



Tenure Track Faculty Position (Indigenous Community-Based Researcher) Faculty of Education

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The Faculty of Education invites applications for a tenure-track position, for an Indigenous community-based researcher in Education at the Assistant Professor rank, commencing **1 July 2022**. Preference will be given to candidates from the Wabanaki region (First Nations in the Atlantic region) and then to members of other First Nations, Métis or Inuit People.

The Description

Applicants should hold a doctorate or be close to the completion of this degree, however, MSVU also recognizes alternative credentials in an effort to recognize Indigenous ways of knowing and researching. The successful candidate will be from a First Nation, Inuit, or Métis, and have expertise and experience working in Indigenous community-based research. The successful candidate will support the Faculty of Education to implement the goals of the TRC Calls to Action related to education, e.g. #62 and #63. The successful candidate has teaching and research capacities in one or more of the following areas: Indigenous teacher education, Indigenous Land-based Education, Indigenous language revitalization, Indigenous knowledges, or Indigenous art and cultural expression.

Candidates should demonstrate potential for research, teaching, and graduate supervision. The successful candidate will teach at the undergraduate (BEd) and graduate levels.

Workload for the position includes teaching and academic advising, scholarly and/or professional activity and internal and external collegial service. Salary and benefits are in accordance with the Collective Agreement with the Mount Saint Vincent University Faculty Association. This position is subject to final budgetary approval.

Applications should include the following:

- A letter of application describing how the applicant meets the criteria for the position;
- An up-to-date curriculum vitae with cover-letter;
- The names and contact information of three referees;
- Copies of, or links to, up to three recent research and/or professional contributions;
- A statement of current and future research, professional, and teaching interests;
- A statement of your connection with the L'Nu or other First Nations, Inuit, or Métis communities

The department will begin considering applications on **7 February 2022**. The position will remain open until filled.

Send applications by email (in a single PDF) with the subject line "Tenure Track Faculty Indigenous Community-Based Researcher) to:

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Mount Saint Vincent University is strongly committed to fostering diversity and inclusion within our community and encourages applications from all qualified candidates including women, persons of any sexual orientations and gender identities and/or expressions, Indigenous persons, African Canadians, other racialized groups, persons with disabilities, and other groups that would contribute to the diversification of our campus. Candidates who identify as being from any of these groups are encouraged to voluntarily self-identify in their application materials. All qualified candidates are welcome to apply; however, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.