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**Faculty of Arts  
Department of Sociology  
Tenure-Track Position: Assistant Professor**

Position # 11305TT : The Department of Sociology invites applications for a tenure-track position in Social Theory at the Assistant Professor level to commence July 1, 2020. Candidates should have completed a PhD in Sociology or closely-related discipline by the appointment date. The successful candidate will contribute to a dynamic teaching and research culture in the Department and show evidence of a developing research program. We seek a candidate whose research or teaching interests lie in Social Theory and whose substantive area(s) of specialization will enhance the department's research and teaching strengths.

The Sociology Department is distinguished by its three areas of focus: knowledge and power, social justice, and the Sociology of everyday life. We emphasize a commitment to public Sociology and transformative practices. Our vibrant undergraduate and graduate programs offer students opportunities to research a diverse range of social issues.

The successful candidate will be expected to teach a range of Social Theory at the introductory, upper, and graduate levels and be able to supervise Honours and Graduate students.

The application must include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, confirmation of terminal degree, two samples of scholarly writing, and teaching dossier. The dossier should include a statement of teaching philosophy, official teaching evaluations, and samples of course syllabi. Please arrange for three referees to send letters of reference addressed to Dr. Stephen Henderson to be received by the closing date of the competition. Candidates are to submit their application electronically as a single PDF file to: [karen.turner@acadiau.ca](mailto:karen.turner@acadiau.ca). For further information, please contact Dr. Stephen Henderson, Acting Head of the Department of Sociology, [stephen.henderson@acadiau.ca](mailto:stephen.henderson@acadiau.ca).

**Closing date: January 24, 2020**

*The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Acadia University is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from Aboriginal people, African Nova Scotians, persons with disabilities, visible minorities, women, and persons of any minority sexual orientation or gender identity. Consistent with the principles of employment equity, the primary criterion for appointment to a position is academic and professional excellence. Candidates who are a member of one of the aforementioned groups, and who wish to have the application considered as such, should complete the [Employment Equity Voluntary Self-Identification Form](#) as part of their application package.*

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