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## **FACULTY POSITION**

## **Faculty Position, School of Social Work**

Georgia State University School of Social Work in Atlanta invites applications and nominations for a tenure-track faculty position in the School of Social Work to start fall 2015. This is an academic year position, with possible summer teaching opportunities. Rank will be at the assistant professor level.

**Duties**: The successful applicant will have responsibility for teaching primarily in the MSW program with its sole concentration of community partnerships. It is expected that this individual will engage in scholarship and funded research, as well as service activities within the School, the institution, and the community.

**Qualifications**: Applicants must possess a MSW and a doctorate in social work or closely related field. The applicant should have at least two years of MSW practice experience – preferably macro-focused, a research agenda, and teaching experiences that include online instruction.

School and Campus: School and Campus: The School of Social Work is a dynamic program that has both a strong research driven faculty and record of external funding. The School is host to the National Center on Grandparents Raising Grandchildren (with Western Michigan University) and the Center for Collaborative Social Work. Within the School of Social Work, the BSW program graduates about 90 students per year. The MSW program, with a sole concentration on community partnerships, graduates 45-60 students per year. Both programs are fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education through 2020. The School of Social Work is one of four academic units in the Andrew Young School of Policy Studies, which ranks in the top 15% of Public Policy Schools as rated by U.S. News & World Report. The Andrew Young School of Policy Studies also contains the Departments of Criminal Justice & Criminology, Economics, and Public Management & Policy, and several research centers.

With more than 32,000 students, Georgia State University is a dynamic campus and one of the Southeast's largest urban universities. It is designated as a Research University/Very High Research Activity institution by the Carnegie Classification of Institutions of Higher Education. The University is an enterprising urban public research university and a national leader in graduating students from diverse backgrounds.

Centered in the state's capitol and historic financial hub of downtown Atlanta, the University provides its faculty and students with unsurpassed research opportunities and

connections to business, government, nonprofit, and cultural organizations. It is ideally situated in the heart of downtown Atlanta and has easy access to the State Capitol, the Martin Luther King, Jr. Center, the Jimmy Carter Library, state and federal agencies, and a vast array of community organizations. *The Scientist Magazine* ranked GSU 12th in its 2011 Best Places to Work in Academia survey, citing research resources and tenure and promotion among the University's strengths. For more information about the University, see the GSU Fact Book at <a href="http://oie.gsu.edu/institutional-research/gsu-fact-book-for-2012-2013">http://oie.gsu.edu/institutional-research/gsu-fact-book-for-2012-2013</a>.

**To Apply**: Send a letter of application, curriculum vita, names of three professional references to Search Committee Chair, School of Social Work, Georgia State University, P.O. Box 3995, Atlanta, GA 30302-3995. Applications should be submitted immediately, but will be accepted until the position is filled.

Candidates must be eligible to work in the U.S.

Georgia State University, a unit of the University System of Georgia, is an equal educational institution and is an equal opportunity affirmative action employer.

Conducting background checks on final candidates is part of the hiring process at Georgia State University. A satisfactory background investigation report, as determined by the sole discretion of the University, is a requirement for employment with the University.