Tenure-Track Faculty Position

Open to rank of Assistant Professor or Associate Professor

Canada Research Chair Tier 2 in North American Indigenous History for eligible candidate

Faculty: Arts

Department/School: Department of History and Classical Studies

The Canada Research Chair is also open to internal candidates who already hold a tenure-track or tenured faculty position at McGill University.

Position description

The Department of History and Classical Studies at McGill University invites applications for a tenure-track position in North American Indigenous History. The position start date is August 1, 2019. The appointment will be at the Assistant or Associate Professor level, depending on qualifications and experience, and will involve service and leadership in both the Department of History and the Indigenous Studies program at McGill. Field and period of specialization are open, but the successful applicant should have the potential to supervise graduate theses (MA, PhD) on Canadian topics. Broad engagement with Indigenous Studies, including Indigenous Studies methodologies and community-based research, is also of interest.

The successful candidate will hold a tenure track or tenured position in the Department of History and Classical Studies and will work closely with the Indigenous Studies program. An appointment at the Associate Professor level would come with the position of Director of that program, with appropriate course and service relief. The successful candidate will also be expected to contribute to the academic direction of the program. The language of instruction at McGill is English, but a working knowledge of French would be considered an asset.

For further information on the Department of History and Classical Studies, please consult the website www.mcgill.ca/history. For information on Indigenous Studies, consult the website of the Indigenous Studies Program at: www.mcgill.ca/indigenous. Questions can be directed to Prof. Jason Opal, Department Chair (jason.opal[at]mcgill.ca) or to Prof. Allan Greer, Search Committee Chair (allan.greer[at]mcgill.ca).
The successful candidate that satisfies the eligibility conditions of the Canada Research Chair (CRC) program may be supported by the University for nomination to a Tier 2 Chair in North American Indigenous History, which provides protected time for research within a full-time academic appointment.

Nominees for Tier 2 Chair positions must be emerging scholars and hold the rank of assistant or associate professor, or possess the necessary qualifications to be appointed to these levels. A nominee who is more than 10 years from having earned their highest degree and has experienced legitimate career interruptions (e.g., maternity or parental leave, extended sick leave, clinical training, and family care) will be taken into consideration using the Tier 2 justification process.

Eligibility conditions for CRCs are found at http://www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca/program-programme/nomination-mise_en_candidature-eng.aspx#s3

Job Duties

Research, teaching, service

Qualifications and Education requirements

Candidates should have completed a PhD in a relevant field or be very near completion.

Candidates who do not satisfy the CRC eligibility criteria for a Tier 2 Chair are nonetheless invited to apply for the position.

JOB DETAILS

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APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications must be submitted: https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/12114.
The following supporting documents are required:
- A cover letter and curriculum vitae;
- A statement of research;
- A writing sample (article- or chapter-length);
- The names and contact information of three referees. For Tier 2 nominees at the rank of Assistant Professor who are within three years of their PhD, one referee must be the PhD supervisor.

For internal applicants only: Supporting documents include a recent curriculum vitae and a statement of research aligned with the designated subject area for the Chair.

COMMITMENT TO EQUITY AND DIVERSITY

McGill University hires on the basis of merit and is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community. We welcome and encourage applications from racialized persons/visible minorities, women, Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, ethnic minorities, and persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, as well as from all qualified candidates with the skills and knowledge to productively engage with diverse communities.

McGill further recognizes and fairly considers the impact of leaves (e.g., family care or health-related) that may contribute to career interruptions or slowdowns. Candidates are encouraged to signal any leave that affected productivity, may have had an effect on their career path. This information will be considered to ensure the equitable assessment of the candidate’s record.

McGill implements an employment equity program and encourages members of designated equity groups to self-identify. It further seeks to ensure the equitable treatment and full inclusion of persons with disabilities by striving for the implementation of universal design principles transversally, across all facets of the University community, and through accommodation policies and procedures. Persons with disabilities who anticipate needing accommodations for any part of the application process may contact, in confidence, Professor Angela Campbell, Associate Provost (Equity and Academic Policies) by email or phone at 514-398-1660.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

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