The University of Nebraska at Omaha (UNO) School of Criminology and Criminal Justice (SCCJ) invites applications for a tenure-track assistant or associate professor position to begin August 17, 2020. Candidates must hold a Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, or a related field. ABD candidates who anticipate earning their degree prior to August 2020 will also be considered. Candidates should demonstrate their potential for, or achievement in, developing a nationally recognized research agenda (e.g., publications in high impact criminology and criminal justice journals, securing external funding); demonstrate an interest in applied criminal justice (i.e., engaging in funded research with criminal justice agencies and organizations); and, demonstrate an ability or interest in teaching and mentoring students. Area of specialization is open.

UNO is a premier metropolitan university and has been designated a Doctoral Granting Research University by the Carnegie Foundation. Located in the heart of Omaha adjacent to city parks and thriving neighborhoods, the UNO campus has a growing student population with more than 15,000 students. New student housing, ongoing expansion and renovation of buildings, and strong NCAA Division I sports add to a rich campus life firmly rooted in strong university-community partnerships.

SCCJ is a nationally recognized Ph.D. granting program with courses offered on the Omaha and Lincoln campuses in the University of Nebraska system. This position is assigned to the Omaha campus. We offer degrees at the undergraduate, masters, and doctoral level. SCCJ has approximately 900 majors and 100 graduate students at the Masters and Doctoral level. SCCJ has excellent resources to support faculty research, strong ties to local and state criminal justice agencies, and houses the legislatively funded Nebraska Center for Justice Research, and the Juvenile Justice Institute. The typical teaching load for research active faculty is two classes per semester (2/2).

Omaha is a dynamic and energetic city with approximately one million people residing in the metropolitan area. A strong economy coupled with a lower than average cost of living make it one of the 15 best affordable places to live in the US in 2019. Excellent schools, numerous cultural events, outdoor activities, and an active riverfront and downtown area highlight the strong community spirit of this Midwest gem.

To apply, submit an application letter and curriculum vitae to the UNO Human Resources website (https://unomaha.peopleadmin.com/postings/9257). Direct inquiries about the search to: Dr. Justin Nix, Search Committee Chair (jnix@unomaha.edu). Review of applicants will begin on September 27, 2019 and continue until the position is filled. Applicants must hold a Ph.D. at the time of the appointment.

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