

SUNY New Paltz Vacancy
External Posting (Faculty)

Applications are invited for consideration for appointment to the following position:

Department: Black Studies

Budget Title: Assistant Professor

Local Title: Assistant Professor of Black Studies

Posting Date: October 12, 2022

Classification: N/A

Duties: The Department of Black Studies at the State University of New York (SUNY) at New Paltz invites applications for an Assistant Professor (tenure-track) of Black Studies beginning in August 2023 specializing in Education. The primary responsibility will be to teach courses within the Department of Black Studies including the required courses for the Black Studies Education Concentration: BLK370 Education in the Black Community, BLK357 Psychology of the Black Child, BLK396 Black English: Language and Culture, and BLK100 Intro to Black Studies.

The teaching load is typically three courses per semester. Those with specialties in the areas of Black Education and Black Psychology are especially encouraged to apply. The Department is open as to the applicant's field of research interest; however, the successful candidate will be expected to demonstrate and maintain a strong research agenda and portfolio which expands the political aims of Black Studies and the praxis of Black liberation. SUNY New Paltz is committed to identifying scholars doing path-breaking research on Blackness and who will enhance the university's direction in this area. We invite applications from scholars who are committed to the interdisciplinary or transdisciplinary study of Blackness and are making critical, cutting-edge interventions in the field. Candidates are expected to advise students, to provide service to the college as well as to contribute to the life and work of Black Studies within the campus community of SUNY New Paltz.

Qualifications: Required:

- Ph.D. in Black Studies with a specialization in Education, African American Studies, Afro-American Studies, Africana Studies, Pan-African and/or African Diaspora Studies or Africology OR
- Ph.D. in Education/Ed.D. with a specialization in Black Studies/African American Studies is required.
- Exceptional ABD candidates with a firm completion date will be considered.

Preferred:

- Post-secondary teaching experience highly desired
- Experience mentoring and/or advising students with diverse backgrounds is highly desired.

Evidence of a serious commitment to scholarship; record of outstanding teaching; commitment to teaching, research, and service, and to the mission of public higher education.

Contact Information: Individuals with disabilities who need assistance with the application process should call (845) 257-3675.

For consideration, applicants must submit materials through <https://jobs.newpaltz.edu/postings/1807> materials must include:

cover letter of application

curriculum vitae

article-length writing sample

The names and contact information for three references.

Review of applications will begin December 15, 2022 and will continue until the position is filled.

For more information about the Black Studies Department, please visit our website <https://www.newpaltz.edu/blackstudies/> or email Gowri Parameswaran at paramesg@newpaltz.edu, Chair of the Search Committee

Deadline: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled

Other important information about this vacancy: This position offers full New York State benefits which are among the most comprehensive in the country. The State University of New York at New Paltz is a highly selective, public college that is recognized regionally for the strength of its academic programs. It is located in the beautiful Hudson River Valley with easy access to New York City and other nearby recreational and cultural amenities.

SUNY New Paltz recognizes the unique skills, perspective, talents and passion that each employee contributes to its learning community. To work here is to accept an invitation to participate in the growth and development of all campus members—students, faculty and staff. The College's commitment to inclusive excellence is an important part of our mission of public education and our culture. New Paltz continues to work on building a community that supports freedom, mutual respect, and civility. We seek others who support these values of diversity and inclusiveness and candidates of all diverse backgrounds who wish to participate in our cultural aspirations are welcome and encouraged to apply.

The State University of New York at New Paltz is an AA/EOE/ADA employer.

Federal law and regulations require notice to all prospective employees regarding crimes that have occurred on campus in the current three year period. Please refer to the University Police Web site for the complete Annual Security Report (Clery Report) at <https://www.newpaltz.edu/firesafety/safetyreport.html>.

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