Position Announcement: Postdoctoral Fellow for Academic Diversity
Department of Justice, Law and Criminology
School of Public Affairs
American University

The Department of Justice, Law and Criminology (JLC) in the School of Public Affairs at American University invites applications for a two-year full-time, postdoctoral fellow beginning August 1, 2020 and ending August 31, 2022. Applicants should have a PhD or an anticipated PhD completion by August 2020 in the field of criminology, criminal justice, or a related field.

American University prides itself on having a diverse workforce and to that end encourages applications from underrepresented minorities interested in advancing their stellar careers in Criminology, Criminal Justice, and policy. Field of study is open but candidates conducting research in areas that build upon the strength of JLC’s faculty are especially welcome including criminological theory, victimization, race and justice, comparative criminology, and other areas. The postdoctoral fellow will participate fully in the academic life of the department, including engaging with faculty and students and working on and disseminating their own research. Teaching responsibilities will include two courses per academic year in the school’s Master of Justice, Law and Criminology program.

Salary and benefits are competitive. Review of applications will begin on February 12, 2020 and will continue until the position is filled. Please submit applications http://apply.interfolio.com/73437. Include a letter of application, curriculum vitae, recent teaching evaluations (when possible), three reference letters, and copies of recently published articles or working papers. Please email jlcsearch@american.edu if you have any questions.

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