Position Details

Basic Information
Position Title: Assistant Professor, International Security
Location: Norman, OK
Position Type: Faculty
Position URL: apply.interfolio.com/81250

Position Description

The University of Oklahoma’s Department of International and Area Studies, a multidisciplinary academic department in the College of International Studies, invites applications for an Assistant Professor position focused on international security beginning August 2021. We are particularly interested in international security scholars working on the intersection of technology and security, national security policy, and/or US foreign policy.

The person hired for this position will teach thematic undergraduate and MA-level courses in international security and their areas of expertise, as well as participate in OU’s recent research initiative in Aerospace, Defense, and Global Security, which is part of the university’s new strategic plan (https://ou.edu/leadon). We hope to welcome a new colleague with a demonstrated commitment to fostering inclusivity and mentoring members of underrepresented groups. Salary is competitive, with the appointment beginning on August 16, 2021. The teaching load will be two courses per semester (2-2).

The Department of International and Area Studies (IAS) has approximately 350 majors and minors, an MA in International Studies with 30 students, and an online Global Affairs MA with over 100 students. The Department has 23 full-time faculty with collective research strengths in the areas of development, security, national identity, and critical area studies. For more information, please visit the IAS website at https://www.ou.edu/content/cis/ias.html. The University of Oklahoma (OU) is a comprehensive public research university, with a Carnegie classification of very high research activity, known for excellence in teaching and research. OU enrolls over 30,000 students and has more than 2700 full-time faculty members in 21 colleges. Norman is a culturally rich and vibrant town located just outside Oklahoma City. For more information, visit http://www.ou.edu/content/dam/provost/documents/facultyflipbook.pdf and https://www.ou.edu/irr/fact-books.
Review of applications will begin January 18, 2021 and will continue until the position is filled. The University of Oklahoma is committed to achieving a diverse, equitable, and inclusive university community by embracing each person’s unique contributions, background and perspectives. The University of Oklahoma recognizes that fostering an inclusive environment for all, with particular attention to the needs of historically marginalized populations, is vital to the pursuit of excellence in all aspects of our institutional mission. This enhances the OU experience for all students, faculty and staff and for the communities we engage.

Qualifications

Applicants should have a Ph.D. in hand by the time of appointment and knowledge in international relations and/or international security is required.

Application Instructions

Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, statements of teaching and research interests, list of at least 3 references, complete teaching evaluations for at least one course, a writing sample, and a statement on diversity, equity and inclusion.

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

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