Visiting Assistant Professor of Educational Studies

The Department of Educational Studies at Knox College invites applications for a full-time, Visiting Assistant Professor of Educational Studies, beginning September 1, 2020. This is a one-year appointment, with a possibility of renewal.

We seek candidates with experience working with elementary and/or secondary school aged children as well as experience working with diverse communities of learners. The Educational Studies Department is particularly interested in creative, energetic teachers of undergraduate students who can contribute to equity within our community through engaging instruction, research, and service.

The successful candidate will model, teach, and promote the department’s philosophy to help students become critical transformative educators and advocates for social justice. We are especially looking for someone with a background in Psychological Foundations of Education. Additional areas of interest include elementary methods, English Language Learners, special education, and student teaching supervision.

The teaching load is 6 undergraduate education courses per year (2 courses per 10-week trimester).

Ph.D. or Ed.D. in Education is expected at time of appointment; exceptional ABD candidates will be considered.

Desired qualifications:

- Minimum of three years teaching experience in a PK-12 environment,
- Experience supervising student teachers,
- Experience working with curriculum development and teaching licensure.

Applications should be sent to https://apply.interfolio.com/74472 and should include:

1. A letter of application that addresses the qualifications listed above, outlines the applicant's undergraduate liberal arts teaching philosophy, and explains the applicant’s current and future research agenda,
2. A curriculum vitae,
3. Names and contact information of three references.

Questions may be addressed to Dr. Scott DeWitt at swdewitt@knox.edu.

Review of applications begins March 1, 2020 and will continue until the position is filled.

Additional materials, including scholarly work and teaching portfolio with syllabi, may be requested of candidates during the screening and interview process. Preliminary interviews will be conducted via online video conference.
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