Assistant Professor in Teaching English as an Additional/Second Language Position #28866

THE UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA- The Department of Curriculum, Teaching & Learning, Faculty of Education, invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position at the level of Assistant Professor in the area of Teaching English as an Additional/Second Language (TEAL).

At the time of the appointment, applicants must have an earned doctoral degree, expertise, experience and scholarship related to the study of Applied Linguistics and TEAL across Early Childhood-Adult teaching contexts. The applicant must have an active programme of research with the ability to teach at the undergraduate and graduate levels, and will be expected to supervise and mentor graduate students (M.Ed. and Ph.D.). In addition to teaching, research and Faculty/University service activities, the successful candidate will be expected to develop and sustain strong working relationships at the local, national and international level, with educational organizations and collaborators.

Preference will be given to candidates who have experience in international education contexts and expertise in at least one of the following areas:

- [Instructed] Second Language Acquisition ([I]SLA);
- Learners with low literacy, interrupted formal education, and war-affected backgrounds;
- CALL, MALL, technologies-mediated language teaching & learning; and
- The intersection of special needs/Inclusive Education and TEAL.

The Department of Curriculum, Teaching & Learning in the Faculty of Education currently has 23 full time equivalent (FTE) faculty members who perform research, service, and teaching responsibilities in the Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.), Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Education (PBDE), Master of Education (M.Ed.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) programmes in different areas of the Faculty. The Department offers courses in the following graduate specialization areas: Language & Literacies Education; Second Language Education (SLE); and Studies in Curriculum, Teaching & Learning.

The successful candidate will be joining a dynamic group of SLE/TEAL Faculty Members who are engaged in continuous programme development and renewal. Graduate programmes in this area are in high demand and are comprised primarily of international students along with K-12 teachers and post-secondary educators. Faculty regularly and successfully compete for national and international grants, including Tri-Council funding, and are active leaders and consultants in educational contexts. The Faculty offers an elective 9-credit hour TEAL option in pre-service (K-12) education, a 30-credit hour PBDE TEAL concentration mainly for in-service teachers, a 30-credit hour M.Ed. (thesis or course-based), and a 24-credit hour Ph.D.

As the oldest university in Western Canada and a member of the U15 Group of Canadian Research Universities, the University of Manitoba is the largest comprehensive post-secondary institution serving a diverse body of students in Manitoba, or Manito Ahbee, translated as "where the Creator sits". The University of Manitoba is in Treaty One territory and on the homeland of

the Métis Nation. Winnipeg has long been a meeting place for Anishinaabe, Cree, Oji-Cree, and Dakota Nations.

The start date for the position is July 1st, 2020 or as soon thereafter as possible. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter referencing Position #28866 and curriculum vitae, by March 27, 2020 at 3 p.m. to Dr. Dawn Sutherland, c/o Mrs. Tamara Gillam, Office of the Dean, Rm. 225 Faculty of Education, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3T 2N2; Telephone (204)-474-9170; Fax: (204)-474-7550, email: Tamara.Gillam@umanitoba.ca. Short-listed candidates will be asked to provide three letters of reference and contact information for their referees (who will be asked to speak to the candidates' academic performance and relevant contributions).

The University of Manitoba is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from women, racialized persons, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of all sexual orientations and genders, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

If you require accommodation supports during the recruitment process, please contact LM.Accommodation@umanitoba.ca or 204-474-8371. Please note this contact information is for accommodation reasons only.

Application materials, including letters of reference, will be handled in accordance with the protection of privacy provision of The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (Manitoba). Please note that curriculum vitae may be provided to participating members of the search process.