

Employment Opportunities

Department of Criminal Justice

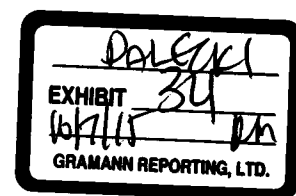
Associate/Full Professor and Chair (LAE CJ-XXXX)

Due to attendance growth, promotions, and retirements, the Department of Criminal Justice is seeking candidates for a tenure track position and Department Chair for a three-year or more term. Candidates may request consideration for tenure as a contingency of their application. The Chair is responsible to the Dean and department, and acts as a liaison between departmental personnel and the Dean and continues to serve at the pleasure of both the Dean and Department. The position requires teaching courses in areas related to criminal justice. It is, also, expected to contribute through research, civic, and university service activities. This 12-month position's main role is to guide and support departmental administrative and education processes through collaboration with department membership, addressing current needs and developing strategies for future success.

Minimum Qualifications:

To be considered, a candidate must hold the following qualifications upon start of appointment:

The successful candidate must have demonstrated leadership and administrative competencies through education, training, or experience and have earned a doctorate in criminal justice, forensic investigation, criminology, a criminal justice or public administration area, sociology, penology/corrections, or a policing/law enforcement area. The successful candidate will hold at minimum a bachelor's degree in criminal justice. The successful candidate will also have at least five successful fulltime years of teaching at one or more four-year institutions of which three or more years must be in a department granting a criminal justice bachelor's degree. Lastly, the successful candidate will have a long record of demonstrating success in, and commitment to,



academic excellence, effective written and oral communication, collaboration and teamwork, and shared governance.

Preferred Qualifications:

To be highly competitive a candidate will exceed the minimum qualifications above and demonstrate having some or all of following attributes:

Candidates with extensive experience informal and/or formal training, in organizational management and leadership (special preference to higher education) are highly sought. Specifically, candidates with demonstrated human resources, conflict resolution, and budget competencies will get strong consideration. Additionally, extensive experience, education, or formal training in education administration processes such as curriculum assessment and development, advising and registration management, student recruiting, college student development, principles of learning and teaching, instructor development and improvement processes, principles of online and hybrid instruction, and higher education governance.

Additionally, the best candidates will have practical experience in a criminal justice field such as law enforcement, forensic investigation, criminal courts, or a corrections area. A record of grant awards, applied and published research, and research and consulting collaboration with criminal justice agencies are also highly valued.

* Informal training refers to workshop and conference attendance.

*Formal training refers to instructor led study of 30 to 45 hours that includes an overall assessment of the student's learning; in association with an educational or training institution.

Rank: Associate or Full Professor

Effective Date of Appointment: When available or no later than August 1, 2015

Criminal Justice at UW-Platteville

The Criminal Justice Department is placed within the College of Liberal Arts and Education, has 9 full-time tenure track positions, and regularly employs an additional 5 academic staff and 1 administrative assistant. The department offers a B.S. in Forensic Investigation or a B.S. and a B.A. in Criminal justice, as well as offering online undergraduate and graduate degrees in Criminal Justice. Class sizes are approximately 30 students.

University and Community:

The University of Wisconsin-Platteville, founded in 1866, enrolls approximately 7,900 students in primarily undergraduate programs in 40 majors, including institutional emphasis areas of middle level education, engineering, technology management, agriculture, and criminal justice. The campus is located in scenic southwest Wisconsin's largest and most historic community. UW-Platteville is recognized as a cultural and educational center for the Tri-State Region of Iowa, Illinois and Wisconsin.

The University of Wisconsin-Platteville, an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer, seeks to build a diverse faculty and staff and encourages applications from women and persons of color. The names of nominees and applicants who have not requested in writing that their identities be kept confidential, and of all finalists, will be released upon request.

Application Procedures:

Submit online through xxxxxx a letter of application addressing qualifications; a curriculum vitae; a separate statement describing a history of working with or demonstrated commitment to addressing issues of race, gender, sexual orientation, disability, and/or other issues of historic marginalization; and the contact information for five professional references. Employment will require a criminal background check.

Submit questions to:

xxxxxxx@uwplatt.edu or

XXXX, Chair Search and Screen Committee

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Review of applications will begin xxx, 2014 and continue until the position is filled.