Lecturer in Environment & Sustainability Western Colorado University

POSITION:

The School of Environment & Sustainability at Western Colorado University seeks interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary applicants for a one-year position teaching undergraduate courses in environmental monitoring and the history of environmental problems and solutions, teaching graduate courses in the science of environmental management, integrative skills in environmental management, and quantitative skills in environmental management, as well as mentoring 2-4 graduate students that fit the top applicants areas of interest. Position also involves recruiting for undergraduate and graduate programs and co-conducting an intensive residency for all MEM students July 28-August 9. Successful candidates will teach 15-24 credits plus mentoring. Information on the School of ENVS can be found at https://go.western.edu/schoolenys

SALARY/BENEFITS:

This position can range between half and full-time depending on candidate's fit for program needs, working off of a base salary of \$40,000. \$5,000 summer mentoring stipend possible on top of base salary. Benefits include an employee/employer shared contribution retirement plan and life and health insurance. After one year of employment, dependents qualify for tuition waivers to attend Western.

START DATE:

July 25, 2019

QUALIFICATIONS:

Ph.D. in Environmental Studies, Environmental Science, Conservation, Ecology, Human Dimensions of Natural Resource Management, Range Management, Ecological Restoration or relevant discipline with an interdisciplinary focus on applied environmental management preferred. Candidates must demonstrate a strong commitment to:

- transdisciplinary approaches to environmental problem-solving,
- experiential and professional education,
- classroom, online, and blended learning,
- excellence in teaching and mentoring

APPLICATION:

To apply, go to www.western.edu/jobs. Please include a letter of application outlining interest in the position, curriculum vitae, and academic transcripts. Unofficial transcripts are acceptable during screening. Official transcripts are required prior to employment. Please list three references in CV. Screening of applications will begin July 1 and will continue until the position is filled.

Western is a residential, public university with an enrollment of 3,000 students who come from across Colorado and all fifty states. Faculty members share a strong commitment to personalized education with the liberal arts as its core. They are student-oriented, collegial, energetic, and engaged in the campus and community. The curriculum provides professional flexibility where experiential learning and interdisciplinary approaches are valued. Western is also an advocate of diversity, equity, and inclusivity of all types including ability (physical, mental), social class, racial/ethnic, linguistic, religion, sexual orientation, age, experience, gender, and cultural. Please see our diversity statement, and our DEII Committee charge. The university is located in Gunnison, Colorado, a rural community 200 miles southwest of Denver. At an elevation of 7,700 feet in the southern Rocky Mountains, the Gunnison Valley provides significant year-round outdoor recreational opportunities. Employees have chosen Western because of the quality of life combined with rewarding careers. Visit http://www.western.edu to learn more about the university.

Western Colorado University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer and is committed to a diverse, equitable and inclusive campus.