

Webster Vienna Private University is seeking to appoint an

## **Assistant Professor of Psychology**

We are looking for an individual with a professional and outgoing personality who connects well with people (from various different countries) and brings along a proactive attitude as well as a hands-on mentality. The applicant must have the legal right to work in Austria. The appointee will be contributing to teaching in the undergraduate and graduate psychology programs of the university while also following a research agenda and help with some administrative tasks. The graduate program is with an emphasis in counseling psychology, which means that the appointee needs to have experience with counseling and clinical psychology. As mentioned above, s/he will also be expected to have an active research agenda. S/he will help the University build and expand upon the opportunities that the worldwide Webster network provides. The Psychology department has lab facilities and research equipment such as electroencephalography, traditional psychophysiology (skin conductance, heart rate, respiration rate and temperature) as well as startle reflex modulation, facial expression analysis software and soon also an observational lab that supports social interaction investigations of any kind.

Applicants are to meet the following criteria:

## **Essential:**

- A completed psychology doctorate or PhD in psychology (counseling and clinical psychology background)
- Excellent English in speaking and writing
- Previous university-level teaching experience, preferably at English-language institutions, and demonstrated evidence of teaching excellence
- A demonstrated track record of discipline-specific scholarship
- Demonstrated ability to contribute to a collegial and intellectual environment

## **Highly Desirable:**

- At least working knowledge of German
- Familiarity with the Austrian legal and professional requirements for the practice of psychotherapy and clinical psychology

The University is seeking to make an appointment in the area of Counseling Psychology (and/or Clinical Psychology). While applicants from all fields of psychology will be considered, preference will be given to applicants who are able to offer a combination of a specific field plus a capacity to contribute to the graduate program in Counseling Psychology.

## Compensation:

Assistant Professor: EUR 42.000 annually (gross).

Compensation includes full insurance benefits of the Austrian Social insurance system.

Interested candidates are asked to apply on-line using WUV's electronic application form accessible at: <a href="www.webster.ac.at/faculty-vacancies">www.webster.ac.at/faculty-vacancies</a> (Simply select the position you want to apply for and you will be directed to the application form). In addition to filling out the required fields on the on-line application form, please be sure to include your CV (incl. publication list), the names and contact details of three references, and a cover letter addressing the selection criteria to the Psychology Search Committee.

Application deadline: March 31, 2017

Starting Date of Appointment: August 15, 2017

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