

Asst/Assoc/Full Professor in Child and Family Policy

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

North Dakota State University's Department of Human Development and Family Science, in conjunction with the Sheila and Robert Challey Institute for Global Innovation and Growth, invites applications for a nine-month, tenured or tenure-track position, rank open, with a focus area in child and family policy, to begin in August 2020. Support associated with the position includes start-up funds, graduate assistantships, course buyouts, and summer research support. Review of applications will begin on December 9, 2019.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

The tenure home for this position will be in Human Development and Family Science, and this position will be affiliated with the NDSU College of Business' Challey Institute for Global Innovation & Growth. The successful candidate will be expected to conduct research, teaching, and outreach that contributes to the Institute's mission. Specific responsibilities include:

- Maintain a strong program of research related to enhancing economic opportunity and promoting human flourishing through institutions and policies focused on families and children. Possible areas of focus include but are not limited to: childcare availability, affordability, and quality; long-term effects of pre-K education; consumer policy/family financial issues; and starting and sustaining family businesses.
- Teach undergraduate and graduate courses primarily in child and family policy (two courses per semester)
- Advise undergraduates and mentor graduate students
- Participate in professional service activities
- Disseminate accessible research-based information and training throughout the state and region through partnerships with Extension and other entities
- Work effectively with colleagues across disciplines and/or community organizations
- Contribute to department governance and foster a collaborative community across the HDFS department and the Challey Institute

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Earned doctorate (by August 2020) in HDFS, family science, developmental science, public policy, family resource management, economics, or a closely related discipline
- An active program of research in a relevant focus area as described above
- Evidence of effective instruction
- Evidence of potential to publish research and secure external funding
- Demonstrated commitment to diversity, equity, access, and inclusiveness
- Effective oral and written communication skills
- Effective interpersonal skills, including ability to interact and collaborate effectively with a diversity of colleagues and students

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- An established record of high-quality research publications
- An established record of external funding
- Evidence of high-quality instruction, advising, and mentoring of students

The search will be conducted in compliance with North Dakota's open records law. NDSU is an NSF ADVANCE institution and an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and members of other traditionally underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged to apply. Apply here: <http://jobs.ndsu.edu/postings/10935>