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Assistant Professor in Recreation and Leisure Studies

Faculty of Kinesiology, Sport, and Recreation

Competition No. - **A103837640**

Closing Date - **Will remain open until filled.**

The Faculty of Kinesiology, Sport, and Recreation at the University of Alberta invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position in Recreation with a focus on Tourism and/or Leisure Studies at the rank of Assistant Professor with an anticipated start date of July 1, 2019.

The Faculty of Kinesiology, Sport, and Recreation creates and shares the best understandings and applications of physical activity, sport, and recreation for the public good. With 39 Faculty members and over 1,100 undergraduate and graduate students studying across a range of disciplines, the Faculty is complex, richly diverse in its research and integrated in its make-up. The Faculty was founded in 1964, making it one of the oldest faculties of its type in Canada and one that has long been a leader at an international level as exemplified by being the first faculty of physical education and recreation in the Commonwealth to offer a doctoral degree (1967). We continue to build on this legacy with a vision of "outstanding achievements in learning, discovery and citizenship that contribute to quality of life and the health of our communities through physical activity, sport, and recreation".

The Assistant Professor of recreation and leisure studies will teach into our Bachelor of Arts in Recreation, Sport and Tourism (BARST) and contribute to the Faculty's advancement of leisure studies-related research, through a specialization in recreation, sport and/or tourism. Applicants must have completed a PhD and relevant postdoctoral experience is preferred. The successful candidate will bring a record of achievement commensurate with appointment at an Assistant Professor level. This should include a record of publication in quality peer-reviewed journals as well as demonstrated potential to secure Tri-Council research funding. The successful candidate will be expected to make a contribution to high-quality undergraduate and graduate teaching and research.

Applicants will apply online and should provide: (i) a current curriculum vitae (CV); (ii) a cover letter indicating the reasons for your interest in the position and how you satisfy the minimum and desirable qualifications; (iii) a statement of research interests and needs; (iv) a statement of teaching experience and expertise; and, (v) names of three references.

To assist the University in complying with mandatory reporting requirements of the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act (R203(3) (e)), please include the first digit of your Canadian Social Insurance Number in your application. If you do not have a Canadian Social Insurance Number, please indicate this in your application.

The position will remain open until filled.

Review of applications will begin December 10, 2018

To learn more about this opportunity, contact

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The University thanks applicants for their interest, but advises that only candidates shortlisted for interviews will be notified of the application result

How to Apply

Apply Online

Note: Online applications are accepted until midnight Mountain Standard Time of the closing date.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. If suitable Canadian citizens or permanent residents cannot be found, other individuals will be considered.

The University of Alberta is committed to an equitable, diverse, and inclusive workforce. We welcome applications from all qualified persons. We encourage women; First Nations, Métis and Inuit persons; members of visible minority groups; persons with disabilities; persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expression; and all those who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas and the University to apply.