Assistant Professor  
Posting #FAPS01-21 CPA

Counselling  
Department of Psychology  
College of Arts, Social and Health Sciences  
Tenure-Track

The University of Northern British Columbia, in conjunction with the Department of Psychology, invites applications for a tenure-track position in Psychology, at the rank of Assistant Professor. UNBC’s Department of Psychology offers BSc, MSc, and PhD degree programs in Psychology, as well as an MEd in Counselling. The start date for this position is July 1, 2021.

The ideal candidate will hold a PhD, have a demonstrated record of teaching and research excellence, current membership as a professional counsellor in BC (or ability to attain membership), counselling supervision experience, knowledge of community resources/practicum agencies, and demonstrated excellence in organizational and communication skills. Evidence of culturally and socially relevant knowledge and practice will be required, as will demonstrated conscientiousness and integrity in professional conduct. Research interests applicable to counselling or clinical psychology are preferred, and graduate and undergraduate supervision is expected.

The successful candidate will work with faculty members in the Department of Psychology to ensure outstanding counselling education and practice. The candidate will have the opportunity to teach in multiple modalities. Teaching activities may occur in multiple sites, including student practicum locations.

The Department of Psychology values diversity within its community. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Northern British Columbia is committed to employment equity and encourages applications from women, aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities and members of visible minorities.

Driving within the Prince George area between practicum sites is required. Therefore, a valid BC driver’s license is required.

About the University and its Community

Located in the spectacular landscape of northern British Columbia, UNBC is one of Canada’s best small research-intensive universities, with a core campus in Prince George and three regional campuses in Northern BC (Quesnel, Fort St. John and Terrace). We have a passion for teaching, discovery, people, the environment, and the North. Our region is comprised of friendly communities, offering a wide range of outdoor activities including exceptional skiing, canoeing and kayaking, fly fishing, hiking, and mountain biking. The lakes, forests and mountains of northern and central British Columbia offer an unparalleled natural environment in which to live and work.
UNBC provides outstanding undergraduate and graduate learning opportunities that explore cultures, health, economies, sciences, and the environment. As one of BC’s leading research-intensive universities, we bring the excitement of new knowledge to our students, and the outcomes of our teaching and research to the world. In addition to fostering and celebrating academic excellence, UNBC is a welcoming place, with a learning environment that is friendly, inclusive, and supportive.

Small classes and a connected community exemplify UNBC and mean that our students and professors get to know one another. Outstanding academics, hands-on research, unlimited adventure and a tight-knit campus community result in strong student satisfaction at UNBC.

For the past 10 years, UNBC has placed in the top three in its category in the annual Maclean’s University Rankings, the only university of its size to achieve that feat. UNBC also recently placed among the top 4 per cent of higher education institutions worldwide in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings.

For more information about living and working with the University of Northern British Columbia please refer to http://www.unbc.ca/experience and http://www.unbc.ca/provost/new_faculty.html. Make your mark with this leading post-secondary institution.

To Apply

Applicants should forward their cover letter indicating potential contributions to the Program, curriculum vitae, a brief statement of teaching approaches and research program, and the names and addresses of three references (including telephone and email information) quoting posting #FAPS01-21 CPA to:

Office of the Provost, University of Northern British Columbia
3333 University Way, Prince George, B.C., V2N 4Z9

Email submissions: FacultyRecruitment@unbc.ca
Inquiries: Dr. Paul Siakaluk, Chair of Psychology
Paul.Siakaluk@unbc.ca
250-960-6120

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We thank all applicants for their interest in UNBC however, only those applicants selected for further consideration will be contacted.

Applications received on or before March 23, 2021, will receive full consideration; however, applications will be accepted until the position is filled.