

The Department of Sociology at Mercer University invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor to begin August 2019. The Department is interested in sociologists with a specialization in crime, law, or deviance, to teach sociology courses included within the interdisciplinary program in criminal justice. In particular, the Department seeks a sociologist to teach courses such as introductory sociology, criminology, and deviance in the context of a college with a solid liberal arts mission that emphasizes excellence in undergraduate teaching (the teaching load is 3/4). Applicants should desire a strong mentoring relationship with undergraduates and the inclusion of students in the fulfillment of the candidate's active research agenda. Mercer University provides strong support for faculty travel and research, including the scholarship of teaching and learning. A Ph.D. in sociology is required, but exceptional ABD candidates will also be considered. Applicants should visit the website, <http://hr.mercer.edu/jobs/>, complete a brief online application, and submit the following materials using the online portal: (1) cover letter, (2) curriculum vitae with contact information for three references, (3) teaching philosophy, and (4) evidence of successful college teaching (e.g. faculty/student evaluations of teaching, syllabi, assignments). Review of applications will begin October 26 and will continue until the position is filled.

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