Assistant Professor, Tenure-Track—Criminal Justice

The Department of Criminal Justice at New Mexico State University invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position beginning August 17, 2020.

About the Department: The Department of Criminal Justice is in the College of Arts & Sciences and offers a Bachelor of Criminal Justice and a Master of Criminal Justice (on campus and online). We are an interdisciplinary faculty and our Department includes eight tenured/tenure-track faculty and two full-time college-track faculty. Faculty are expected to serve both the online and campus programs. We serve approximately 650 undergraduate majors and 60 graduate students. Faculty research areas include national and international policing, juvenile justice, the death penalty, corrections, courts and sentencing, race, immigration, colonias, identity formation, and the borderlands.

The Department of Criminal Justice at NMSU is fully committed to the missions associated with our Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI), Minority Serving Institution (MSI), and Land-Grant status.
Departmental website: crimjust.nmsu.edu

Description of Duties: Successful applicants must demonstrate the ability to contribute to the mission of the Department in teaching, research, and service. The specific responsibilities of the position include teaching 9 credit hours per semester of some combination of undergraduate and graduate courses online and on-campus from existing curriculum and new courses created in an applicant's specialty area, student advising/mentoring, conducting scholarship/research, participating in university and community service.

Required Qualifications: Completion of all requirements for a Ph.D. in Criminology, Criminal Justice, or related discipline by August 17, 2020. For this position, we are looking for someone whose research specialty is in the area of criminology although we will consider candidates able to complement existing areas of specialty of our multi-disciplinary faculty.

-ABD candidates who will complete their degree by August 17, 2020 will also be considered.

-A J.D., alone, does not meet the requirement for the appropriate terminal degree for this position.

Preferred Qualifications: We seek exceptional candidates who can teach a variety of criminal justice required courses, including but not limited to, criminological theory at the graduate and undergraduate levels. The ability to teach in other areas that enhance and/or complement current departmental strengths is welcomed. The potential for extramural funding is also desirable.

Application Instructions and Contact Information: Applicants must electronically submit all of the following documents: (1) letter of interest addressing qualifications, (2) curriculum vitae, (3) teaching statement, (4) research statement, and (5) contact information of three professional references. If you have questions about the position, please contact the Search Committee Chair, Dr. Carlos Posadas, at cposadas@nmsu.edu.

Application Deadline: Review of applications will start immediately. Full consideration will be given to applications received by December 2, 2019. The search will proceed until the position is filled.

To Apply, visit https://artsci.nmsu.edu/current-jobs/

New Mexico State University sits on a 900-acre campus and enrolls more than 15,000 students from 49 states and 89 foreign countries. NMSU is a NASA Space Grant College and is home to the very first Honors College in New Mexico. A Hispanic-serving institution, NMSU serves a multi-cultural population of students and community members across the state at five campuses, a satellite learning center in Albuquerque, cooperative extension offices located in each of New Mexico's 33 counties, and 12 agriculture research and science centers. Plus, distance education programs give students maximum flexibility. NMSU is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer committed to assembling a diverse, broadly trained faculty and staff. Women, minorities, people with disabilities, and veterans are strongly encouraged to apply.

-Start date August 17, 2020.