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Tenure-Track Faculty Position

Open to rank of Assistant Professor

Canada Research Chair (Tier 2) in Medical Anthropology

# Faculty of Medicine – Department of Social Studies of Medicine

The Canada Research Chair is also open to internal candidates who already hold a tenure-track or tenured faculty position at McGill University.

### **Position description**

The Department of Social Studies of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, McGill University, invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position at the rank of Assistant Professor in the field of Medical Anthropology.

We seek colleagues from Anthropology or allied disciplines with publication and teaching records and research interests in one or more of the following areas: the anthropology of (bio) medicine, health care, or public health; epistemic and material cultures of health or medicine; science and technology studies. Geographical areas open.

The Department of Social Studies of Medicine is a multidisciplinary department (anthropology, history, sociology, bio-medical ethics). The department sees itself as a bridge between the Faculties of Medicine and of Arts and a space for an analysis of the conceptual, practical and societal dimensions of biomedicine and other contemporary forms of medical thought and practice throughout the world.

If the successful candidate satisfies the specific eligibility conditions of the program, the candidate may be supported by the University for nomination to a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair (CRC) in Medical Anthropology which provides protected time for research within a full-time academic appointment.

Tier 2 Chairs are for emerging researchers (individuals who are no more than 10 years from having earned their highest degree). However, career interruptions (e.g. maternity or parental leave, extended sick leave, clinical training, family care, etc.) may be taken into consideration using the <u>Tier 2 justification process</u> to review the candidate's eligibility. Potential applicants who are more than 10 years from their highest degree with career interruptions may contact the institution to have their eligibility reviewed through the Tier 2 justification process. The eligibility conditions for the CRC chairs are described at <a href="http://www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca/program-programme/nomination-mise en candidature-eng.aspx#s3.">http://www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca/program-programme/nomination-mise en candidature-eng.aspx#s3.</a>

#### **Job Duties**

Teaching responsibilities may include primarily undergraduate and graduate courses in the department most closely related to the candidate's discipline (cross-listed in Social Studies of Medicine) and some teaching in the Faculty of Medicine.

The candidate is expected to be actively involved in all aspects of McGill's academic mission (research, teaching, supervision of graduate students and involvement in academic and administrative committees).

## **Qualifications and Education requirements**

Candidates must have a doctorate in Anthropology or an allied discipline. The language of instruction at McGill University is English; competence in French is desirable but not required. Postdoctoral experience and substantial publications are a major asset.

Candidates who do not satisfy the CRC eligibility criteria for a Tier 2 chair are nonetheless invited to apply for the position.

#### **JOB DETAILS**

Job Type: Tenure-track

Rank: Assistant Professor

Job status: Full-time

Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience

Application deadline: Please submit your application electronically within 30 days of the

publication of this posting

#### APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications must be submitted on-line at: <a href="http://www.mcgill.ca/medicine-academic/positionsavailable">http://www.mcgill.ca/medicine-academic/positionsavailable</a>

The following supporting documents are required:

- a cover letter & curriculum vitae (as 1 pdf document)
- statement of research (if including other documents, combine to make 1 pdf)

- the names and contact information of three referees

Internal applicants to the Canada Research Chair need to submit a recent curriculum vitae and a statement of research interests aligned with the designated subject area for the chair.

## **COMMITMENT TO EQUITY AND DIVERSITY**

McGill University hires on the basis of merit and is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community. We welcome applications from racialized persons/visible minorities, women, Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, ethnic minorities, and persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, as well as from all qualified candidates with the skills and knowledge to productively engage with diverse communities. McGill implements an employment equity program and encourages members of designated equity groups to self-identify. Persons with disabilities who anticipate needing accommodations for any part of the application process may contact, in confidence, Professor Angela Campbell, Associate Provost (Equity and Academic Policies) by email or phone at 514-398-1660.

All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.