

School of Education 2013-2014 Faculty Positions

The School of Education at the University of Colorado Boulder announces two tenure track faculty positions for the 2013-2014 academic year: Elementary Science Education and Sociologist of Education.

The CU-Boulder School of Education is located at the flagship campus of the University of Colorado, situated at the base of the Rocky Mountains 25 miles northwest of Denver. The School has a tradition of excellence and offers a welcoming and collaborative environment for scholars who desire to pursue the highest quality research and teaching. As a community, we embrace the principles of social justice, democracy, and diversity as the historic moral imperatives of U.S. public schooling. The School ranks among the nation's most distinguished in terms of the quality and importance of the scholarly contributions made by its faculty and students. Graduate degrees (MA & PhD) are offered in five areas of emphasis – Educational Foundations, Policy, and Practice; Educational Equity and Cultural Diversity; Curriculum and Instruction; Educational Psychology and Learning Sciences; and Research and Evaluation Methodology. Our exemplary, research-based teacher education programs (undergraduate and Masters) are an integral part of the life of the School. Find more program information at http://www.colorado.edu/education/.

The School intends to hire at the Assistant and Associate Professor levels, with consideration given to hiring at the Professor level when appropriate. Scholars of color are strongly encouraged to apply.

Responsibilities: Candidates for the positions must be willing to contribute to teaching and program development in the teacher education and graduate programs, conduct research, publish in significant refereed journals, and seek outside funding. Candidates must be committed to working with culturally and linguistically diverse populations.

Salary: Commensurate with experience and scholarly record.

Elementary Science Education: The School of Education seeks a candidate at the associate or assistant level to lead the elementary science teacher preparation program and to work collaboratively with colleagues toward the continued development of an exceptional elementary teacher education program. Candidates must have an earned doctorate in science education or related field and a demonstrated commitment to science teaching and learning at the elementary level. Candidates must have an active research agenda in science education, a strong publication record commensurate with experience, and a track record or evidence of potential to secure external funding. We seek candidates with experience and expertise focused on student learning, teaching practice, learning technologies, teacher professional development, educational equity, or design of innovative curricula. Preference will be given to candidates with a strong background in science and experience in PK12 classroom settings. Opportunities are available to teach graduate level courses as well as to engage with colleagues in science departments, the extensive science education programs on the CU-Boulder campus, and the local community.

Science Education Job Posting #811496

Quick Link: www.jobsatcu.com/applicants/Central?quickFind=62754
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Sociologist of Education: Candidates for this position must have a doctorate in sociology, sociology of education, or similar degree emphasizing sociology. They should bring a strong foundation in sociological theories relevant to the critical examination of educational institutions, policies, and practices, with a particular emphasis on educational inequalities associated with social class, race, ethnicity, gender, or sexuality. Preference will be given to candidates who focus on k-12 education or school-to-college pipeline issues in the United States. This faculty member will be expected to develop and teach graduate courses in the sociology of education, supervise graduate students, and teach a "School and Society" course in the School's teacher education program. Candidates must demonstrate a mature or developing program of research, preferably with external funding. The successful candidate will work within the School's Educational Foundations, Policy and Practice Program, whose current faculty members represent the fields of anthropology, curriculum theory, history, law and philosophy; several emphasize policy. She/he also will be encouraged to collaborate with other faculty in the School of Education and across campus.

Sociologist of Education Job Posting #814866

Quick Link: www.jobsatcu.com/applicants/Central?quickFind=66132
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Application Materials: Completed applications must include a letter of application specifying the desired position, a curriculum vita, and contact information for three letters of recommendation. Please submit application materials electronically at http://www.jobsatcu.com/ (reference job posting number and quick link listed above).

Closing Date: The review of applications will begin on November 1, 2012 and will continue until each position is filled.