WESTMINSTER COLLEGE

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

CRIMINAL JUSTICE STUDIES, WESTMINSTER COLLEGE. Lecturer of Criminal Justice Studies position to begin Fall 2022. A Ph.D. in Sociology, Criminology, Criminal Justice Studies or a related discipline is preferred. Candidates with a M.A. plus appropriate professional experiences will also be considered. Applied experience working within the criminal justice system is a plus.

We seek an applicant to contribute to our growing Criminal Justice Studies and Sociology programs. The Department is open to applications from scholars with expertise in a variety of criminal justice fields and perspectives, who are willing to teach quantitative research and contribute across the College's curriculum. Teaching responsibilities will include participation in the research methods/data analysis sequence, as well as other criminal justice studies courses. The successful candidate will be highly committed to teaching excellence. Scholarship and service expectations for this position are reduced.

To apply for this position, electronically submit the following items to Dr. James Rhoads, Chair of the Department of Criminal Justice Studies and Sociology at Westminster College, <u>jrhoads@westminster.edu</u>: 1) Curriculum Vitae, 2) Statement on Teaching and Research in a liberal arts college, 3) evidence of teaching effectiveness, 4) names and contact information for three professional references. Please reference "CJS Lecturer Position" in the subject line of the email. Review of email application materials will begin April 1, 2022. An offer of employment is contingent upon the successful completion of an extensive background check.

Westminster College is an Equal Opportunity Employer, enhancing learning through diversity and inclusion. The College is a nationally recognized liberal arts college, known for its collaborative environment, outstanding experiential learning programs, and focus on student success. Related to the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), Westminster was founded in 1852 as one of the first colleges in the country to offer the same degrees to all people, regardless of gender, race, or religion. Westminster has been ranked among the nation's top schools for "Top Colleges Doing the Most for the American Dream" (N.Y. Times), "best value for the money" (College Factual), employment success (Educate to Career Index), graduation rate performance (U.S. News), social mobility (Washington Monthly), women in STEM disciplines (Forbes), service-learning (President's Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll), and other categories. Around 1,200 undergraduate and graduate students benefit from close personal attention from dedicated faculty while choosing from 41 majors, 10 pre-professional programs and 80 organizations. Westminster's historic campus is located in New Wilmington, PA, a beautiful rural setting near Pittsburgh and Cleveland.