



## FACULTY POSITION

### Director, School of Social Work

Georgia State University School of Social Work in Atlanta invites applications and nominations for the Director of the School of Social Work to start fall 2014. This is a nine-month position, with summer administrative salary and responsibilities. Rank will be at the associate or full professor level with tenure.

**Duties:** The successful applicant will have responsibility for overseeing academic, instructional and administrative functions of the School of Social Work. These duties include mounting the curriculum, working with faculty for instructional assignments, overseeing fiscal areas of the School, and representing the School within the University and external communities. The Director works closely with a management team in the College and reports directly to the Dean.

**Qualifications:** Applicants must possess a MSW and a doctorate in social work or closely related field. The applicant should have higher education experience, and demonstrate a thorough understanding of social work education. In addition, the applicant should have administrative experience in areas related to the duties described above.

**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 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 I 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 <http://oie.gsu.edu/institutional-research/gsu-fact-book-for-2012-2013>.

**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.

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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.