

Assistant or Associate Professor of Sport Management — Tenure Track

Date of Hire:

Faculty position starting August 2024

Description:

Houghton University invites applications for a full-time tenure track appointment in Sport, Recreation, and Wellness, in the School of Management and Creative Arts, at the Assistant or Associate Professor rank, starting in the fall semester of 2024. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate courses within the field of expertise and supporting and building the sport, recreation, and wellness programs. A successful candidate will teach undergraduate courses in sport management and health promotion and fitness (e.g., Principles of Coaching, Organization and Management of Athletics, Sports Marketing and Communication, Psychosocial Aspects of Sport, and Holistic Health) and foundational courses (e.g., Principles of Sport, Recreation, and Wellness for Life). Teaching will be in person, with some online teaching opportunities. Responsibilities will include teaching 24 hours per year, advising students, departmental collaboration, service, and scholarship. Additional responsibilities include the development and design of new courses and redesign of existing courses as needed, as well as supervision of field experiences, internships, and experiential learning.

Qualifications:

Required qualifications

The selected candidate will have:

- an advanced degree (Ph.D. preferred) in sports management, athletic administration, health promotion, or a related field.
- mature Christian faith
- strong communication and interpersonal skills
- a commitment to excellence and creativity in undergraduate teaching
- an interest in integrating Christian faith into their teaching
- the ability to help students form respectful attitudes and interactions with people who differ in abilities, attitudes, and cultural experience, with sensitivity to factors that affect our own assessment of others.
- an interest and willingness to support and mentor undergraduate students, including collaborative research

Preferred qualifications:

Preference will be given to candidates who:

- experience teaching at the undergraduate level and online
- demonstrate excellent organizational skills and the ability to plan, prioritize, and delegate across multiple projects.

Starting salary will be dependent on the candidates' qualifications and experience

Anticipated Salary Range: \$42,000-\$56,000

Deadline:

For priority consideration, please submit all application materials by February 29, 2024. Application review will begin immediately, and the position will remain open until filled.

To Apply:

Visit <http://www.houghton.edu/campus/human-resources/employment/faculty-openings/> and follow the PROCEDURE FOR APPLICANTS. For more information about Houghton University, visit www.houghton.edu. For questions related specifically to this position, please contact the search committee chair at Mark.Borchert@houghton.edu.

About Houghton

Founded in 1883, Houghton University is a Christian liberal arts university in the Wesleyan tradition with a student body representing 40 states and Canadian provinces and 25 foreign countries. *US News & World Report's* "America's Best Colleges" Guide has ranked Houghton among the Tier 1 National Liberal Arts institutions. Additional information on Houghton University can be found at: www.houghton.edu. Houghton University is fully committed to a culturally diverse faculty, staff and student body. Successful candidates will evidence similar commitments.