## **Assistant Professor of Urban Planning**

## **Position Description**

The City and Regional Planning Graduate Program in the College of Architecture, Planning and Public Affairs (CAPPA) at the University of Texas at Arlington (UTA) invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position in Urban Planning to begin in fall 2020.

Applicants must have a Ph.D. in planning or a closely related field by May 2020.

We seek a colleague with a research focus in one or more of the following areas: environmental planning, urban design & sustainable development, smart & resilient cities. The successful candidate should have a demonstrable research agenda that will contribute to the furtherance of Theme 2 of UTA's Strategic Plan: Sustainable Urban Communities (<u>https://www.uta.edu/strategicplan/plan/themes/communities.php</u>). The candidate should be able to teach courses in urban design, environmental planning and policy, sustainable land use, metropolitan sustainability, and/or housing policy, as well as graphics and multimedia communication. The preferred candidate is also expected to supervise theses and dissertations in the planning programs and urban design. The candidate who can contribute to multiple emphasis areas and our certificate programs is preferred. Candidates should have a strong commitment to transdisciplinary approaches to challenging urban issues and advance our commitment to diversity and inclusion. Candidates will be expected to serve on departmental, college, and university committees. AICP certification and experience in professional planning and community outreach and service are also very welcomed qualifications.

The accredited Master of City and Regional Planning (MCRP) and the Ph.D. in Urban Planning and Public Policy (UPPP) are two of the seven graduate degrees offered by CAPPA. With a broadly-trained multidisciplinary faculty, the college also offers a Ph.D. in Public Administration and Public Policy, Master of Public Policy, Master of Public Administration, Master of Landscape Architecture, and Master of Architecture. The college's six research centers, which include the Water & Human Settlements Initiative, the state-funded Institute of Urban Studies, the David Dillon Center for Texas Architecture, Arlington Urban Design Center, the Digital Architecture Research Consortium, and the Center for Metropolitan Density, conduct research and professional projects throughout the metropolitan region, the state, and beyond. Additionally, UTA is an R1 institution in the heart of the Dallas-Fort Worth metroplex, which provides an ideal setting for research and community service.

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until November 30. For full consideration, applications should be submitted by October 15, 2019. Applicants must apply online at <a href="https://uta.peopleadmin.com/">https://uta.peopleadmin.com/</a>. A complete application includes: 1) curriculum vitae, 2) summary of current and proposed research (max. two pages), 3) statement of teaching interests (max. one page), and 4) names and email addresses of three references.

Question regarding this position may be directed via email to Dr. Jianling Li, Search Committee Chair (jj...@uta.edu). As an equal employment opportunity and affirmative action employer, it is the policy of UTA to promote and ensure equal employment opportunity for all individuals without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, or veteran status. A criminal background check will be conducted on finalists. UTA is a tobacco free campus.

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