

About the Position

Field of Specialization: Political Economy and Work and Labour

Academic Unit: Political Economy

Rank/Position Title: Visiting Professor – 1 position

Start Date: Winter 2028

Closing Date: December 1, 2026, or until a suitable candidate has been selected.

The Institute of Political Economy at Carleton University invites applications from distinguished scholars for one term-length appointments as Visiting Professor. The appointment will be taken in Winter 2028 (January-April).

To see the full position posting, please visit Carleton University's [Deputy Provost's website](https://carleton.ca/deputyprovost/jobs/academics/) at <https://carleton.ca/deputyprovost/jobs/academics/>.

The Institute's unique programming includes an M.A. in Political Economy, a Ph.D. Specialization in Political Economy, and a Graduate Diploma in Work and Labour. Each appointment involves teaching one graduate course in contemporary theories of political economy, and one graduate course in work and labour (broadly conceived). In addition, the visiting professor will deliver a public lecture, workshop, or symposium.

Candidates are expected to be mid- to senior-career scholars with well-established research portfolios in one or more domains of political economy. Each successful candidate will be paid a salary of \$30,000 for the one-term appointment.

About the Academic Unit

For more information about Carleton's Institute of Political Economy, please visit our website at: <https://carleton.ca/politicaconomy/>.

Qualifications

The applicant should have a PhD in a relevant discipline, a strong record of internationally recognized published scholarship, and a strong record of teaching at the graduate level. The applicant should also ensure that when they apply, if selected, that they will be on sabbatical or able to take leave to accept the position.

Application Instructions

Applications should be sent electronically in one single PDF document and include cover letter (The cover letter must include an attestation that the applicant will be on sabbatical or other approved leave for the duration of the appointment), a full curriculum vitae, plus a short description of two proposed courses, and should be addressed to Prof. Justin Paulson, Director, Institute of Political Economy, Carleton University and sent via email care of peco@cunet.carleton.ca. Consideration of complete applications will begin after December 1, 2026, and until a suitable candidate has been selected. The position will remain open until filled.

Please provide a statement that identifies your strengths and/or experience in advancing equity, diversity and inclusion in your teaching, service, and/or scholarly activities.

About Carleton University

Located in Ottawa, Carleton is an innovative teaching and research institution with a tradition of leading change. Internationally recognized academics, staff, and researchers engage more than 31,000 students in over 100 programs of study.

Carleton University is 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 and gender equity-seeking groups; racialized individuals; Indigenous Peoples; persons with disabilities; and persons of any sexual orientation and/or gender expression. Furthermore, Carleton understands that career paths vary, and interruptions will not prejudice the assessment process. We invite you to review our revitalized Indigenous strategy, [Kinàmàgawin](https://carleton.ca/indigenousinitiatives/cu-files/kinamagawin/) at <https://carleton.ca/indigenousinitiatives/cu-files/kinamagawin/> and visit our [Department of Equity and Inclusive Communities](http://carleton.ca/equity) at <http://carleton.ca/equity> for information about our commitment to leadership in the areas of equity, diversity, and inclusion.

Accessibility is a university strategic priority and applicants selected for an interview who require accommodations are invited to contact the Director as soon as possible to ensure that appropriate arrangements may be made.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply. All positions are subject to budgetary approval.