

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Community and Regional Development and Policy Associate or Full Professor

Community Studies and Development Unit
Department of Human and Community Development,
University of California, Davis

RESPONSIBILITIES: The successful candidate will have a demonstrated track record of research and teaching on topics that have policy relevance for the socio-economic development of communities and regions. Examples of research and teaching foci would include: community development, local and regional economic development, community organizing and citizen participation, the roles of non-profit organizations in community development, alternate approaches to community governance, approaches to reducing poverty and social inequity, conflicts at the rural-urban interface, the political economy of regional housing and/or labor markets, and the development of local economic clusters. Preference will be given to those whose research concentrates upon community and regional development and policy in the U.S. The successful candidate will be expected to work collaboratively with the Center for the Study of Regional Change. He or she will be expected to develop a research program that includes the study of community and regional development and policy in the state of California. The successful candidate must show evidence of being capable of publishing in top-tier disciplinary and interdisciplinary journals and of successfully carrying out mission-oriented research that reflects his or her appointment in Agricultural Experiment Station of the University of California.

Faculty in the CS&D Unit are interdisciplinary and drawn from a range of social sciences. CS&D faculty have very favorable teaching responsibilities and their appointments normally provide a modest research budget. The successful candidate will offer classes in the CS&D undergraduate major, and the Community Development Graduate Group, related to community and regional development and policy.

INQUIRIES: Inquiries about this position should be addressed to the Chair of the Search Committee, Miriam J. Wells (mjwells@ucdavis.edu). For technical or administrative questions regarding the application process please email the Search Committee Coordinator, Jeri L. Sorensen (jlsorensen@ucdavis.edu).

QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. degree in anthropology, geography, planning, political science, sociology, rural sociology, or other appropriate discipline.

SALARY: Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

TO APPLY: Candidates should begin the application process by registering online at <http://hcd.recruitments.ucdavis.edu>. Please include statements of research and teaching interests, *curriculum vitae*, publication list, and the names, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers of at least four professional references. Review of the applications will begin January 31, 2007. The position will remain open until filled.

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