Community Instructor Position in Human Development & Family Sciences

The Human Development and Family Sciences department at Texas Tech University is seeking a full-time on-campus community instructor beginning Summer 2021 with the following requirements:

• Contribute to the university’s mission through undergraduate teaching.
• Teach undergraduate courses for Department of Human Development and Family Sciences. Classes will be offered using the following modalities: face to face, hybrid, and/or online at the Lubbock campus. Course topics may include human development across the lifespan with an emphasis on adolescent and young adult development, family dynamics and relationships, research and theories in human development and family sciences, and human development in cross-cultural contexts.
• Have a doctoral degree in HDFS or a closely related field.
• Demonstrate effective teaching ability evidenced by a minimum of one year of successful experience as an instructor in HDFS or a related field at the university level.

The mission of the Department of Human Development and Family Sciences is to promote the health and well-being of individuals, families and relationships across the life span through research, teaching, service and community outreach and engagement. Our department offers a wide range of courses in the areas of early childhood, human development across the life span, interpersonal relations, and family sciences. We have over 600 undergraduate majors and offer core course to students across the university. Graduates of the department are qualified for a variety of careers in education, human services, health, advocacy and business, and/or pursue graduate studies.

Join a passionate and supportive team who enjoy teaching, are engaged in research, mentoring, and professional activities, and play an essential role in the HDFS department. Instructors in HDFS are supported by an array of departments at Texas Tech: Teaching, Learning and Professional Development Center (www.depts.ttu.edu/tlpdc/), Texas Tech Worldwide eLearning (www.depts.ttu.edu/elearning/), Center for Transformative Undergraduate Experiences (www.depts.ttu.edu/true/), University Writing Center (www.depts.ttu.edu/provost/uwc/), TTU Library (www.depts.ttu.edu/library/), Technology Services (www.depts.ttu.edu/hs/technologyservices/index.php), and College of Human Sciences Advising (www.depts.ttu.edu/hs/current_students/advising.php).

This position will be classified as Security Sensitive and requires a criminal background check if selected for employment. As an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer, Texas Tech University is dedicated to the goal of building a culturally diverse faculty committed to teaching and working in a multicultural environment. We actively encourage applications from all those who can contribute, through their research, teaching, and/or service, to the diversity and excellence of the academic community at Texas Tech University. The university does not discriminate on the basis of an applicant’s race, ethnicity, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, disability, genetic information or status as a protected veteran. Texas Tech welcomes consideration of dual career and professional couple accommodations.

Applicants may apply at: https://sjobs.brassring.com/TGnewUI/Search/Home/Home?partnerid=25898&siteid=5637#home and search job 21873BR. Please submit a cover letter, a current curriculum vitae, teaching evaluations, and three letters of recommendation.

For further information, please contact Dr. Stephanie Shine at stephanie.shine@ttu.edu