Visiting Assistant Professor in Geography

The Macalester College Department of Geography invites applications for a one-year non-tenure-track position at the rank of Visiting Assistant Professor to begin fall semester of 2021. The teaching load is five courses per academic year. The successful candidate will teach courses that complement the existing strengths of the department and the candidate’s areas of expertise. Candidates must be able to teach GEOG 111: Human Geography of Global Issues. Applicants who teach a regional geography course outside of the Americas will be given priority consideration. We also welcome applicants who can teach intermediate thematic courses. We are especially interested in candidates who would further diversify our faculty and curriculum. For more information on Macalester’s Geography Department, see: https://www.macalester.edu/geography/

Salary and benefits are competitive. The position is open to those who have been awarded a PhD in Geography (or related field) by the time of appointment. Macalester is unable to sponsor H1B visas for visiting faculty.

Macalester College is committed to student and faculty diversity, equity, and inclusion. Strong candidates will have a record of experience or demonstrated commitment to teaching diverse students at the undergraduate level.

To apply, electronically submit a letter of application, C.V., and a list of three references including contact information to Academic Jobs Online: https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/18313

The letter of application should indicate what courses the applicant is prepared to teach. References will be contacted to provide letters of recommendation for short-listed applicants. Applications are due no later than March 31, 2021. Questions about this position can be addressed, with “Geography Visitor Search” in the subject line, to Laura Smith, Associate Professor and Chair, Macalester College Department of Geography (smithl@macalester.edu).

Macalester College is a highly selective, private liberal arts college in the vibrant Minneapolis-Saint Paul metropolitan area, with a population of approximately three million people and home to numerous colleges and universities, including the University of Minnesota. Macalester’s diverse student body comprises over 2,000 undergraduates from all 50 states and the District of Columbia and 95 nations. The College maintains a longstanding commitment to academic excellence with a special emphasis on internationalism, multiculturalism, and service
to society. As an Equal Opportunity employer supportive of affirmative efforts to achieve diversity among its faculty, Macalester College strongly encourages applications from women and members of underrepresented minority groups.