appointment. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate social work students on campus and online; developing new courses; conducting research, with the expectation of obtaining external funding and publishing research in peer-reviewed journals; involving students in research; collecting and analyzing assessment data for CSWE accreditation, and participating in appropriate service activities.

The successful candidate must be willing and able to teach courses within the BSW program including the Social Work Practice, Research Methodology, and Cultural Aspects. Candidates should have a commitment to excellent teaching, professional development, and service, including participation in student advising, recruitment and retention activities. Candidates will also serve the department with community engagement through grant-writing and

administration of community and student based programs at WVSU. All positions are subject to availability of funds.

Requirements for the Assistant Professor of Social Work.

Earned doctorate in social work or related field.

A CSWE-accredited master's social work degree with a minimum of two years of post-MSW professional practice experience.

Current West Virginia licensure as an LGSW, LCSW, or LICSW is required.

Experience conducting research related to one or more social work issues.

Experience teaching at the university level.

Demonstrated commitment to social justice, diversity, and inclusion.

Salary Statement

Salary will be commensurate with experience

To Apply:

This position will remain open until filled. However, first consideration will be given to applicants who submit a resume, cover letter, academic transcripts, and the names and email addresses or phone numbers of three professional references by March 15, 2023. All requested information must be submitted for your application to be considered.

Please submit application materials via email to jobs@wvstateu.edu or mail to:

West Virginia State University
Department of Human Resources
P. O. Box 1000, 105 Cole Complex
Institute, WV 25112

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