Assistant Professor, Tenure-Track
The University of Texas at Austin: Steve Hicks School of Social Work

Location
Austin, Texas

Open Date
Nov 10, 2020

Deadline
Jan 31, 2021 at 11:59 PM Eastern Time

Description
The School of Social Work at The University of Texas at Austin invites application from qualified candidates for a faculty position at the rank of assistant professor.

This search is for an individual with expertise in addictions, recovery, and mental health.

Candidates must demonstrate a clear commitment to research in addictions and recovery with special attention to research in addictions healthcare, to improve clinical outcomes for vulnerable and at-risk populations; and interventions at the individual and systems levels to reduce addiction and overdoses. Expertise in the development of digital health innovations that improve clinical workflow and care coordination among interdisciplinary treatment teams is highly valued in this search. Of particular relevance is for the applicant to understand the need to design programs of addictions research within the rapid changing landscape of implementation science. Similarly, the position calls for knowledge and skills in the area of community-based participatory research, translational science, and technology transfer.

Applicants must show promise for high quality scholarship and research, external funding, publications, and teaching that meet the School’s needs and priorities.

UT Austin offers unique opportunities for individuals who wish to pursue an academic career in a dynamic, collegial environment. Candidates must meet the University’s requirements for faculty rank. The Steve Hicks School, ranked among the top 10 programs of social work education in the country, values and strives for an interdisciplinary faculty. The school provides opportunities to individuals who are committed to teaching, research, and community service at the BSW, MSSW, and PhD levels in a research-intensive public university. The School is committed to supporting excellence in scholarship among its faculty and students.

Qualifications
Preferred qualifications include a doctorate in social work or a related field. Practice experience is preferred. Successful candidates are expected to teach undergraduate and graduate courses, develop a funded research program, collaborate with other
faculty, and be involved in service to the university, community, and the profession. Women and minority applicants are encouraged to apply.

**Application Instructions**
To ensure full consideration, please submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, names and contact information of three references, and three representative publications.

**Application Process**
This institution is using Interfolio's Faculty Search to conduct this search. Applicants to this position receive a free Dossier account and can send all application materials, including confidential letters of recommendation, free of charge.

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