



*A Record of Success: The King's University in Edmonton is a lively, dynamic and nurturing learning environment. King's learning experience is enhanced by the institution's strong commitment to community service and faculty research. King's offers fully accredited three- and four-year Bachelor degrees in the arts, humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, and commerce, as well as a two-year Bachelor of Education after-degree. King's currently serves over 900 students of all ages from a variety of backgrounds from across Canada and abroad, representing a wide variety of nations.*

## **Faculty Position: Sociology**

*Tenure Track (Full Time)*

### **ACADEMIC RANK**

Assistant Professor (tenure track). Highly qualified candidates will be considered at higher rank.

### **STARTING SALARY**

\$62,929 and up. The University provides generous benefits.

### **DEADLINE**

The application review process starts November 1, 2020 and will remain open until the position is filled.

### **PREFERRED STARTING DATE**

June 1, 2021

### **INSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

To be considered for appointment, the candidate must endorse the Mission Statement and the Statement of Faith of the University (see <https://www.kingsu.ca/about-us/about-kings/faith-commitment>). The successful candidate must demonstrate graduate level course work in the areas of Sociology (or closely related discipline) that they will be teaching and are expected to have, or be near completion of, a Ph.D. in Sociology or related discipline.

### **TEACHING LOAD**

Six term courses or equivalent per year, including labs and seminars.

### **PARTICULARS OF THE POSITION**

We are committed to creating a vibrant sociology program at King's that fosters the inclusion of diverse perspectives and voices, and that includes the voices of marginalized people. The successful candidate will contribute their unique and innovative voice through their teaching and research to our programs in cultural studies, community engaged research, and/or environmental studies. The successful candidate will have a passion for teaching undergraduate students, as well as a strong grounding in qualitative or quantitative approaches to scholarly research, and will welcome the opportunity to work in an interdisciplinary environment in the development of a faith-based approach to their teaching and research. They will also help build a culture of scholarship at King's that supports the involvement of senior undergraduate students in faculty research.

### **RESEARCH EXPECTATIONS**

All faculty members are expected to engage in scholarly activity (some combination of discovery/integration/application/pedagogy/engagement) and to publish the results of their work.

## PROFESSIONAL DUTIES

All King's faculty members share in the administration of faculty and provide various kinds of service to others outside of King's according to their expertise and interests.

## APPOINTMENT

Subject to budget approval.

The King's University is a Christian liberal arts university offering three and four-year Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees, a Bachelor of Commerce, a Bachelor of Music, and a two-year after-degree Bachelor of Education (Elementary and Secondary) accredited by the province of Alberta. The University is a member of Universities Canada and of the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities. Faculty members at The King's University are eligible for and are currently receiving Tri-Council funding. The faculty at The King's University are recognized for involving undergraduate students in their scholarship, with some faculty members having obtained external funding.

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A condition of employment is assent to the University's Christian Statement of Faith found at:

<https://www.kingsu.ca/about-us/careers>

Position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found. Forward curriculum vitae and letter of application (should be two pages and include brief statements on teaching, research, and alignment with the University's mission) to:

**Dr. Kristopher Ooms, Vice President Academic and Research**

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Visit our web site at [www.kingsu.ca](http://www.kingsu.ca).

We appreciate all applicants for considering The King's University as a potential employer, however, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.

*The King's University respects, appreciates and encourages diversity. We welcome applications from all qualified individuals including members of visible minorities, Indigenous, First Nations, Metis, and Inuit peoples and persons with disabilities. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.*