Assistant Professor in clinical psychology of addiction

Department of Psychology
Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Position description

The Department of Psychology invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position of Assistant Professor in clinical psychology of addiction.

Founded in 1942, the Department of Psychology is the oldest francophone psychology department in North America. With its 58 career professors, it plays a leading role in the training of psychological researchers and professional psychologists. Established more than fifty years ago, the clinical psychology sector of the Department of Psychology was the first in Quebec to offer graduate-level training in the field of intervention and research on addictions. Professors in the clinical sector pursue research and intervention programs with individuals, dyads, groups and/or collectives composed of various clienteles and problems. They are supported by talented graduate students and maintain close collaborations with national and international academic and professional communities. The Ph.D. Research/Intervention and Psy.D. programs in clinical psychology are accredited by the Canadian Psychological Association.

Responsibilities

The appointed candidate will be expected to teach at the undergraduate level, as well as at the graduate level in the Department’s various programs (Ph.D. Research/Intervention and Psy.D. programs in clinical psychology, M.Sc. and Ph.D. research programs), supervise graduate students, be active in scientific and professional research, publishing, and diffusion of knowledge, and contribute to the activities of the Department and the University. The teaching could be done at the Montreal campus as well as at the Laval campus.

Requirements

» Hold a doctorate in clinical psychology or equivalent;
» Knowledge of etiological models and theoretical and empirical foundations in clinical psychology and the psychology of behavioral (e.g., online gaming, cyber addiction) and substance (e.g., alcohol, cannabis, opioids) addictions and dependencies;
» Ability to teach the application of validated models of screening, assessment, and intervention with individuals who are addicted or at risk of addiction for the various types of addictions and dependencies;
» Clinical experience with a clientele presenting behavioral or substance dependency problems;
» Demonstrated, through publications in peer-reviewed journals, scientific competence and ability to contribute to the outreach of the Department and the University;
» Ability to provide high quality academic teaching;
» Asset: Post-doctoral experience to rapidly develop a cutting-edge research program that will attract research funding from major funding agencies;
» Asset: Experience in supervising and mentoring graduate students;
» Member of the Ordre des psychologues du Québec or meet the requirements to obtain membership;
An adequate knowledge of the French written and spoken language or a strong commitment to mastering the proficiency level required, in accordance to Université de Montréal’s Language Policy. An institutional learning support program is offered to all professors wishing to learn French or improve their communication skills.

How to submit your application

The application file must consist of the following documents:

- A letter outlining your interests and career goals; to comply with the requirements of the Government of Canada, please include in your cover letter any of the following: "I am a citizen/permanent resident of Canada" or "I am not a citizen/permanent resident of Canada";
- A curriculum vitae;
- A presentation of your teaching philosophy (no more than three pages);
- A presentation of your research program (no more than three pages);
- Copies of recent publications or research;
- Three letters of recommendation, which must be sent directly by their author to the Department Chair.

The application and the letters of recommendation must be sent by e-mail to the Chair of the Department of Psychology no later than December 1st, 2021:

Michelle McKerral, Chair,
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More information about the Department of psychology is available on its website www.psy.umontreal.ca.

Additional information about the position

Reference number | FAS 10-21/17
Application deadline | Until December 1st, 2021 inclusively
Salary | Université de Montréal offers competitive salaries and a full range of benefits
Starting date | On or after June 1st, 2022

Université de Montréal is strongly committed to fostering diversity and inclusion. Through its Equal Access Employment Program (EAEP), UdeM invites applications from women, Aboriginal people, visible and ethnic minorities, as well as persons with disabilities. We will –confidentially – adapt our recruitment mechanisms to the specific needs of people with disabilities who request it.

UdeM embraces a broad and inclusive definition of diversity that goes beyond applicable laws, and therefore encourages all qualified individuals to apply, regardless of their characteristics. However, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadians and permanent residents.

In order to measure the impact of its equity, diversity and inclusion actions, UdeM is collecting data on applicants identifying themselves with one of the groups targeted by the Equal Employment Opportunity Act, namely women, Aboriginal people, visible minorities, ethnic minorities and people with limitations. To this end, we thank you for completing this self-identification questionnaire. The information you provide through this form is strictly confidential and will be shared only with those responsible for the UdeM EAEP. If you wish, you may also indicate that you belong to one of the targeted groups in your cover letter, which will be reviewed by the selection committee and the assembly of peers.

Université de Montréal’s application process allows all members of the Professor’s Assembly to review the application files submitted. If you wish to keep your application confidential until the shortlist is established, please mention it in your application.