

The University of Utah
College of Social Work
Invited Nominations for a

Visiting Scholar

With specialization in either policy or research, this position is open for either Fall or Spring semester of AY 2007-2008. It is ideal for a faculty member interested in taking a sabbatical in a beautiful mountain setting, who would like to become part of a dynamic and challenging community of social work faculty and students. We anticipate that the incumbent will provide at least one public lecture, and may teach either a course or a workshop at the doctoral level. He or she would be encouraged to engage in collaborative research and become involved in the local community.

The College & University: The University of Utah is a Doctoral/Research University-Extensive (Carnegie Classification), identified as the state's flagship institution. It is located in Salt Lake City, at the base of the Wasatch Mountains, and the site of the 2002 Winter Olympics. The area boasts excellent outdoor recreational opportunities, a spectacular setting, and diverse cultural opportunities. The state of Utah, and particularly the Salt Lake City area are becoming increasingly diverse. The College of Social Work was established in 1937, and is the only public institution in the Intermountain West that offers a PhD in social work. The college's MSW program is the only publicly-sponsored MSW program in the state, and enrolls over 250 students. The MSW curriculum includes a generalist first year, followed by an advanced concentration in one of four domains. The college's new BSW program will be a source of growth in coming years. The International Program offers opportunities for faculty exchange, student learning experiences, and collaborative research overseas. The Social Research Institute secures extramural funding and offers research support to faculty. The College will expand into a new building in coming years.

In addition to a modest stipend, the College will provide office and computer facilities, support staff, and cover travel expenses to and from Salt Lake City.

Self-nominations are encouraged. Please send a letter of interest or nomination to:

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