



### **Tashia F. Morgridge Chair in Reading and Literacy**

The Department of Curriculum and Instruction at the University of Wisconsin-Madison is seeking a senior, tenured Professor for the Morgridge Chair in Reading and Literacy. This position is open to distinguished scholars in education, the social sciences, and the humanities. The chair holder will provide intellectual leadership in the Literacy Studies Area of the department by conducting research in reading and literacy, teaching graduate and undergraduate students, and providing local, state, and national professional service. A generous annual allocation for research assistance, travel, summer salary supplementation, equipment, and supplies will be provided to the recipient. The chair is renewable every five years.

The complete position specifications can be found at:

[http://www.ohr.wisc.edu/pvl/pv\\_057369](http://www.ohr.wisc.edu/pvl/pv_057369)

The deadline for receipt of applications is January 25, 2008. Applications should include: 1) a letter of application, 2) curriculum vita, 3) three letters of recommendation sent directly to the chair of the search committee, and 4) 2-3 samples of scholarly writing. Queries should be directed to Professor Mary Louise Gomez ([mlgomez@wisc.edu](mailto:mlgomez@wisc.edu)) (608-263-6527). Applications should be sent to:

Professor Mary Louise Gomez, Chair  
Morgridge Chair in Reading and Literacy  
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Unless confidentiality is requested in writing, information regarding applicants must be released upon request. Finalists cannot be guaranteed confidentiality.

*Minorities, women, and persons with disabilities especially are encouraged to apply. The University of Wisconsin-Madison is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer.*