

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
Assistant Professor
Anthropological Archaeology

The UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS is seeking an Assistant Professor in Anthropology for a tenure-track position to begin as early as August 18, 2009. The successful candidate will teach two courses per semester in undergraduate and graduate level archaeology, develop an active research program in Holocene archaeology, and perform standard advising and service in the Department, College, University, and to the profession.

Required Qualifications:

- a Ph.D. in Anthropological Archaeology expected by start date of appointment
- geographical specialization in Holocene cultures of the North American Great Plains or adjacent areas
- an ongoing archaeology research program
- demonstrated teaching experience, as evidenced by courses taught
- quantitative research skills, as evidenced by research statement and scholarly work
- publications, as evidenced by scholarly works
- relevant archaeological field experience in North America.

Preferred Qualifications:

- candidates willing to utilize existing archaeological collections at KU
- established research record in North America archaeology
- extensive fieldwork and research experience
- success in securing outside funding
- substantive publications
- demonstrated teaching excellence
- ability to teach large introductory classes and to plan and direct field schools
- skills and specializations that complement those of existing faculty
- ability to contribute to the climate of diversity in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences, including a diversity of scholarly approaches.

First consideration will be given to applications received by October 27th, 2008. Salary range is competitive. The successful applicant must be eligible to work in the United States prior to the start date of the appointment.

Send a letter of application which includes a statement of research plans and summary of teaching philosophy and experience. Also submit a full curriculum vitae, an example of scholarly work, and list of three references with contact information to:

Jack L. Hofman, Search Committee Chair
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1415 Jayhawk Blvd
Room 622 Fraser Hall
Lawrence, KS 66045-7556
Direct further inquiries to Jack Hofman, hofman@ku.edu.

The University of Kansas is an EO/AA Employer. Upon receipt of application materials, individuals will be sent instructions for completing required sections of an on-line Faculty Data Work Eligibility form. Any employment with the University of Kansas is contingent upon satisfactory completion of a background check.

The University of Kansas is an equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. The University encourages applications from under-represented group members. Federal and state legislation prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, disability, and veteran status. In addition, University policies prohibit discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, marital status, and parental status.