

Assistant Professor or Associate Professor, Public Policy, University of California, Irvine

Position Description:

The University of California at Irvine seeks applicants for a tenure-track appointment to strengthen existing degree programs and to enhance a planned Master of Public Policy (MPP) degree program. The University of California, Irvine, invites applications for up to four authorized positions over the next two years. We seek well-qualified candidates at the Assistant Professor or Associate Professor level whose research examines the policy process and/or a particular policy area. These positions are open with regard to specialty, although we have particular teaching needs in public management, construed broadly. The successful candidate will be able to teach at least one of the required core courses in the proposed MPP program: qualitative methods; statistical methods; information and policy process; microeconomics and public policy; policy processes and institutions of governance; collaborative governance and public management; social mobilization, power, and justice; economics of government; policy and ethics. Faculty appointments will be made in either the School of Social Ecology (<http://socialecology.uci.edu/>) or in the School of Social Sciences (<http://www.socsci.uci.edu/>). The successful candidates' appointments will be housed in the most relevant department, with options including anthropology; economics; planning, policy and design; political science; and sociology.

Applications must be uploaded electronically and should include a curriculum vitae, writing samples, three letters of reference, and a cover letter describing the candidate's research, teaching, and professional background. Please refer to the "Employment" link on the following website for instructions on how to apply: <http://socialecology.uci.edu/>.

Applications will be considered until the positions are filled, although applications submitted by January 15, 2008, will receive earliest consideration. Inquiries about the position may be directed to David S. Meyer, Department of Sociology (dmeyer@uci.edu)

The University of California, Irvine is an equal opportunity employer committed to excellence through diversity and strongly encourages applications from all qualified applicants, including women and minorities. UCI is responsive to the needs of dual career couples, is dedicated to work-life balance through an array of family-friendly policies, and is the recipient of an NSF ADVANCE Award for gender equity.