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Faculty of Professional Studies
SCHOOL OF KINESIOLOGY
Coaching and Leadership in Sport
Assistant Professor

Position # 30405 – The School of Kinesiology invites applications for a tenure-track position effective July 1st, 2019. The successful candidate will possess a Ph.D. in Kinesiology or related field with a focus on sport coaching (e.g. effective coaching, coach learning, coach development, socio-cultural aspects of coaching). Candidates who are very near completion of their Ph.D. are encouraged to apply.

An overall ability to contribute to the dynamic teaching and research culture in the School is essential. The successful candidate is expected to become an excellent teacher and practitioner, develop an externally funded research program in sport coaching and the socio-cultural aspects of sport, mentor undergraduate and graduate students, and contribute to community engagement and service activities in the School. Expertise in sport coaching, coach education or coach development is required.

The successful applicant will teach courses in sport coaching, leadership and the socio-cultural aspects of sport and physical activity in the School of Kinesiology. An ability to teach elective courses in kinesiology based on interest and expertise would be beneficial.

Applications should include a letter of application and an up-to-date curriculum vitae along with the names and contact information of three referees who will submit letters of support for the applicant. The candidate should send the application and arrange to have three letters of support sent to:

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Closing date: May 23, 2019

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