Position Title: Assistant Researcher in Family Economics
Position Number: 0084585
Hiring Unit: Center on the Family, College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources, University of Hawaii
Location: Manoa Campus
Closing Date: Continuous – application review begins September 09, 2013
Monthly Type: 11 Month
Tenure Track: Tenure
Full/Part Time: Full Time
Temporary/Permanent: Permanent

Other Conditions:
To begin January 2014, for best consideration all application materials should be submitted by September 09, 2013.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Design and conduct integrated research and outreach projects in areas relating to the well-being of families in Hawaii and consistent with the mission of the Center. Examples of relevant content areas include, but are not limited to: family economic well-being, economic inequality, family economic policy, human capital, intergenerational resource exchange, and health economics.
- Implement an outreach plan to complement the economic research agenda, e.g., develop and disseminate fact sheets, policy reports, or other educational resources; conduct program evaluations or cost-benefit analyses; conduct workshops and/or seminars for public stakeholders.
- Provide leadership and guidance to Center projects involving economic issues.
- Publish in academic journals.
- Secure extramural funds.
- As a member of COF’s Data Center team, (a) develop socio-economic indicators that support data-informed decision making and programming; (b) participate in relevant strategic planning; and (c) represent the Data Center with government and community agencies.
- Teach one 3-credit course per year.
- Provide service to the University and community.

Minimum Qualifications

- Doctoral degree in economics or a related field from a college or university of recognized standing; ABD candidates may be considered, but all degree requirements must be completed at the time of hire.
- Expertise in econometrics and research methods.
- Evidence of a programmatic research and/or outreach agenda.
• Ability to independently design research projects and generate research reports, publications, and grant proposals.
• Ability to teach undergraduate and graduate courses.
• Ability to conduct effective presentations and workshops for academic and community audiences.
• Strong interpersonal skills including the ability to effectively interact with students and project assistants, participate on interdisciplinary teams, work with community stakeholders, and collaborate with persons from diverse backgrounds.

Desirable Qualifications
• A content area specialty relating to the Center’s mission of supporting and strengthening families in Hawai‘i.
• Record of academic and/or applied publication.
• Success in grantsmanship.
• Evidence of strong teaching performance.
• Ability to identify social issues and conceptualize approaches to ameliorating challenges faced by families.

Application Instructions:
Send an application via email to the Search Committee Chair. The application includes a letter of application describing the applicant’s fit with this position; curriculum vitae; copies of official university transcripts; samples of professional writing and scholarly work; and the name, address, phone number, and email address of three (3) persons who will provide confidential letters of reference. Arrange to have the three (3) letters of reference sent to the Search Committee Chair by the best consideration date.

Please see complete description and application instructions at:
http://workatuh.hawaii.edu/Jobs/NAdvert/17816/2165837/1/postdate/desc

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