Position Available  
Assistant Professor, Tenure Track  
Interdisciplinary appointment in Gerontology and Housing 

The University of Georgia invites applications and nominations for a tenure-track assistant professor position with a joint appointment in the Institute of Gerontology (IOG) and Financial Planning, Housing and Consumer Economics (FHCE). This position is a formal partnership between the College of Public Health and the College of Family and Consumer Sciences to create research and education that is responsive to the challenging issues in our society of long lived individuals. FHCE supports a consumer focused mission in all areas of housing. The IOG supports a public health focused mission of coordinating research, training, and service in aging. The IOG offers university-wide Graduate Certification in aging as well as coordinated training with MPH, MSW, MBA, Dr.PH, and PhD degree programs. FHCE offers a full spectrum of undergraduate and graduate training programs including MS and PhD programs. These two units have worked on collaboratively since 1976.

The successful candidate will provide interdisciplinary expertise in both housing and gerontology, and must have a Ph.D. in Public Policy or any related field gerontology, housing or public health. Expectations of the applicant are the development of an independent, extramurally-funded research program that represents the intersection of housing and gerontology, and involvement in curriculum planning, instruction, and mentoring at the graduate student level. Applicants must demonstrate the potential to generate external research funding, teaching excellence, administrative abilities, and superior interpersonal skills. The individual will have research and teaching responsibilities in both programs. Of particular interest is the ability to develop community-based partnerships and collaborative research to support the land-grant mission of the university. Also see:


The successful applicant will need to be eligible for a tenure-track faculty position in FHCE. Women and minority candidates are encouraged to apply. Applications received by June 1, 2014 will receive full consideration. The expected start date is fall, 2014 or spring 2015. Please send: (1) a statement of interest in the position, (2) a statement of teaching philosophy and areas of instructional interest and (3) a curriculum vitae to:

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E-mail submissions with .pdf or .doc attachments will be accepted by the Committee Chair at tonimile@uga.edu please include “Assistant Professor Position” in the subject line.

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