



Position – Lecturer in Social Studies Education (12-month)

The Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy (EDCP) at the University of British Columbia invite applications for a full-time (100%) lecturer in Social Studies Education. The appointment is expected to start on September 1, 2017 with the possibility of renewal subject to availability of funds and satisfactory performance appraisal.

The Department of Curriculum & Pedagogy (EDCP) is committed to advancing research into curriculum and pedagogy in a variety of contexts and across the lifespan. Our mission is to provide local, national, and international leadership in discipline-specific and interdisciplinary approaches to teaching and learning. Our research supports commitments to the study of curriculum and pedagogy in school, post-secondary, community, and informal learning contexts.

Applicants will have an earned PhD degree in education and experience teaching Social Studies in K-12 schools. The ability to teach a specialized area such as Global Education, History, or Geography would be an asset. The successful candidate will be familiar with the BC education context, have experience with inquiry-based teaching and facilitating collaborative curriculum inquiry, and be committed to bringing diverse critical perspectives to education. In the Faculty of Education, a full-time Lecturer is expected to carry a 30-credit teaching load each year which, in this case, may include supervision of teacher candidates.

Review of applications will start on June 4, 2017 and will continue until the position is filled. A letter of application, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching philosophy, evidence of teaching effectiveness (if available), published paper (if available), and names and contact details of three referees should be sent to Dr. Peter Gouzouasis, Deputy Head, Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy, Faculty of Education, The University of British Columbia, 2125 Main Mall, Vancouver, BC, Canada, V6T 1Z4. These materials may be sent electronically to peter.gouzouasis@ubc.ca, with cc to anna.ip@ubc.ca.

The University of British Columbia hires on the basis of merit and is committed to employment equity. The Department of Curriculum and Pedagogy is strongly committed to diversity and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. All qualified persons are encouraged to apply; however, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.