

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN COLORADO

Position Title: Assistant Professor, Gerontology **Position Number:** F99977

Qualifications and Experience:

Candidates are sought for a full-time, assistant professor with term appointment in Gerontology. Primary responsibilities include teaching multidisciplinary Gerontology graduate and undergraduate courses in the Human Services major. Other responsibilities include advising, conducting research, and community service.

Required Qualifications: Candidates should have an earned doctorate in Gerontology or in a related field (i.e., Sociology, Psychology, Rehabilitation, Family Relations, Human Development, etc.), and have background and expertise in gerontology. ABD candidates with significant progress toward the degree will be considered (completion of the doctoral degree required by January 1, 2010).

Preferred Qualifications: Experience in teaching and advising, involvement in scholarly activity, and experience with multidisciplinary academic collaboration. Field or academic experience that has prepared applicant to teach courses in management and administration of aging and/or human services. Participation in professional organizations related to aging, using instructional technology, and community service in the field of aging are also desirable.

Salary and Benefits:

Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Benefits available include health, life, and dental insurance, as well as a selection of several defined contribution retirement programs. Dependents and spouses of UNC employees who are employed as 0.5 FTE or above are entitled to and eligible for Dependent Tuition Grants. These tuition grants will cover in-state tuition charges. Further requirements may exist. Other benefits may be available based on position. Opportunities for summer instruction may be available.

Requested Start Date:

August 17, 2009

Application Materials, Contact, and Application Deadline:

Screening of applications will begin on December 1, 2008 and will continue until the position is filled. Interested persons should apply online at <https://careers.unco.edu> and select "View/Apply for Faculty Positions" then choose "Assistant Professor - Gerontology." Application documents to be submitted online are a letter of application/cover letter, curriculum *vitae*, and the names and contact information of at least three references. Direct inquiries to search chair, Susan Collins, Ph.D, at susan.collins@unco.edu

Additional Requirements:

Satisfactory completion of a background check, educational check, and authorization to work in the United States is required after a conditional offer of employment has been made. If a degree is required, original transcripts must be submitted within one (1) month of hire.

Location and Environment:

The University of Northern Colorado is a Doctoral/Research University enrolling 12,000+ graduate and undergraduate students. The university, founded in 1889, is located in Greeley, Colorado, which has a growing population of 80,000 and is situated an hour north of Denver and 30 miles east of the Rocky Mountains. Further information about UNC and the City of Greeley is available at <http://www.unco.edu>.

Additional Information:

This position is contingent on funding from the Colorado State Legislature, approval by the Board of Trustees, and subject to the policies and regulations of the University of Northern Colorado. Federal regulations require that the University retain all documents submitted by applicants. Materials will not be returned or copied for applicants.

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