

AUGSBURG COLLEGE
Assistant Professor of Social Work
Tenure-Track Position

The Social Work Department at Augsburg College invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position to begin September 1, 2016. The department is distinctive for its multicultural emphasis and commitment to social justice and global issues. In both our BSW and MSW programs we value student-centered learning, we offer small class sizes and we leverage our strong community connections.

Responsibilities include teaching, scholarship, service, and academic advising. Candidates should demonstrate competence in developing hybrid and on-line learning pedagogies. The successful candidate will also have to establish Minnesota professional-licensure within a year of hire. Class schedules include weekdays, evenings and weekends.

The successful candidate will be qualified for licensure at the LICSW level and have demonstrated competence and experience in clinical social work practice. Clinical social work practice requires competence in therapeutic skills that are theoretically grounded and culturally informed interventions designed to prevent, restore, and enhance the bio-psycho-social-spiritual functioning of individuals, families, and groups. Preference will be given to candidates with practice experience and expertise to teach in the MSW Multicultural Clinical Practice concentration.

Requirements for this position include an MSW and an earned doctorate in social work or other related field. A minimum of two years post-MSW clinical experience and demonstrated teaching excellence at the college level is also required. ABD'S will be considered if within 12 months of degree completion. The department of social work at Augsburg College and the College itself are especially interested in qualified candidates who can contribute to the diversity of our community through their teaching, research, and/or service.

To apply for this position, go online at <http://www.augsburg.edu/hr> and upload a cover letter, CV, and official transcripts. As part of the online application process, you will be required to provide the names of three professional references. If your application advances in this search, you will be notified prior to Augsburg contacting your references. Application review will begin November 14; position open until filled. Further information is available at www.augsburg.edu/hr/faculty.

Among the distinctive features of the college are its deep dedication to civic and community engagement, robust undergraduate research programs, and a strong belief in the integration of liberal arts and professional studies across all programs. The College's commitment to the local neighborhood and the world is enhanced through the work of four signature centers: the Christensen Center for Vocation, the Center for Global Education, the Sabo Center for Citizenship and Learning, and the Strommen Center for Meaningful Work. Augsburg's commitment to diversity is reflected in the student body: for the past four years, students of color comprised nearly 40 percent of the incoming first-year class. With approximately 1,000 students living on campus, Augsburg engages students in a wide range of co-curricular activities, including NCAA Division III intercollegiate athletics. At both undergraduate and graduate levels, students actively engage in international travel and intercultural experiences that broaden their view of the world and deepen their engagement in it.

Augsburg's main campus is located in the vibrant Cedar-Riverside neighborhood of Minneapolis, one of the most diverse areas in the Twin Cities. The University of Minnesota West Bank campus and one of the

city's largest medical complexes are adjacent to Augsburg; the Mississippi River and the Seven Corners Theatre district are just a few blocks away. In addition to its Minneapolis campus, Augsburg has a vibrant branch campus in Rochester, the fastest growing city in Minnesota and headquarters of the Mayo Health System. In addition to these locations, Augsburg owns and operates international sites in Mexico, Guatemala, and Namibia.

Augsburg College offers more than 50 undergraduate majors and nine graduate degrees to approximately 4,000 students of diverse backgrounds. With a student/faculty ratio of 15:1, the college focuses on close personal interaction with faculty and experiential education opportunities on campus and in the community. An Augsburg education is defined by excellence in the liberal arts and professional studies, guided by the faith and values of the Lutheran church, and shaped by its urban and global settings. See more at <http://www.augsburg.edu>.

Augsburg is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate on the basis of gender, sexual orientation, marital status, gender identity, race, age, disability, religion, national origin, color or any other protected class. Successful candidates will have demonstrated abilities working in an academic community committed to intentional diversity. Candidates are thus encouraged to highlight skills and experiences that demonstrate these competencies.