

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE COUNTY (UMBC)

Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Health Administration and Policy

Assistant Professor Position

The Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Health Administration & Policy (SAHAP) at the University of Maryland Baltimore County (UMBC) invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track Assistant Professor position. Applicants should have a PhD in Sociology or related field, specialization in crime, deviance, and inequality, and demonstrate a strong track record of research with potential for external funding. The position will have a standard teaching load of 4 courses per year that contribute to our undergraduate program in Sociology and master's program in Applied Sociology. Preference will be given to candidates who also demonstrate quantitative expertise, potential to contribute to any of our affiliated doctoral programs (e.g., Public Policy, Gerontology, and Language, Literacy, and Culture), and commitment to inclusion of underserved and/or underrepresented populations in research/teaching.

The SAHAP department is an interdisciplinary group of 17 full-time faculty with expertise in sociology, anthropology, public health, and gerontology. Our areas of focus include applied social science research; diversity, gender, race and ethnicity/culture; and health, life course, and aging. The SAHAP department includes three undergraduate programs (Sociology, Anthropology, and Health Administration & Policy), a master's program in Applied Sociology, a Departmental Center for Aging Studies, and contributes to multiple other undergraduate, masters, and doctoral programs based on faculty interest and expertise.

UMBC is classified by the Carnegie Foundation as a Research University – High Research Activity — and is consistently recognized as the #1 “Up-and-Coming” university in the nation by U.S. News and World Report. It is located in the dynamic Baltimore-Washington, DC corridor with direct access to Interstate 95, public transit access to Washington, DC and Baltimore, and in close proximity to the Baltimore-Washington International (BWI) airport. UMBC is especially proud of the national and international diversity of its student body of 14,000 students (approximately 50% minority race/ethnicity) and is strongly committed to attracting an equally diverse applicant pool for this position. Underrepresented groups (e.g., racial/ethnic/sexual minorities), women, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. UMBC is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Salary and benefits are competitive.

Applicants should include a cover letter of interest, curriculum vitae, a research and teaching statement, three samples of research (preferably first-authored), a statement of commitment to inclusive diversity, and names/contact information for three references. Please submit all application materials via Interfolio <http://apply.interfolio.com/51075> by September 15 for best consideration. For questions, please contact Cathy McDonnell, cat@umbc.edu.