

Job position: Limited Term Appointment, Instructor

School of Planning
2-year Instructor
Position 1.0 FTE

March 5, 2018

The School of Planning at Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia is seeking a full-time instructor for a 2-year, limited term appointment from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020.

Dalhousie University, located in the heart of Halifax, Nova Scotia, is one of Canada's top, comprehensive research and teaching universities. Halifax occupies an unsurpassed natural setting on the Atlantic coast and is the academic, cultural, and economic centre of Atlantic Canada.

The School of Planning is one of two constituent schools in the Faculty of Architecture and Planning. The School serves the Atlantic Region of Canada as the only professional planning school east of Quebec. The School has an enrolment of up to 40 graduate students and 150 undergraduates. It offers professionally accredited graduate and undergraduate planning degrees (Bachelor of Community Design honours and Master of Planning), and research-based graduate degree (Master of Planning Studies). The School of Planning seeks to advance the academic discipline and the profession of planning through teaching, research and community service. We see planning as a broad and collaborative enterprise which brings together diverse interests to create rich and vibrant communities.

The instructor will possess the education and experience to teach broadly and supervise students in both the undergraduate community design and graduate planning programs. The instructor is expected to teach up to six courses a year. Teaching assignments will emphasize planning and community design curricula (e.g. urban design theory, landscape design and analysis, site planning, planning methods and studio courses). The instructor will also assist graduate and undergraduate students in their senior independent projects (graduate) and honours theses (undergraduate). The instructor may assist the School of Planning with the annual conference and scheduling end of term presentation events. The instructor will serve on short-term committees in the School of Planning, as needed and as appropriate for the time frame of the appointment.

Applicants must hold an advanced degree; one degree (graduate or undergraduate) must be in planning. A Ph.D. is preferred but not essential. The successful candidate will demonstrate evidence of successful teaching at a university-level, in material related to the duties to be assigned. Eligibility for membership in the Canadian Institute of Planners is desired; full membership is an asset. Practicing planners will also be considered for this position.

For more information about the School of Planning, Dalhousie University and Halifax, please go to these websites:

<http://www.dal.ca/planning/>
<http://www.dal.ca/>
<http://www.halifax.ca/>

The review of applications will commence on March 22, 2018.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Dalhousie University is committed to fostering a collegial culture grounded in diversity and inclusiveness. The University encourages applications from Aboriginal people, persons with a disability, racially visible persons, women, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and all candidates who would contribute to the diversity of our community.

Candidates should provide a statement of their teaching interests and experience, research interests, examples of peer-reviewed publications or professional work, a CV, and a list of three referees with full contact information. Applications must also include a completed Self-Identification Questionnaire, available at www.dal.ca/becounted/selfid. Please combine all the above documents into a single PDF file.

Please send applications to:

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