

Academic unit: Department of Geography and Environmental Studies

Category of appointment: Term

Field of Specialization: Physical Geography-Geomatics

Rank/Position title: Instructor I
Start date: July 1, 2017
Closing date for Applications: April 23, 2017

About the position:

Carleton University's Department of Geography and Environmental Studies invites applications for a twoyear term appointment Instructor I position in Physical Geography and Geomatics, commencing on July 1, 2017 or when the position is filled.

Applications are invited from individuals who are able to teach core and other courses in our Physical Geography BA and BSc programs and our Geomatics BA and BSc programs. This position requires lecture-lab format teaching in six courses per year plus some directed studies or thesis supervision and contributions to lab maintenance. Assigned courses may vary with changing departmental needs and include but are not limited to the following (approximate enrolments in brackets; F = fall term; W = winter term):

GEOG 2014F The Earth's Surface (45)

GEOG 3104/BIOL 3608F Principles of Biogeography (45)

GEOG 3108F Soil Properties (50)

GEOG 1010W Global Environmental Systems (100)

GEOM 1004W Introduction to Geomatics (70)

GEOM 2007W Geographic Information Systems (40)

0.5cr Undergraduate directed studies/thesis supervisions (3-4) & physical geography lab maintenance

Qualifications:

Applicants must have at least a Master's degree in Physical Geography, Geomatics or a related field. The successful applicant will have excellent teaching skills and university teaching experience in the relevant fields, capability to engage and inspire students in their academic work, leadership and initiative in contributing to the department's programs and course development, and strong inter-personal and team skills. The position requires normal contributions to service expected of Instructors at Carleton, including contributions to our recruitment and retention efforts, departmental meetings, and program development. Carleton offers opportunities for teaching enhancement through our Educational Development Centre and other services.

About the academic unit:

Carleton's Department of Geography and Environmental Studies (DGES) delivers General (3-year) and Honours degrees as follows: BA in Environmental Studies; BA Geography, BA Geography with a Concentration in Physical Geography, BSc in Physical Geography; BA and BSc in Geomatics; Bachelor's in Globalization and International Studies - Specialization in Globalization and Environment. It also delivers MA, MSc and PhD programs in Geography and is the host department for Carleton's interdisciplinary Masters programs in Northern Studies. The Department is home to about 400 undergraduate majors and 70 graduate students, and is committed to teaching and research that focuses on theoretical and applied aspects of interdisciplinary scholarship. Applicants should consult www.carleton.ca/geography for more information on the department. Information on Carleton's strategic interests is available from



http://www.carleton.ca/sip/.

Application instructions:

Applications for this entry-level appointment must be sent electronically and include in single PDF files: 1) cover letter; 2) curriculum vitae; 3) a teaching portfolio that includes a description of the candidate's pedagogical approaches and evidence of teaching innovation, performance (including student evaluation scores if available), and other relevant experience, and 4) co-ordinates for two referees. Please note that the PDF document should be submitted with the following file name format: PG-GEOM Instructor Position_Last Name; for example: PG-GEOM Instructor Position_Smith.

Please submit your application by email by April 23, 2017 to: GeographyJobApplication@cunet.carleton.ca

Questions about this position should be directed to the Departmental Chair at the email address above with "PG-GEOM Appointment" in the subject line, or call the Chair at 613-520-2560.

Please indicate in your application if you are a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.

About Carleton University

Carleton University is strongly committed to fostering diversity within its community as a source of excellence, cultural enrichment, and social strength. We welcome those who would contribute to the further diversification of our University including, but not limited to: women; visible minorities; First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples; persons with disabilities; and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expressions.

Applicants selected for an interview are asked to contact the Chair of the Search Committee as soon as possible to discuss any accommodation requirements. Arrangements will be made in a timely manner.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. All positions are subject to budgetary approval.