



## ***Non-Tenure Track Instructor/Assistant Professor of Geography and Sustainability*** (Division of Social Science)

**Recruitment #:** F1904

**Application Deadline:** Review begins **June 1, 2019**. Position open until filled.

**Salary Range:** WOU's Salary Schedule can be found in Article 16 of the [WOUFT-CBA 2017-2020](#).

### **Benefits:**

Western Oregon University's offers an excellent benefits package for eligible employees which includes 95% premium paid healthcare, a generous retirement and vacation package, and reduced tuition rates for employee, spouse or dependent at any of the Oregon Public Universities. <http://www.wou.edu/hr/benefits/>

### **Job Summary:**

This position is in the Department of Geography & Sustainability in the Division of Social Science at Western Oregon University in Monmouth. <http://www.wou.edu/geography/>

Applicants will be expected to teach introductory courses in geography and advanced courses in topics such as political geography and global climate change, in a format that fits the applicant's interests and qualifications. The course load would be 2-3 courses per quarter.

***We are not considering candidates who require Visa sponsorship support. Additionally, the university typically only considers visa support for employees placed in specialized positions that are continuing regular university appointments.***

### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Master's degree in geography or related field (all degree requirements completed by start date)

### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- PhD in geography, or related field (ABD will be considered)
- Interest and ability to support teaching in the department's new Sustainability major
- Prior college teaching experience

### **Contact Information:**

Questions regarding this position may be directed to Shaun Huston, Search Committee Chair, at [hustons@wou.edu](mailto:hustons@wou.edu).

For questions regarding the application process or to submit your application documents, please contact Human Resources at **503-838-8552** or [employment@wou.edu](mailto:employment@wou.edu).

### **Application Instructions:**

You may submit all materials online at [www.wou.edu/facultyapp](http://www.wou.edu/facultyapp)

**Required application materials (PDF preferred):**

1. WOU Employment Application available at [www.wou.edu/facultyapp](http://www.wou.edu/facultyapp)
2. Letter of application that addresses each qualification of the position. Please include how your experience, education, and/or training might help us build a more inclusive, collaborative, and diverse community
3. Curriculum vita
4. Contact information for three references
5. Copy of unofficial transcripts for highest degree earned

**As an alternative, you may also submit application materials to:**

**F1904, NTT, Geography & Sustainability**, Human Resources, Western Oregon University, 345 Monmouth Ave N, Monmouth, OR 97361;

OR E-mail to [employment@wou.edu](mailto:employment@wou.edu); OR fax to: 503-838-8144

Western Oregon University (WOU) [www.wou.edu](http://www.wou.edu) is a mid-sized public comprehensive university located in the heart of Oregon's lush Willamette Valley. The university serves a large number of first-generation college students. WOU has received national recognition for its commitment and success in serving students. The campus is about 20 minutes from Salem, the state's capital, about 75 minutes from Portland, the state's cultural hub, and a short drive from the Oregon coast, mountains, and other scenic areas. The university is located in an increasingly diverse, bilingual, and rural area in the Willamette Valley. Our student body of about 4800 undergraduate and 600 graduate students enjoys a vibrant and close-knit intellectual community.

**Western Oregon University is an AA/EOE/Veteran/Disability employer and is committed to fostering diversity in its student body, faculty, and staff.**