Two Tenure-Track Assistant Professor Positions

George Mason University’s Department of Criminology, Law and Society invites applicants for two full-time tenure-track Assistant Professor positions to start August 2021.

George Mason University is a doctoral research university designated by the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education as an institution of "highest research activity" (R1). The Criminology, Law and Society Department and Mason as an institution have a strong commitment to the achievement of excellence and diversity among their faculty and staff and strongly encourage candidates to apply who will enrich Mason's academic and culturally inclusive environment. George Mason University is the largest public research university in the state of Virginia and has one of the nation's most diverse student populations. We strongly value being an equal opportunity employer.

About the Department of Criminology, Law and Society

The Department of Criminology, Law and Society is a top-ranked, multidisciplinary unit that offers degrees at the bachelor's, master's, and doctoral levels. Our graduate program balances theory, empirical research, and policy applications. Our undergraduate program has concentrations in law and society, criminal justice, and homeland security. The department embraces a wide range of methodological approaches and scholarship that contribute to the goals of a fairer, more socially just, and effective criminal justice system. More information on the department and the research activities of the faculty and various research centers and labs is available at https://cls.gmu.edu/.

Responsibilities and Required Qualifications

The department is seeking candidates with active research agendas in any area of criminology, criminal justice, and law and society. Preferred areas of expertise for our department include corrections and cybercrime, but all applications will be considered. A Ph.D. in a relevant field of study is required. Applicants near the completion of their doctorate will also be considered. Successful candidates should be strongly committed to teaching in a multidisciplinary environment and working with a diverse student population. Successful candidates should also demonstrate promise in scholarly research.

Review of applications will begin on September 15, 2020, and continue until the positions are filled. Applicants must apply online at http://jobs.gmu.edu for position number F328Az; complete the faculty application; and attach a cover letter, C.V., and one to three representative research articles. Also, three letters of reference should be submitted by the letter writers via e-mail to clsjobs@gmu.edu; or via USPS mail to Ms. Sharon Corradino, Criminology, Law, and Society, George Mason University, MS 4F4, Fairfax, VA 22030. Inquiries about the position can be addressed to the department chair, James Willis at jwillis4@gmu.edu.