Assistant Professor – Clinical Psychology

The Department of Psychology at Concordia University of Edmonton invites applications for two (2) fulltime continuing-appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor in Clinical Psychology. The area of specialization is open, as we seek applicants with interest/expertise in all areas of Clinical Psychology. Expertise with adults, older adults, health psychology, and/or neuropsychology is desired.

Concordia University of Edmonton (CUE) is a community of learning grounded in scholarship and academic freedom, preparing students to be independent thinkers, ethical leaders, and citizens for the common good. CUE is committed to fostering a diverse, equitable, and inclusive environment for work, study, and living. We actively promote dignity for all, rejecting action and language that are harmful to mutual respect.

CUE is situated on the banks of the North Saskatchewan River in Edmonton's historic Highlands neighborhood. Supporting a student body of over 3,000, we are known for our small class sizes and excellence in teaching. These features, and our diverse student population, provide an excellent opportunity for engaging with students in a sustained and nurturing way unique within the Canadian university system. CUE is an institution that values research in the sciences, social sciences, humanities, and management.

Housed within the Faculty of Arts, the Psychology Department has the largest undergraduate enrollments on campus, an energetic close-knit faculty, and applied psychology emphases throughout. We offer three undergraduate programs and a Doctor of Psychology (PsyD) program in clinical psychology. The PsyD program provides broad and general training in the field and is housed in the Allan Wachowich Centre for Science, Research, and Innovation. This Centre includes a state-of-the-art training clinic, research labs, faculty offices, and many other excellent Centres. Information about the Wachowich Centre can be found at: <u>https://concordia.ab.ca/research/csri/</u>

The successful candidates will exemplify excellent professional citizenship and act as a role model in the field. They will advise and mentor graduate and undergraduate students, teach foundation courses in the Psychology Department and PsyD program, and supervise dissertation research. They will demonstrate commitment to and understanding of the scholar-practitioner model and participate in ongoing PsyD program development. They will demonstrate expertise in their specialty area and engage in ongoing research and scholarship and regularly pursue external funding. In addition to publishing in peer-reviewed journals, the successful applicant will also publish in newsletters and other practitioner-oriented outlets. They will also develop and deliver training workshops for professionals in the community.

Information about the PsyD program can be found at: <u>https://concordia.ab.ca/faculty-arts/graduate-programs/psyd/</u>

This position is available to begin on January 1, 2024, or shortly thereafter.

Qualifications:

- PhD or PsyD in clinical psychology or counselling psychology from CPA- or APA-accredited program.
- CPA-, APA-, and/or APPIC-accredited predoctoral internship/residency.
- Registration (or registration eligibility) as a Psychologist in Alberta.
- Experience advising and supervising student research, dissertations, and clinical work.

- Excellence in both research and teaching, or strong potential to develop such excellence.
- A willingness and ability to take on supportive academic administrative duties, including overseeing doctoral student practicum placements.
- Knowledge of CPA-accredited doctoral programs in clinical psychology, with a commitment and ability to advance the quality and content of the PsyD program, courses, initiatives, and student learning experience.
- Demonstrated ability to work collegially as a team member with a variety of teams and stakeholder groups.
- Familiarity with educational and clinical technologies, with an aptitude to learn new software as required, including online web-based psychological testing.

The normal teaching assignment is nine hours per semester. In addition, the successful candidate must assume academic administrative duties and will be committed to growing the diversity of and building professional relationships with faculty, staff, students, and the broader community promoting diversity and inclusion as broadly understood.

Interested individuals may contact Dr. Brett Buchanan, Dean, Arts, for further information at <u>dean.arts@concordia.ab.ca</u>.

Closing Date: Application review will commence on **October 1st, 2023,** and will continue until the position is filled. Please note that this position is subject to budgetary approval.

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience as per <u>Concordia's Faculty Association</u> <u>Collective Agreement. https://documents.concordia.ab.ca/s/AnawWE4PT3enxkV83ridUQ</u>

Application package must include:

- A cover letter (including a statement of citizenship/immigration status);
- Current curriculum vitae, including a list of refereed publications;
- A teaching portfolio, including a statement on teaching philosophy and teaching preferences;
- A research statement, including two (2) representative publications;
- Recent student evaluations of university teaching (if applicable); and
- A statement describing experience in activities that promote diversity and inclusion, broadly understood, and/or plans to make future contributions.

Please note the following:

- The shortlisted candidates will be requested to provide three confidential professional and/or post-secondary letters of reference.
- The successful candidate must be able to provide a satisfactory Criminal Records Check.

Please submit your application package as one PDF and save the document as {LastNameFirstName_ApplicationPackage_Date}.

Please send official transcripts to careers@concordia.ab.ca.

Concordia University of Edmonton encourages applications from members of racialized groups, visible minorities, First Nations, Métis, and Inuit, persons with disabilities, women, persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity and expression, and others who may support a diversity of perspectives at CUE. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. We thank all applicants for their interest; only those selected for an interview will be contacted.