Assistant Professor in Anthropology
University of Kentucky

Job Title	Assistant Professor in Anthropology
Department	8E020:Anthropology
Institution	University of Kentucky
	Lexington, Kentucky
Date Posted	Sep. 5, 2024
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	August 2025
Job Categories	Assistant Professor
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Job Description

The Department of Anthropologyin the College of Arts Sciences at the University of Kentucky in Lexington, KY seeks to fill a tenure-eligible faculty position at the Assistant Professor level with expertise in the field of Medical Anthropology This is a 9-month position in the regular title series with an anticipated start date of August 1, 2025. The successful candidate will be a cultural anthropologist with an active research program in the United States focused on health disparities. We welcome applicants who desire to be part of a dynamic research community with a shared commitment to compassionate and student-centered teaching and mentoring. The teaching load is two courses per semester, including introduction to anthropology, anthropological theories and methods, and classes related to the candidate's specific expertise and interests.
A Ph.D. in Anthropology is required.

Our department is a dynamic community of learners, teachers, and researchers who work globally. We specialize in archaeology, biological anthropology, and cultural anthropology. We offer B.A. and B.S. degrees, an undergraduate certificate in Biological Anthropology, a 5-year combined B.A./M.A. degree

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program, an M.A. degree in Applied Anthropology, and PhD degrees. Our undergraduate and graduate students are active in research, internships, and the department via participation in regular Brown Bag conversations, colloquia, departmental committees, and student-led events, such as the annual Bluegrass Annual Discussions on Anthropology and the Social Sciences (BADASS) conference. We foster an environment that promotes the importance of anthropology for interdisciplinary work, and we strive to support department members who pursue collaborative research and teaching opportunities.

Applicants must include the following: 1) cover letter 2) CV, 3) Research Statement (upload as Specific Request 1), 4) Teaching Statement (upload as Specific Request 2) and 5) a Research Sample (upload as Specific Request 3 - e.g. journal article, book chapter, or dissertation chapter). In addition, please provide the names and contact information of three references when prompted in the academic profile. This information may be utilized to solicit recommendation letters from your references within the employment system.

The University of Kentucky provides comprehensive benefits which are fully described at
https://hr.uky.edu/employment/working-uk/our-benefits.

Questions about this search should be addressed to Dr. Erin Koch, Search Committee Chair, Department of Anthropology, University of Kentucky (**erin.koch@uky.edu**).

Application deadline is October 15th, 2024.

Contact Information

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

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