

**Assistant/Associate Faculty Position
Applied Developmental Psychology
School of Education
University of Pittsburgh**

The program in Applied Developmental Psychology (ADP) at the University of Pittsburgh is accepting applications for a tenure-line faculty position at the assistant to associate level with a specialization in professional work with children and youth in after-school and out-of-school programs.

We seek to add core strength to ADP by selecting a candidate who can continue our program's legacy of national leadership in the professional field of child and youth work. The successful candidate will coordinate our concentration in child and youth professional education and advance the profession by: conducting leading research and scholarship; promoting professional standards and training at local, state and national levels; building practice learning partnerships with leading child and youth agencies; obtaining funding for research and training initiatives; and directing our summer institute on professional development in child and youth work.

We especially seek candidates with diverse applied experiences working in informal educational settings, such as afterschool and non-profit programs, with underserved children, youth and families. Of importance is the capacity to work effectively in partnership with diverse community and academic agencies, building on collaborative strengths in our school, such as our Office of Child Development, Center for Urban Education and Learning Policy Center. Candidates must be committed to teaching and mentoring a diverse student body including undergraduate, masters and doctoral students who are preparing for practice, administrative and research careers.

Successful applicants must have a doctorate in ADP or a related field, strong developmental and methodological credentials, and evidence of high quality teaching and research. Candidates with current grant funding or grant proposals under review are encouraged and preferred. For full consideration, submit (1) letter of application, (2) current vita, (3) research statement, (4) teaching statement with evidence of teaching effectiveness and (5) up to three publications. Electronic submissions are highly encouraged. Material can be uploaded to: <http://www.education.pitt.edu/facultysearch/>. If you are unable to upload your documents, please mail materials to: ADP Search, Office of the Dean, School of Education University of Pittsburgh, 5600 WWPB, Pittsburgh, PA 15260. Please have three letters of recommendation either requested through the online system or emailed directly to edsearch@pitt.edu.

The review process will begin on January 15, 2012, and continue until the positions are filled. Inquiries may be directed to the chair of the search committee, Dr. Stephen Bagnato, bagnatos@pitt.edu.

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