The Sociology Department at Binghamton University is seeking applicants for a PRODiG+ Postdoctoral Fellowship. The Fellowship is for two years, with a teaching obligation of one course per year in the area of the Fellow's research and comes with a highly competitive compensation package. The preferred area of research specialization is Critical Carceral Studies and Race. The department will strongly support the fellow's research with the goal of converting their position to a tenure track assistant professor at the conclusion of the fellowship. The standard teaching load for tenured and tenure-track faculty in the Sociology Department is 2/2.

The Fellowship is part of the SUNY-wide PRODiG+ initiative which aims to: 1) increase the system's number and share of excellent diverse faculty committed to advancing the ideals of diversity, equity, and inclusion and 2) strengthen the retention and support for these faculty. Through the PRODiG+ program, SUNY expects to generate a pipeline of over 400 postdoctoral fellows to enter tenure-track faculty positions over the next 10 years.

Eligible candidates should demonstrate personal, academic, and/or work experience engaging with diversity, equity, and inclusion and/or a commitment to facilitating and enhancing diversity, equity, and inclusion efforts in the campus community. Also, candidates must be eligible to work in the United States without a visa sponsorship, and expect to complete a Ph.D. in Sociology or related discipline from an accredited institution prior to the start date. The Fellow would join a sociology department distinguished by its global breadth and historical bent. They would also join a growing cohort of scholars in the department and across Harpur College of Arts and Sciences who are committed to conducting research on race, racism, ethnicity, social justice, power and
structures of inequality in their diverse fields of specialization. We welcome historical, mixed methods and/or quantitative approaches. We conceive critical carceral studies expansively to include carceral practices in the US and globally, past and present, and the abolition projects they have provoked. Some teaching experience is preferred.


Application Deadline:  April 6, 2024

Do not post after:  April 6, 2024