



**Department of Anthropology**

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**Applied Anthropologist  
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The Department of Anthropology at the University of North Carolina at Charlotte invites applications for a **tenure-track Assistant Professor of Anthropology** with a specialization in Applied Anthropology. We seek a dynamic and broadly trained scholar to enhance our concentration in Applied Anthropology at both undergraduate and graduate levels. This position will begin August 15, 2016.

The Department of Anthropology at UNC Charlotte emphasizes four-field training for its students, and offers B.A. and M.A. degrees in Anthropology with optional concentrations in Applied Anthropology at both levels.

Requirements for this position are a Ph.D. in anthropology in hand by the time of appointment; and demonstrated promise of effective teaching, excellence in scholarly publication, and potential to secure appropriate external funding. Candidates should demonstrate the ability to teach core graduate and undergraduate courses in Applied Anthropology (including ethnographic research methods, and electives according to their research focus). The teaching load for new faculty is two courses per semester.

Specific research, teaching, and outreach emphases within the field of applied anthropology might include, but are not limited to, urban anthropology, education, health, business, infrastructure, sustainability, migration/displacement/refugees, or international development. Geographical area is open, with preference given to scholars who will complement the department's current strengths. We welcome candidates whose experience in teaching, research and community service has prepared them to contribute to the university's commitment to diversity. Desirable qualities also include experience working in applied settings

outside the academy, the potential to develop service learning opportunities, and the ability to contribute to the university's General Education curriculum.

UNC Charlotte is a rapidly growing doctoral-granting urban university located in the largest metropolitan area between Washington DC, and Atlanta. The University is a Carnegie Foundation Community Engagement campus. More than 28,000 culturally diverse students currently are enrolled at the University.

As the largest college at UNC Charlotte, the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences houses 20 departments in the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences, as well as 24 applied research centers and interdisciplinary programs. It offers eight doctoral degrees, 34 master's degrees and graduate certificates, and 34 undergraduate degrees.

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte is an AA/EOE and an ADVANCE Institution that strives to create an academic climate in which the dignity of all individuals is respected and maintained. It values diversity that includes, but is not limited to ability/disability, age, culture, ethnicity, gender, language, race, religion, sexual orientation, and socio-economic status. Applicants will be subject to a criminal background check.

Candidates should submit the following to <https://jobs.uncc.edu> [Position Number 002748]: (1) a letter of application responding to the required and desired qualifications listed above; (2) a curriculum vitae; (3) one sample of professional writing; (4) the names and contact information for three referees. Review of applications will begin on 15 December and continue until the position is filled. For more information contact Professor Gregory Starrett, Search Committee Chair at [gregory.starrett@uncc.edu](mailto:gregory.starrett@uncc.edu), and view our departmental website at <http://www.anthropology.uncc.edu/>.