

Limited Term Lecturer Positions

Online Education Courses in Undergraduate Programs

The Faculty of Education at Simon Fraser University is seeking applications for Limited Term Lecturers (0.5-1) in two areas: General Education (e.g., curriculum and instruction, reflective practice, educational inquiry, pedagogies and practices) and Educational Psychology, from May 1, 2021 – April 31, 2022 (with possibility for renewal).

The Online Hub in Education is a newly created unit within the Faculty of Education's Undergraduate Programs that is responsible for online and distance education course delivery. Courses offered within the Online Hub will provide high quality instructor-led courses, including large enrolment courses using a collaborative 'team-teaching' approach. The Online Hub will also provide support for online and blended course development and instructional approaches, as well as the development of future undergraduate degree programs in our Bachelor of General Studies and Bachelor of Education. This position offers successful candidates the opportunity to join a new collaborative team that will shape the development of this important new unit within the Faculty of Education.

Duties will include but are not limited to developing high-quality, online courses and teaching up to 8 online courses per year in Undergraduate Programs and related responsibilities. In consultation with the program area Manager and Director, teaching assignments will be drawn from the scheduled sections of courses related to 1) Educational Psychology and Early Childhood Education and 2) General Education in the area or areas of Personal Agency, Reflective Practice, Critical Issues in Education, and/or Curriculum Design.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Doctorate in the area of General Education (position 1) or Educational Psychology (position 2)
- Experience in online teaching, with priority given to those with greater depth of experience with online platforms, developing academic content and developing a sense of community through online teaching
- Proficiency in or willingness to learn instructional and other technologies.

In addition, applicants must demonstrate the following:

- An alignment with the values of our Faculty of Education in the areas Equity, Indigeneity, and Culture of Inquiry
- Excellent organizational and verbal/written communication skills and ability to work well in a team.

SFU is a university that serves students of diverse ethnic, cultural, linguistic and international origins. Therefore, interest and/or experience in working in multicultural and international settings with students of diverse backgrounds is a desired attribute of all applicants.

How to apply:

Applicants are asked to provide the following by email to educ_appointments@sfu.ca in four separate files in PDF format:

1. A signed application letter that includes the description of the applicant's scholarly interests, teaching experience, and potential contributions to the Faculty.
2. Names and contact information of three referees.
3. A current curriculum vitae; and
4. A scholarly paper, if available.

Application review will begin on: March 24, 2021

Start date: May 1, 2021

Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. Please do not ask referees to send letters of reference; they will be contacted directly as needed.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. SFU is an equity employer and encourages applications from all qualified individuals including women, persons with disabilities, visible minorities, Indigenous Peoples, people of all sexual orientations and gender identities, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of the university. Under the authority of the University Act personal information that is required by the University for academic appointment competitions will be collected. For further details see: http://www.sfu.ca/vpacademic/Faculty_Openings/Collection_Notice.html