Assistant or Associate Professor

The Department of Geography invites applications for a tenure-track position in Human Geography at the Assistant or Associate level starting 1 July 2017. We seek scholars specializing in population, urban, economic, or transportation geography. Preference will be given to candidates with strong statistical, quantitative, computational and/or GIScience skills. The ability to collaborate with faculty in the Department of Geography, maintain a record of externally-funded research, and participate in interdisciplinary research in the College of Social & Behavioral Science is highly desirable.

The Department emphasizes the areas of Earth system and geographic information science, as well as population, urban, and economic systems. We offer Bachelor’s, Master’s and Ph.D. degrees in Geography and have several outstanding research facilities, including the Urban and Sustainability Research Laboratory, the Utah Remote Sensing Applications Laboratory, the Utah Geo-Health Lab, the Center for Natural and Technological Hazards, the Geospatial Intelligence Lab, and the Digitally Integrated Geographic Information Technologies (DIGIT) Lab. The department administers a professional MSGIS in addition to certificates in Geographic Information Science, Hazards & Emergency Management, and Climate Change. The University of Utah is located on the Wasatch Front urban corridor with easy access to research and recreational opportunities in the Rocky Mountains, Great Basin and the Colorado Plateau. Salt Lake City is a dynamic, high-tech, bike-friendly metropolitan area with quality cultural and entertainment amenities, eight ski resorts within an hour’s drive, an extensive public transit system, and a sunny, four-season climate. For more information on the Department of Geography see www.geog.utah.edu.

Review of applications will begin 1 October 2016, but the position will remain open until filled.

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The University of Utah values candidates who have experience working in settings with students from diverse backgrounds, and possess a strong commitment to improving access to higher education for historically underrepresented students.

Applications should consist of a cover letter, vitae, statement of research, statement of teaching, teaching evaluations, and the names, addresses, phone numbers and e-mail addresses of exactly three references. Please submit your application at http://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/54570. Questions can be directed to the search chair: Dr. Dennis Wei (wei@geog.utah.edu).