

Tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor in Teacher Education

WHAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

We are currently seeking applications for a tenure track position in the Faculty of Education at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor that has a teaching specialization in Social Justice Education. The successful candidate will be responsible for teaching the common course for both of our After Degree programs that prepares future teachers for issues of diversity, equity, and inclusion in the classroom. The successful candidate may choose between either the Teaching-Research-Service or the Teaching-Service streams, respectively. Participation as a graduate student supervisor in our Masters in Catholic Education Leadership may also be possible.

ABOUT ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY:

St. Mary's University is a dynamic and innovative teaching and research university located on a beautiful historic site. We provide affordable, accredited and highly valued degrees in the Liberal Arts, Sciences and Education. Founded in the Catholic Intellectual Tradition, and as the only independent Catholic university in Canada, St. Mary's University prepares its students to live with integrity, compassion and confidence while embodying a compassionate commitment to ethics, social justice, and respect for diversity of opinion and belief. St. Mary's became a proud member of Universities Canada in 2022, and has over 1000 full- and part-time students, approximately 200 full- and part-time faculty and staff, and an average class size of 25.

Located in Mohkínstsis (Calgary) on the ancestral territory of the Blackfoot Confederacy (Siksika, Kainai, and, Piikani First Nations), the Tsuut'ina and Îyârhe Nakoda Nations, as well as the Metis Nation, Region 3, St. Mary's is focused on developing the whole person: mind, body and spirit.

Consistent with our Catholic values, St. Mary's University is committed to fostering an institutional culture that values, supports, and promotes equity, human rights, respect, and accountability within our community. St. Mary's is a university where all are welcome and inclusive excellence is important. We are committed to removing barriers for those who have been historically underrepresented or discouraged in our society.

APPOINTMENT DATE: July 1, 2024 (can be flexible)

QUALIFICATIONS & ATTRIBUTES:

- PhD or EdD by date of appointment.
- A BEd or equivalent (preference will be given to those with K-12 teaching experience).
- Demonstrated post-secondary teaching excellence in Social Justice Education. (The ability to teach
 courses in Social Studies Methods, Secondary Science Methods, and/or the History of Educational
 Ideas would also be an asset).
- An active, documented research program in any area of Education.
- Ability to promote, or at least respect, the institution's Catholic mission and identity.
- Ability to promote equity, diversity, and inclusion, as well as Truth and Reconciliation.

 Desired skills/behaviours include competency in teamwork/collaboration, stakeholder service, communication, problem solving/planning, fostering an inclusive & respectful environment, accountability/responsibility, innovation/continuous learning and improvement.

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT:

As a part of the St. Mary's University family, eligible employees receive a competitive compensation package and comprehensive total rewards program that includes, but not limited to, a group benefits package, health spending account, RRSP matching, generous time off, and tuition remission. Compensation will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

APPLICATIONS:

Applications, including a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and statements of research and teaching philosophy (no more than 2 pages each), teaching dossier including sample course outlines and evidence of teaching effectiveness and 3 supporting letters of reference should be submitted directly via email to careers@stmu.ca in word or pdf format, with the Subject Line of: "Teacher Education" by end of day on December 15, 2023. We are unable to accept applications and dossiers through third party platforms.

St. Mary's University is an equal opportunity institution committed to an inclusive, barrier-free recruitment and selection process and work environment. All qualified candidates are welcome to apply and applications from members of historically marginalized groups who may contribute to the further diversification of the university faculy are especially encouraged. Support services and accommodations are available if required to ensure an equitable, and inclusive working environment. To ensure a fair and equitable assessment, questions regarding equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility can be sent to the Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) Committee (EDI@stmu.ca) and requests for accommodations at any stage of the recruitment process can be sent to Human Resources (careers@stmu.ca). Any information received relating to accommodation will be addressed confidentially. We encourage all qualified individuals to apply. Priority will be given to Canadians and permanent residents of Canada.

We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those applicants being interviewed will be contacted. **No phone calls please**.

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