

Assistant Professor Tenure Track

Prairie View A&M University Justice Studies Department and Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center

ABOUT PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

PVAMU is a member of the Texas A&M University System, is a public land grant university located 45 miles Northwest of Houston, Texas, the nation's fourth largest city. It has an enrollment of over 8,000 students and offers bachelor, master, and doctoral degrees in a variety of disciplines. The University's target service area for undergraduate, graduate and outreach programs include the Texas Gulf Coast Region; the rapidly growing residential and commercial area known as the Northwest Houston Corridor; and urban Texas centers.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND PSYCHOLOGY

The College of Juvenile Justice and Psychology is committed to excellence in education, training, prevention and service. By offering a diverse curriculum, the College trains empiricists, educators and practitioners in juvenile justice and psychology. The College's objective is to assist with the understanding of human behavior and the reduction of juvenile offending in the State of Texas

DESCRIPTION

The Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center in the College of Juvenile Justice & Psychology at Prairie View A&M University is recruiting for an Assistant Professor-Researcher position. The outstanding candidate will have exceptional quantitative research skills, excellence in teaching, a commitment to juvenile justice research and dedication to enhancing the graduate and undergraduate student research experience.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Teach graduate and undergraduate courses
- Engage in, produce, publish and present research including the presentation of results in professional conferences
- Maintain an active research agenda with juvenile justice publications primarily in relevant peer reviewed journals
- Participate in service commitments within the department, college, university and the profession.

QUALIFICATION

Candidates must have a Ph.D. in Juvenile Justice, Criminal Justice, Criminology or a closely related field. The J.D. is not an appropriate degree for this position.

Research (50%). The successful candidate will support, expand, and collaborate with the ongoing research programs in the Texas Juvenile Crime Prevention Center. Preference given to candidates with a dynamic and innovative juvenile justice research agenda, with evidence of obtaining grants and other external sources of funding, publish research manuscripts in high impact peer-reviewed journals. Must be able to manage large databases, work independently and as part of a team; must be flexible, responsible, self-motivated, excellent communication skills, and comfortable interacting with students, staff, faculty, researchers and stakeholders.

Teaching (50%). The successful candidate will teach undergraduate and graduate students in the Justice Studies Department. Preference given to those with 1 year of teaching experience or productive postdoctoral experience.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The position is open until filled. To apply for this position, please visit our website at <http://www.pvamu.edu/hr/prospective-employees/careers-at-pvamu/> Interested applicants will be required to submit a letter of interest and a curriculum vitae to be fully considered. For assistance, please contact the Office of Human Resources at 936-261-1730 or <http://www.pvamu.edu/hr/prospective-employees/careers-at-pvamu/>. PVAMU is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. Minorities, women, veterans and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.