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Sir Wilfred Grenfell College - Corner Brook campus of Memorial University of Newfoundland - Tenure Track Position in Environmental Policy -- Assistant or Associate Professor

(VPA# GRSS 2009 001) - <http://www.geog.uvic.ca/dept/cag/jobs.htm#L815>

Sir Wilfred Grenfell College, the Corner Brook campus of Memorial University of Newfoundland, is a liberal arts and science institution with an expanding interdisciplinary environmental research focus. The College's distinctive multi- and interdisciplinary four-year Bachelor's degrees include Environmental Studies, Sustainable Resource Management, Environmental Science, and Tourism. Small classes permit a balance between teaching and research. Opportunities exist to develop research collaborations with staff from both provincial and federal agencies located on campus or in the immediate vicinity of Corner Brook. We seek candidates who are or who show promise to be exceptional researchers and teachers and who will become engaged in our community.

Corner Brook (population 22,000) is a safe and friendly city in an area of great natural beauty near world-class recreation and cultural facilities. The city is approximately 80 kilometers from Gros Morne National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and 10 kilometers from Marble Mountain, one of Eastern Canada's premier downhill ski resorts.

Tenure Track position in Environmental Policy at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor to commence December 1, 2009. VPA# GRSS 2009 001. We encourage applications from candidates specializing in environmental policy from a variety of fields including law, public policy, geography, political science, economics, sociology, and environmental studies. Specific area of expertise may include environmental law, renewable and non-renewable resources, land use planning, international environmental policy, climate change, or conservation. The successful candidate will be a member of the Environmental Studies Program Unit and will contribute to the ongoing development of the Environmental Policy Institute and the proposed Master's in Environmental Policy. The teaching load (graduate and undergraduate courses related to environmental policy) will be commensurate with program building responsibilities and contributions. Ph.D. or near completion required. Candidates must have demonstrated research success in environmental policy (or a closely related field) and teaching effectiveness.

A completed doctorate is required for the appointee to receive the rank of Assistant Professor and to be in a tenure-track position. If a successful candidate has not completed an earned doctorate, he or she shall be appointed to a regular term, non-renewable three-year appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor. If the candidate completes all the requirements for the doctorate during the first 24 months of his or her term

appointment, he or she shall begin a tenure-track appointment following completion of the requirements of the degree.

The position is subject to budgetary approval. For details about this position and application procedures, visit our website: <http://www.swgc.mun.ca/admin/Pages/tenure.aspx>

Deadline for receipt of applications is August 1, 2009. A letter of application along with a curriculum vitae, up to three peer-reviewed publications, a teaching dossier including evaluations, and the names of three references should be sent to:

Dr. William Iams, Vice-Principal
Sir Wilfred Grenfell College
Memorial University of Newfoundland
Corner Brook, NL A2H 6P9
Phone: (709) 637-6231; Fax: (709) 637-6218; Email: vice-principal@swgc.mun.ca

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University of Illinois - International and Global Studies - Visiting Lecturer/Instructor - Urbana campus

Job Available: **08/16/2009** For full consideration, apply by: **6/5/2009**

Job Description: The LAS-International/Global Studies Program is seeking a Visiting Lecturer/Instructor to contribute to: 1) the development and teaching of core courses for Global Studies, 2) the advising and mentoring of Global Studies majors, and 3) general program development and support. Candidates should be able to teach undergraduate courses in Global Studies and in their area of specialization. This is a non-tenure track, 10-month position.

Minimum Education and Work Experience: Lecturer: PhD degree required. Instructor: Master's degree required. Degree must be in International or Global Studies or related, internationally-oriented program, such as Development Studies, Transnational Economic Relations, Global Health, Environment and Sustainability, or Human Rights. Preferred experience: relevant teaching, academic advising, and/or international education program development.

To Apply for this Position: For full consideration, materials (letter of interest, CV, supporting materials and names and contact information for three references) must be received by **June 8, 2009**.

Applications forwarded to:

Dr. Barbara Hancin-Bhatt
c/o. Judy Harris
LAS International/Global Studies
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
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608 S. Wright St.
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UW-Madison – State Cartographer – PVL#60760

http://www.ohr.wisc.edu/pvl/pv_060760.html

Degree and area of specialization: Master's Degree either in Cartography, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Geography, Land Information Systems, or closely related field is required.

Minimum number of years and type of relevant work experience: The ideal candidate for this position will possess a wide breadth and depth of relevant education, training, and experience in cartography and geospatial technologies. A high level of interest and enthusiasm for the responsibilities assigned this position is critical.

Mandatory qualifications include:

- 8 years professional experience in geospatial activities.
- 3 years professional experience in any combination of supervision and project management/administration.
- Demonstrated ability to work independently, and take a leadership role in a team environment with diverse constituents.
- Demonstrated current knowledge of mapping and GIS procedures, data and trends, and geospatial data creation technologies including GPS, aerial photography, and satellite imaging systems.
- Demonstrated high level of written and oral communication.
- Familiarity with local, state, and national mapping and geospatial data requirements, programs, and trends.

Desirable qualifications include:

- Leadership experience in creating or implementing public geospatial policy.
- Experience in government coordination, and/or community relations.
- Prior experience working in an institution of higher education.

Full time salary rate: **Minimum** \$71,380 ANNUAL (12 months) Depending on Qualifications

Anticipated begin date: JULY 07, 2009

TO ENSURE CONSIDERATION Application must be received by: JUNE 15, 2009

HOW TO APPLY: List of three references required in addition to resume and cover letter referring to Position Vacancy Listing #60760 to:

Jim Knox, Chair, Search and Screen Committee
Department of Geography, University of Wisconsin – Madison
550 North Park Street
Madison WI 53706
Email: knox@geography.wisc.edu
Phone: 608-262-1804
TTY: 608-263-2473
Fax: 608-265-3991

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Lecturer in Environmental Studies - School of Geography, Environment, and Earth Sciences - Victoria University of Wellington - Kelburn Campus, Wellington, New Zealand

Application deadline: Friday, 29 May 2009

The School of Geography, Environment, and Earth Sciences at Victoria University of Wellington in New Zealand seeks applicants for a research and teaching position in Environmental Studies. The successful candidate will be expected to teach mainly undergraduate joint Environmental Studies /Geography courses, supervise postgraduate students, and periodically coordinate the undergraduate Environmental Studies major.

The successful candidate will hold a PhD in environmental studies, environmental geography, or a closely related discipline. S/He will have an internationally recognized research publication record as well as a proven track record of high quality teaching and supervision, and a demonstrated ability to disseminate findings to

multidisciplinary audiences. Junior applicants who have already begun to establish a strong research record will be actively considered.

The position is a permanent posting on the Kelburn Campus in Wellington, New Zealand. The deadline for applications is Friday, 29 May 2009. For further information, please search for reference number A109-09Q at: <http://vacancies.vuw.ac.nz>.

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ASSISTANT OR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR - Geography/Center for Business and Economic Research- Univ of Tennessee

The University of Tennessee is accepting applications for a 12-Month, tenure track position at the Assistant or Associate Professor level. The position is a joint appointment between the Department of Geography (<http://web.utk.edu/~utkgeog/>) and the Center of Business and Economic Research (<http://bus.utk.edu.cber>). We seek an analytical population geographer with forecasting skills and strong quantitative capabilities. Teaching load is one course per year with the remainder of effort spent on CBER projects and other academic research. The successful candidate's primary role in CBER will involve population and demographic analysis and forecasting, but the candidate will have the opportunity to participate in a broader range of CBER projects. Candidates should hold a doctoral degree in geography or a closely related field or expect to complete all degree requirements by his or her starting date.

To apply: Applications should include a curriculum vitae and a cover letter highlighting the applicant's qualifications for the position. Applicants should also have three references send supporting letters to the search committee chair. Send materials to: Recruiting Committee, Center for Business and Economic Research, 804 Volunteer Boulevard, Temple Court, The University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN 37996-4334.

Review of applications will begin October 15, 2008 and will continue until the position is filled.

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UBC Okanagan – Geography Instructor positions

The Community, Culture and Global Studies Unit of the Irving K. Barber School of Arts and Sciences at UBC Okanagan requires one or more instructors for the following geography courses:

Winter Session: Term 1 (September - December 2009)

GEOG 265: Tourism and Recreation Geography

GEOG 458: Population Geography

GEOG 491: Selected Topics in Geography

Winter Session: Term 2 (January– April, 2010)

GEOG 290: Introduction to the Geography of Canada

GEOG 423: Development of Environmental Thought

Applicants with a PhD in the discipline, or a related discipline, and relevant research and post-secondary teaching experience preferred. Interested applicants should forward a curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to the Unit Head.

Please send application documents in electronic format using WORD or PDF files to: ccgs.admin@ubc.ca or send documents via mail to:

Sherry Dyck, Unit Assistant
Community, Culture and Global Studies
University of British Columbia Okanagan,
3333 University Way,
Kelowna, B.C. V1V 1V7
Phone: (250) 807-9337

Fax: (250) 807-8001

or more information regarding the position contact: bernard.momer@ubc.ca

All positions are subject to funding.

UBC Okanagan hires on the basis of merit and is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from women, visible minority group members, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity, and others who may contribute to further diversification of ideas. However, Canadians and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.

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Chicago, IL – DePaul Univ - Instructor position in Physical Geography and/or GIS

DEPAUL UNIVERSITY, Department of Geography, Chicago, IL 60614. The Department of Geography announces a non-tenure track **Instructor** position in **Physical Geography and/or GIS during the academic year 2009-2010**. DePaul University is an affirmative action and equal opportunities employer. The University is a "Research University II" which places great emphasis both on excellence in teaching and in sustained and superior scholarship. The Department has strengths in GIS/remote sensing, urban geography, critical cultural geography, social and environmental geography, geopolitics and critical technology studies.

The successful candidate would either be a PhD in Geography or a related discipline, an advanced doctoral student in Geography or related discipline, or a MA/MS holder in Geography or related discipline. All candidates should have strong teaching experience and a record of excellence. The primary role of the candidate is to offer introductory courses in the physical geography and/or geotechnology curricula. The starting date for this position is 01 September 2009. The instructor will teach two sections per academic quarter (a total of six courses during the academic year).

Information about the Department can be found at <http://las.depaul.edu/geography/> Applications should include (1) an academic CV, (2) a cover letter that addresses teaching interests, (3) evidence of teaching excellence, (4) contact details for two letters of reference. The Search Committee will start considering applications immediately, and will consider applications until the position is filled. Please direct your submissions to Geography Search 2009, DePaul University, Department of Geography, 990 W. Fullerton Avenue, Suite 4300, Chicago, IL 60614. Email submissions are welcome and encouraged. Please attach relevant documents as MS Word or PDF files. (E-mail: Dr. Euan Hague, Interim Chair: ehague@depaul.edu).