



## RED DEER COLLEGE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

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### Social Work Instructor - Continuous Appointment (Probationary)

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#### Posting Details

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##### Position Information

**Position Title**

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**Job Description**

RDC offers students a learner-centred environment that provides practical and innovative learning experiences. The School of Arts and Sciences houses three departments: Humanities and Social Sciences, Sciences and Engineering, and Social Work. The School delivers a range of certificate, diploma, university transfer, and collaborative degree programs, as well as service courses to students in most other RDC programs.

The School of Arts and Sciences particularly seeks faculty members with superior preparation and ongoing engagement in their academic and professional fields, passion for teaching, and willingness to commit to making excellence in teaching their primary focus. The School builds itself around a vision of connecting innovation and tradition by fostering curiosity, creativity, and critical thinking in all activities: development and renewal of courses and programs, approaches to teaching and learning, and scholarly activity and community engagement by students and faculty.

Responsibilities of all full-time faculty in the School of Arts and Sciences include:

- Delivering courses congruent with established course curricula and program outcomes
- Supporting the success of students with diverse cultural and educational backgrounds and learning styles
- Assessing student learning in ways that both facilitate learning and ensure achievement against appropriate academic standards
- Contributing to course and program curriculum development and renewal
- Engaging in scholarly activity within the domains of Ernest Boyer's model: scholarship of discovery, application, integration, and teaching
- Working collegially within department, School, or College committees and project teams

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**Job Duties**

The Social Work program at Red Deer College is a focused teaching and teamwork environment that is learner-centred. Preparing students for employment and a foundation for further post-secondary study, the Social Work diploma program promotes ethical social work practice, social and economic justice, respect for and acceptance of diversity among peoples, and relationship building.

With student numbers of over 100 each academic year, we are looking for a professional with the demonstrated ability and experience required to teach a range of generalist social work courses. Working in an interdependent department, within the School of Arts and Sciences, your skills in individual responsibility and collaborative instruction, will promote student success. Social Work instructors also supervise and liaise with social work field placements involving first- and second-year students, hence integrating theory into practice.

#### Required Qualifications

- MSW, RSW (or eligible for registration in Alberta if from out of province)
- Minimum five years social work practice experience

#### Preferred Qualifications

- PhD in Social Work is strongly preferred
- Post-secondary teaching experience and experience with social work student field supervision are assets

#### Salary or Hourly?

Salary

#### Salary

Commensurate with education and experience

#### Benefits and Compensation Information

Red Deer College offers a comprehensive benefits package including extended health and dental care through Blue Cross, access to a health spending account, pension plan, generous vacation allotments, credit tuition waivers and opportunities for professional development funding. Additional time off due to College closures between Christmas and New Year statutory holidays.

\*Eligibility to access the above mentioned benefits dependent upon the FARDC Collective Agreement and related RDC policies.

#### Posting Detail Information

<b>Competition Number</b>	2018-F-045
<b>Faculty Employment Type</b>	Continuous Probationary
<b>Number of Vacancies</b>	1
<b>Desired Start Date</b>	08/08/2018
<b>Position End Date (if term-certain)</b>	
<b>FTE</b>	1
<b>Hours of Work</b>	
<b>Open Date</b>	04/20/2018
<b>Close Date</b>	05/11/2018
<b>Open Until Filled</b>	
<b>Special Instructions to Applicants</b>	Subject to Budget Approval

#### Supplemental Questions

Required fields are indicated with an asterisk (\*).

#### Documents Needed To Apply

Required Documents

1. Cover Letter
2. Curriculum Vitae
3. References Names and Contact Information

Optional Documents

None

**Application Instructions** - For more information about Red Deer College, this position or to Apply online, please visit <https://employment.rdc.ab.ca>