Posting Number: 03420

Position Title: Assistant Professor or Provost Fellow

Position Type: Faculty

Division/School: SOCIAL SCIENCES DIVISION

Hiring Unit: SOCIOLOGY

Position Description:

The Department of Sociology invites applications for one or more tenure-track position(s). All sociological areas of specialization will be considered but the Department has a particular interest in the areas of race and ethnicity, health disparities, and migration. A goal of the search is to increase the diversity of the faculty in the Division of Social Sciences, and we therefore welcome applicants who come from groups that are historically underrepresented in the disciplines noted above, such as black/African American, Hispanic/Latino, American Indian or Alaskan Native.

The successful candidate(s) will be appointed either as an Assistant Professor or as Provost Fellow with an initial two-year appointment at the faculty rank of Instructor. This initial period is intended to serve in lieu of a postdoctoral appointment for the same period, during which Provost Fellows will teach one class per year. At the end of the initial term, Provost Fellows will ordinarily be promoted to Assistant Professor.

Appointments may begin as early as July 1, 2018. Candidates must have the Ph.D. in-hand, and no more than two years of postdoctoral experience, by the start of the appointment.

Applications must be submitted online, at the University of Chicago's academic Career Opportunities website, http://tinyurl.com/y8zup2vd, and are required to include 1) a cover letter; 2) a curriculum vitae including the names and contact information for at least three references who may be contacted at a later date; 3) a research and teaching statement, including concrete descriptions of future plans for research and teaching philosophy; and 4) one or more recently published chapters, articles, or books. Review of applications will begin on 09/30/2017, and continue until the position is filled or the search has ended. Only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

Additional Information or Requirements:

Questions regarding the application process should be sent to Meredith Clason at mclason@uchicago.edu.

Statement:

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Required Applicant Documents:

- Cover Letter
- Curriculum Vitae
- Teaching Statement
- Reference Contact Info
- Research Statement
- Publication 1

Optional Applicant Documents:

- Publication 2
- Publication 3

Other documents to attach:
For additional support, please visit http://peopleadminsupport.com/5-8/