



# *SOUTHERN DEMOGRAPHIC NEWS* FALL 2013

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## *Montgomery 2013*

*Our annual meeting is scheduled for October 23-25 at the Renaissance Montgomery Hotel and Spa at the Montgomery Convention Center. Have you registered for the hotel? For the meeting? Need to know when you present? See the following quick links:*

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The Southern Demographic Association is a scientific and educational corporation operating under the laws of the commonwealth of Virginia. It is comprised of persons with professional interests in demography and population studies.

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## 2013 SDA PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

### **Wednesday, October 23, 2013**

SDA Board Meeting 3:00-5:00 p.m., Riverview 4  
Registration 3:00-6:00 p.m., Foyer Alabama C&D  
Reception 6:00-8:00 p.m., Alabama B

### **Thursday, October 24, 2013**

**8:00-5:00 p.m., Registration — Foyer Alabama D&E**

#### **8:00-9:45 a.m., Paper Sessions 1**

- 1.1 Census/ACS/Methodology 1 - Montgomery 1
- 1.2. Area Studies 1; Asia – Alabama C
- 1.3 Family Structure & Behaviors; International Perspectives -Montgomery 7
- 1.4 Health & Health Behaviors; -Riverview 7

#### **10:00-11:30 a.m., Paper Sessions 2**

- 2.1 Census/ACS/Methodology 2 - Montgomery 1
- 2.2 Area Studies 2; Demography of “The South” – Alabama C
- 2.3 Health & Health Behaviors; Sexual Behaviors - Montgomery 7
- 2.4 Health & Health Behaviors; Health Insurance - Riverview 7

#### **11:45-1:15 p.m., Plenary Luncheon 1— Alabama B**

Speaker: Grace Kao, Professor Sociology, University Of Pennsylvania  
Title: “Interracial Romance and Friendship in Adolescence and Adulthood”

#### **1:30-3:00 p.m., Paper Sessions 3**

- 3.1 Census/ACS/Methodology 3 – Montgomery 1
- 3.2 Area Studies 3; U.S., Japan and Korea – Alabama C
- 3.3 Health and Health Behaviors; Abortions and Immunization - Montgomery 7
- 3.4 Health & Health Behaviors; Elderly Well Being - Riverside 7

#### **3:15-4:45 p.m., Paper Sessions 4**

- 4.1 Census/ACS/Methodology 4 - Montgomery 1
- 4.2 Area Studies 4; China - Alabama C
- 4.3 Health & Health Behaviors; Diabetes & Disability - Montgomery 7
- 4.4 Health & Health Behaviors; Drinking and Relationships - Riverside 7

#### **4:45-5:45 p.m., Poster Session and Presidential Reception Alabama D&E**

(Co-Sponsored by the Department of Sociology & The Center for Demography and Population Health, Florida State University)

5.0 Poster Session — Alabama D&E

#### **5:45-6:15 p.m., Business Meeting & Awards Ceremony— Alabama D&E**

**6:30-10:00 p.m., Reception & Dinner — Capital City Club, 201 Monroe Street**

**Friday, October 25, 2013**

**8:00-10:00 a.m., Registration— Foyer Alabama D&E**

**8:00-9:45 a.m., Paper Sessions 6**

- 6.1 Population Estimates of Boat, Car Ownership, Vehicle Deaths & Spatial Poverty - Montgomery 1
- 6.2 Migration & Place; Foreign Born, Hispanic & Latin America – Montgomery 5
- 6.3 Health & Health Behaviors; Depression and Mental Health - Montgomery 7
- 6.4 Data Sharing Topics in ICPSR Data Sets - Riverview 7

**10:00-11:30 a.m., Paper Sessions 7**

- 7.1 Race & Segregation - Montgomery 1
- 7.2 Migration & Place; Spatial Methods, School Population & Returning Home - Montgomery 5
- 7.3 Health & Health Behaviors; Race & Births - Montgomery 7
- 7.4 NIH LGBTI Research Strategic Plan - Riverview 7

**11:45-1:15 p.m., Plenary Luncheon 2 — Alabama C**

Speaker: Dr. Steve Murdock, Director, Hobby Center for the Study of Texas and Allyn R. & Gladys M. Cline Professor of Sociology

Title: “Applied Demography in a Policy Setting: The Challenges of Ensuring That Science Prevails in Political Settings”

**1:30-3:00 p.m., Paper Sessions 8**

- 8.1. Health & Health Behaviors; Infants and Race - Montgomery 1
- 8.2 Migration & Place; Health, Neighborhoods & Elderly - Montgomery 5
- 8.3 Health & Health Behaviors; Education, Mortality & School Demography - Montgomery 7

## *Traveling to Montgomery*

Montgomery, Alabama is centrally located in the southeast. It is located at the intersection of two major interstates, I-85 and I-65. Travel by car should be easy and convenient for many.

The Montgomery Regional Airport (MGM) includes service by Delta, U.S. Airways, and American Eagle. Limo and taxi services are conveniently available onsite. Call this number for more info: (334) 281-5040. Renting a car is also an easy option, especially if you plan to do some sight-seeing away from the hotel. For all of your travel needs, please visit the Montgomery Convention and Visitor Bureau's [website](#).

Montgomery is full of culture, history, shopping, culinary delights, family activities, and outdoor adventures. Click [here](#) for more info.

For 2013 we will continue with the change made in 2011 and hold the opening reception on Wednesday, October 10, and then two main days of scientific sessions on Thursday and Friday.

Meeting rates at the Renaissance Montgomery are \$129 per night (before taxes) for single or double occupancy. You can reserve your room with the SDA rate at the hotel's [website](#).

## SDA Seeks Newsletter Editor

Carla Alphonso will complete her second term as the editor of *Southern Demographic News* in December. The SDA is currently soliciting a volunteer (or two) to serve as the next newsletter editor. The term for this position is three years beginning in January 2014. The editor organizes and publishes a newsletter four times per year. The newsletter provides information on the association's annual meeting, *PR*<sup>2</sup>, member news, job opportunities, and more. The first issue that the new editor would oversee is the Spring 2014 issue which usually comes out in March. Please contact the SDA President, Kathi Tillman, if interested. Kathi may be reached via phone at (850) 644-1669 or by [email](#).

### **A Message from the Editors of *PR*<sup>2</sup>**

The October issue of *Population Research and Policy Review* will be a special issue on "New Findings from the 2010 Census" guest edited by Dr. William O'Hare. Exceptional research articles include pieces by John Iceland and Gregory Sharp on residential segregation; Howard Hogan, Patrick Cantwell and Jason Devine on the quality of the 2010 Census; and William O'Hare on the changing child population. The issue will also include research notes on age segregation, counting babies born after Census day, and enumerating housing units. There is much in this issue that can be used for teaching and reference, so look for your copy in October.

## **Recent Tables of Contents of *Population Research and Policy Review***

### Volume 32, Issue #4 (August):

“Family Instability and College Enrollment and Completion” by Paula Fomby.

“Parental Resources, Schooling Achievements, and Gender Schooling Gaps: Evidence of Change over 25 Years in Rural Guatemala” by Kathryn M. Yount, John A. Maluccio, Jere R. Behrman, John Hoddinott, Alexis Murphy, and Usha Ramakrishnan.

“Transition to First Marriage in Reform-Era Urban China: The Persistent Effect of Education in a Period of Rapid Social Change” by Felicia Feng Tian.

“Son Preference and Children's Housework: The Case of India” by Tin-chi Lin and Alícia Adserà.

“Using Discrete-Time Event History Fertility Models to Simulate Total Fertility Rates and Other Fertility Measures” by Jennifer Van Hook and Claire E. Altman.

“Measuring Ethnicity with U.S. Census Data: Implications for Mexicans and Arabs” by Jen'nan Ghazal Read.

### Volume 32, Issue #5 (October):

#### ***Special Issue on New Findings from the 2010 Census; Guest Editor: William P. O'Hare***

“Introduction: Results of the 2010 Decennial Census” by William P. O'Hare.

“Quality and the 2010 Census” by Howard Hogan; Patrick J. Cantwell; Jason Devine; Vincent T. Mule, Jr.; and Victoria Velkoff.

“White Residential Segregation in U.S. Metropolitan Areas: Conceptual Issues, Patterns, and Trends from the U.S. Census, 1980 to 2010” by John Iceland and Gregory Sharp.

“Declining Segregation of Same-Sex Partners: Evidence from Census 2000 and 2010” by Amy L. Spring.

“Research Note: Segregated by Age: Are We Becoming More Divided?” by Richelle Winkler.

“Misclassifying New York's Hidden Units as Vacant in 2010: Lessons Gleaned for the 2020 Census” by John J. Salvo and Arun Peter Lobo.

“Research Note: What Counts as a House? Comparing 2010 Census Counts and Administrative Records” by Beth Jarosz and John Hofmockel.

“What Data from the 2010 Census Tell Us about the Changing Child Population of the United States” by William P. O'Hare.

“Research Note: Babies Born After Census Day: How the Census Bureau Addressed Dates of Birth After Census Day in the 2010 Census” by Lindsay M. Howden.



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## Editorial Scope

*Spatial Demography* [ISSN: 2164-7070 (online)] focuses on the spatial analysis of demographic processes. This cross-disciplinary work involves modern demographic data visualization, enhanced geo-referenced data availability, and spatial statistics, facilitated through full color graphics, motion video tools, and quick time-to-publication. We welcome inquiries about submissions to *Spatial Demography* sent by e-mail to: [editors@spatialdemography.org](mailto:editors@spatialdemography.org).

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**Current Issue Available at**

**[www.SpatialDemography.org](http://www.SpatialDemography.org)**

**Accepting submissions now: [Submission@SpatialDemography.org](mailto:Submission@SpatialDemography.org)**

## *Job Postings*

### **Child Trends – Qualitative Researcher**

Child Trends has an opening for a Qualitative Research Scientist responsible for conducting qualitative research projects on reproductive health (e.g., adolescent and young adult sexual activity; contraceptive behaviors and decision-making; pregnancy; childbearing intentions; health delivery, etc.) and family formation (e.g., union formation and stability; relationship dynamics, etc.) in collaboration with senior staff members. Research studies in this area place special emphasis on racial/ethnic minorities, in particular Latinos, and low-income families.

#### Typical Duties and Responsibilities:

- Works independently and conducts all phases of qualitative research including: study design; protocol development; sample design and management; design and implementation of recruitment and field procedures; data collection; analysis and synthesis of data, etc.
- Analyzes and interprets data and identifies patterns from data collected through qualitative interviews, focus groups, etc.
- Prepares reports and presentations and takes a lead role in writing manuscripts for peer-reviewed publications.
- Takes a lead role in proposal development.
- Conducts interviews and moderates focus groups.
- Supervises and trains junior staff in data collection activities and analysis.
- Oversees and develops quality control procedures.
- Develops IRB materials and oversees data security and confidentiality procedures.
- May function as a principal investigator or project director for projects.
- Some travel required.

#### Qualifications:

- Strong qualitative and analytical skills and relevant substantive and conceptual knowledge is required.
- Excellent writing skills are needed.
- Experience in proposal writing is desirable.
- The position requires a Ph.D. or equivalent.
- Applicants with masters' degrees or other relevant degrees will be considered, but additional experience will be expected.

#### How to Apply:

Please apply on the [Child Trends website](#) by uploading one file combining your resume with a cover letter, salary requirements, transcripts, writing sample, and list of three professional references referencing “Qualitative Research Scientist” in the cover letter.

## **Cornell University – Development Sociology**

The Department of Development Sociology in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences at Cornell University is seeking applicants for a 9 month tenure track position focusing on population and environment. Responsibilities: This position has 50% teaching and 50% research responsibilities. Qualified applicants must have a demonstrated record of scholarship that focuses on the interrelationships of population dynamics and the changing bio-physical environment. Ability to participate in and contribute to inter-disciplinary projects is expected. Appointees will be expected to develop an internationally recognized and externally funded research program on the connections and interactions between population dynamics and various aspects of environmental change such as understanding, mitigating and adjusting to climate change, ecosystem deterioration, and transformations of land use and ownership. Teaching will consist of 2.5 courses per academic year (2 courses one year; 3 the next). The appointee will be expected to teach a course on population and environment, and one on GIS and spatial statistics. Other courses might include population dynamics, graduate-level quantitative methods, or/and other specialized courses focusing on spatial population processes. More information on the demographic and environmental research, teaching and outreach interests in the Department of Development Sociology can be found at: <http://devsoc.cals.cornell.edu>. Start date: August, 2014 Rank: Assistant Professor or Associate Professor (tenure track) Salary: Competitive and commensurate with background and experience Qualifications: PhD in Sociology or related social science disciplines. The candidate must have significant training (or equivalent experience) in demography, quantitative methods, and GIS and spatial statistics. Prior research experience examining population-environment interrelationships is required. Applications: Candidates are requested to submit: (1) a cover letter, (2) a statement that describes recent and ongoing research and near-term research plans, (3) a curriculum vitae, (4) a statement of teaching interests and experience, and (5) an example of written work (maximum of three; published preferred). Senior candidates should include the names of three references who may eventually be contacted by the search committee. Junior candidates should have three reference letters sent on their behalf at the time of application. Review of applications will begin on October 1, 2013 and will continue until the position is filled. In order to receive full consideration, all materials should be submitted by October 1st. Any questions specifically regarding the job position should be directed to Professor Lindy Williams, Search Committee Chair. Please submit all application materials to Academic Jobs Online at <https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/2824>.

## **Duke University – Demography/Sociology**

The Department of Sociology seeks applications to fill a position at the tenured full professor level. Candidates should have research and teaching experience and a publication record in demography, health, and aging commensurate with an appointment at this level. Interest and experience in advanced quantitative methods is also desirable. The Department of Sociology maintains thriving undergraduate and graduate programs, with a full-time faculty of 19 and an affiliated faculty of 11 attached to other departments, research centers, and professional schools. Processing of applications will begin November 1, 2013, and continue until the position is filled. Appointment begins July 1, 2014. Applications will be reviewed upon receipt and considered until the position is filled. Duke University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Interested parties may apply [online](#).

## Harvard University – Research Scientist

The Harvard Center for Population and Development Studies (HCPDS) is a University-wide initiative, dedicated to interdisciplinary research focused primarily on population change, socioeconomic development, and public health. The Center is embarking on a longitudinal program project (P01) called “Health and Aging in Africa: Longitudinal Studies in Three INDEPTH Communities (HAALSI)” funded by NIH. By using a multidisciplinary approach, the project seeks to examine the social, economic and health systems that influence the onset and course of major cardiometabolic disorders and HIV. Physical and cognitive functioning in older adults and the productivity, well-being, social and family consequences of disease will also be studied.

The HCPDS will partner with colleagues at the INDEPTH network which is a system of health and demographic surveillance sites around Africa and Asia. The first phase of the project will occur in South Africa and will be co-led by colleagues at the University of the Witwatersrand.

The HCPDS seeks a term-limited, full-time research scientist who will act as the single point of contact and intermediary for the projects, cores, and field sites. The desired candidate will have both an administrative and technical role. Working under the project’s principal investigator, s/he will manage the collaborative processes of investigators, survey researchers, programmers, and partners.

### **Specific Responsibilities:**

- Assist in establishing a comprehensive work plan and timeline for each project, ensuring activities are effectively integrated.
- Act as resource on HAALSI policies and procedures, ensuring that HAALSI related studies comply with the project’s HR, finance and research protocols.
- Serve as key member of the executive committee which is charged with reviewing progress; guiding decisions on conceptual and programmatic priorities; and consulting on methodological and strategic decisions.
- Develop a communications vehicle (email tree, newsletter, etc.) to keep all HAALSI members informed of essential information and to report on benchmarks.
- Assist in developing the survey instrument that will be conducted via a CAPI system.
- Oversee the collection of survey, clinical and biomarker data.
- Participate in the projects’ technical roles including the production of analytic datasets and data analysis.
- Identify and work with key investigators to minimize problems that may arise.
- Assist with the public release of data; facilitate the public release and dissemination of research findings.
- Implement objective evaluation criteria of HAALSI and its sub projects and cores.
- Assist in facilitating the public release of data and research findings.
- Assist in report writing and in developing a direction for future and long-term initiatives.
- Support the PI in other HAALSI-related activities.

### **Basic Qualifications:**

- Ph.D. required with two or more years of post-doctoral training/experience.
- Solid experience working on health-related research projects involving primary data collection and field work in Africa or other developing country.
- Experience developing survey instruments especially those involving CAPI systems.

- Demonstrated ability to collaborate with professionals at all levels in diverse settings. Must be flexible, reliable, responsive, and resourceful.
- Fluency in English.
- Superior organizational and communication skills required.
- Demonstrated ability to manage and meet multiple deadlines.
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office as well as the statistical software such as Stata, SPSS, etc.

**Additional qualifications:**

- Knowledge of social determinants of health concepts preferred.
- Experience working in low- and middle-income countries preferred.

This is a three year term-limited, full-time position that begins October 1, 2013 with strong possibility of renewal.

**Please submit a cover letter and resume to: [popcenter@hsph.harvard.edu](mailto:popcenter@hsph.harvard.edu) and put “Research Scientist application” in the subject line.** Applications will be accepted until October 14, 2013.

## University of Minnesota – Population Studies/Demography

The University of Minnesota invites applications for two or three open-rank, full-time, tenure-track or tenured faculty positions. We seek demographers or population researchers who can actively contribute to the research and training missions of the University, the Minnesota Population Center (MPC), and its affiliated colleges and academic units. For each position, the tenure home will be in Applied Economics, Geography, History, Public Affairs, Public Health (Epidemiology and Community Health and Health Policy and Management), Sociology or another unit affiliated with the MPC. Ordinarily appointments will be in a single tenure home, not split across units.

We seek demographers with established or emerging lines of high-quality population research. That research may be on any number of substantive areas within demography including (but not limited to) fertility, mortality, migration, historical demography, labor force dynamics, household and family dynamics, education and human capital, population and the environment, neighborhoods and urbanization, aging, and population approaches to health disparities and health policy. Successful applicants will be expected to continue and expand their own independent research initiatives and to work with others to cultivate new interdisciplinary collaborations. Regardless of their substantive research focus, we anticipate that successful applicants will show potential for obtaining external funding (e.g., from NIH or NSF) to support their independent and collaborative research projects. Applicants should be prepared to advise doctoral and post-doctoral students and to teach courses on (a) formal demographic methods and (b) some of the following topics: fertility, mortality, migration, world population issues and problems, demography and public policy, economic demography, and advanced quantitative methods.

Appointments will be made at the appropriate rank depending upon qualifications and experience and will be consistent with collegiate and University policy.

Because this is an interdisciplinary search, we will attempt to accommodate the timing of different disciplines' job markets. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis beginning in mid-September 2013 and continuing at least through the middle of January 2014. However, candidates are encouraged to apply early and to ensure that all materials are submitted as soon as possible. These positions are available beginning August 2014; they will remain open until they are filled. The salaries for these positions are competitive and commensurate with experience and qualifications.

Requirements include: (1) a doctoral degree in demography or a discipline closely aligned with population research (e.g., economics, geography, public health, sociology); (2) demographic research and training experiences; (3) for senior candidates, a strong publication record in relevant peer-reviewed journals; (4) evidence of potential for obtaining independent external research funding; and (5) evidence of potential for teaching graduate and undergraduate courses on substantive areas within demography.

Please apply online via the University's Employment System at <http://employment.umn.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=113659>.

# University of South Carolina

## LATINO HEALTH DISPARITIES (TENURE-TRACK FACULTY POSITION)

The University of South Carolina's Arnold School of Public Health invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position for scholars interested in Latino Health Disparities. The position will be in the Department of Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior at the Assistant or Associate Professor level ([www.sph.sc.edu/hpeb](http://www.sph.sc.edu/hpeb)), and a possible joint appointment with Women's and Gender Studies ([www.cas.sc.edu/wost](http://www.cas.sc.edu/wost)). This position was created under the University's innovative Faculty Excellence Initiative as part of a cluster of scholars who collaborate with one another and with the current faculty to participate in interdisciplinary research, teaching, and community engagement on topics of Latino immigration and the health and well-being of immigrant and host-nation families, and communities. USC is committed to research on health inequalities and disparities.

Candidates must bring a strong record or promise of scholarly achievement and extramural funding in one or more of the following: community-based participatory research, social determinants of health and well-being, or community health development. Candidates will be expected to contribute to interdisciplinary health inequalities and disparities research on Latino or immigrant populations in South Carolina, the southeast, and the US. Candidates will have the opportunity to collaborate and strengthen ongoing efforts from the Consortium for Latino Immigration Studies ([www.sph.sc.edu/cli](http://www.sph.sc.edu/cli)), the Institute for Families in Society, the Women's and Gender Studies Program Women's Well-Being Initiative, the Department of Anthropology, and several existing community projects that address health inequalities in marginalized and minority communities in South Carolina.

This recruitment is part of unprecedented growth of the faculty at USC, and development of a new research campus. The Arnold School opened a new state-of-the-art building for research and instruction in spring 2006, and the department will be located in a nearby new research building beginning in December 2013. The department is interdisciplinary, collaborative, energetic, and forward-looking.

To apply: Send letter of application, vita, a copy of two scholarly works, and contact information for three references to: Katrina Walsemann, Ph.D., Search Committee Chair, c/o Staci Mathis, Department of Health Promotion, Education, and Behavior, Arnold School of Public Health, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC 29208; Phone (803) 777-6255, Fax (803) 777-6290. Electronic applications may be sent to [mathiss@mailbox.sc.edu](mailto:mathiss@mailbox.sc.edu). To ensure full consideration, applications should arrive by November 12, 2013.

The University of South Carolina is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply. The University of South Carolina does not discriminate in educational or employment opportunities or decisions for qualified persons on the basis of race color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, sexual orientation, or veteran status.

## University of California-Irvine – Demography

As part of its continuing expansion, the UCI Sociology Department announces recruitment for one tenure-track position at the assistant professor level. We welcome applicants in all sub-fields, especially those with expertise in population and demography. We seek candidates with a strong publication profile and a well-defined research agenda.

The review process will begin October 1, 2013, but screening will continue until the position is filled. Completed applications containing a cover letter, curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, and up to three writing samples should be uploaded electronically at

<https://recruit.ap.uci.edu/apply/JPF01974>. For more information on UCI Sociology, see [www.sociology.uci.edu](http://www.sociology.uci.edu).

The University of California, Irvine is an equal opportunity employer committed to excellence through diversity and strongly encourages applications from all qualified applicants, including women and minorities. Preference may be given to those candidates who demonstrate a sustained commitment to advance equitable access to higher education, and who have performed public and university service that addresses the needs of underrepresented minority populations. UCI is responsive to the needs of dual career couples, is dedicated to work-life balance through an array of family-friendly policies, and is the recipient of an NSF ADVANCE Award for gender equality.

## Baylor University – Sociology

The Department of Sociology is recruiting a tenure-track sociologist for August, 2014. Preferred career stage is advanced assistant. We seek a generalist with expertise in at least two of the following areas: deviance, criminology, quantitative methods, health, demography, stratification, family. This individual will be expected to teach undergraduate courses and contribute substantially to doctoral training in one or, preferably, both of our two graduate program tracks: sociology of religion and applied sociology.

Candidates should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, transcripts, reprints or other writing samples, and three letters of reference to Chair, Search Committee, Department of Sociology, Baylor University, One Bear Place #97326, Waco, TX 76798-7326. Applications will be reviewed beginning September 15, 2013, and will be accepted until the position is filled. To ensure full consideration, applications should be complete by October 15, 2013

Baylor, the world's largest Baptist university, holds a Carnegie classification as a "high-research" institution. Baylor's mission is to educate men and women for worldwide leadership and service by integrating academic excellence and Christian commitment within a caring community. Baylor is actively recruiting new faculty with a strong commitment to the classroom and an equally strong commitment to discovering new knowledge as Baylor aspires to become a top tier research university while reaffirming and deepening its distinctive Christian mission as described in Pro Futuris ([www.baylor.edu/profuturis/](http://www.baylor.edu/profuturis/)).

Baylor is a Baptist university affiliated with the Baptist General Convention of Texas. As an AA/EEO employer, Baylor encourages minorities, women, veterans, & persons with disabilities to apply. See [Baylor's website](#) for more information on applying.

## **Louisiana State University – Sociology**

The Department of Sociology invites applications for three tenure-track assistant professor positions beginning August 2014. We seek applicants with specializations in environment/natural resources, community/social capital, and criminology/law in order to enhance our existing strengths in these areas. For the positions in environmental sociology/natural resources and community/social capital, high priority will be given to those applicants who can contribute to LSU's focus on the study of coastal communities. Candidates should show promise of developing a strong record of publications; potential for research funding is also desirable. Required Qualifications: Ph.D. in Sociology or related field.

An offer of employment is contingent on a satisfactory pre-employment background check. Screening of applicants will begin October 11, 2013, and will continue until a candidate is selected. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Apply online and view a more detailed ad at: [www.lsusystemcareers.lsu.edu](http://www.lsusystemcareers.lsu.edu). Position #012747/000124/006077. Applications should include a letter of application and curriculum vitae. In addition, please have three letters of recommendation sent to: Troy Blanchard, Chair of the Search Committee, 126 Stubbs Hall, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA 70803 or via email at [troy@lsu.edu](mailto:troy@lsu.edu). For more information about the department please see [www.lsu.edu/sociology](http://www.lsu.edu/sociology).

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## **Winthrop University**

TENURE TRACK POSITION IN SOCIOLOGY: The Winthrop University Sociology and Anthropology Department invites applications for a tenure track assistant professor position beginning August 2014; the successful candidate will teach a variety of courses in sociology including undergraduate statistics and research methods, other courses within specialization and possibly within the University's interdisciplinary general education program. A global/international focus (demography/urban) is a plus. Requirements include a Ph.D. in by August 2014, successful teaching experience, and potential for research involving undergraduate collaborators. (If the successful candidate is ABD at start of employment, initial appointment will be non-tenure track as instructor). The diverse department supports a thriving B.A. program and concentrations in criminology and anthropology. Rock Hill offers small town advantages, while nearby metropolitan Charlotte, NC, offers diverse recreational, cultural, and professional opportunities.

Review of applications will begin Oct 2, 2013 and will continue until the position is filled. Send cover letter, statement of teaching interests/philosophy, statement of research interests with strategy for involving undergraduates, vita, recent teaching evaluations, doctoral transcript, sample of representative work (article or chapter length), and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Jennifer Solomon, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Winthrop University, Rock Hill, SC 29733.. EOE. [solomonj@winthrop.edu](mailto:solomonj@winthrop.edu)