Assistant Professor in Educational Leadership (2 Positions, Tenure Track)
Department of Educational Foundations & Leadership, Darden College of Education & Professional Studies
Old Dominion University

Old Dominion University’s Department of Educational Foundations and Leadership in the Darden College of Education & Professional Studies invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position in PK-12 Educational Leadership. The department is committed to recruiting, supporting, and fostering a diverse community of outstanding faculty, graduate students, and staff. The successful candidate will hold a 10-month, academic year position and will contribute to the advancement of our Master’s, Education Specialist, and Doctoral programs with a commitment to academic excellence in research and teaching.

Responsibilities of the position: The successful candidate will be expected to (1) conduct an active scholarship agenda leading to refereed publications and external grant funding; (2) teach live online and/or hybrid courses; (3) advise students, including chairing and/or serving on dissertation committees; and (4) engage in department, college, university, and professional service.

Required qualifications include: (1) an earned doctorate by time of appointment from a regionally accredited university in educational leadership, administration, or policy, or related field; (2) evidence of scholarly publication record in peer-reviewed educational leadership or policy journals, or evidence of advancement toward a successful publication record; (3) ability to assume graduate-level teaching responsibilities and effectively incorporate technology in face-to-face and synchronous online courses; and (4) ability to supervise graduate students and direct dissertation research.

Preferred qualifications include expertise in one or more of the following scholarly areas related to PreK-12 educational administration, leadership, and policy: instructional leadership and supervision, economics of education, organizational theory, school improvement and/or turnaround, and equity and social justice. Candidates with expertise in advanced quantitative or qualitative methods are especially encouraged to apply.

Salary: Competitive and commensurate with experience. Start date: July 25, 2023

How to Apply: Interested candidates should submit application materials electronically including a letter of interest that also addresses candidate’s research, teaching, and diversity, equity and inclusion philosophies), a curriculum vitae, unofficial graduate transcripts, and names and contact information for three professional references to https://jobs.odu.edu/postings/17225.

Review of applications: Begins December 1, 2022 and continues until the position is filled.

For additional questions concerning the position, please contact the chair of the search committee, Dr. Jay P. Scribner, at jscribne@odu.edu.

Old Dominion University

Old Dominion University (ODU) is a metropolitan, public, Carnegie High Research Activity University located in southeastern coastal Virginia. ODU serves its students and enriches the Commonwealth of Virginia, the nation, and the world through rigorous academic programs, strategic partnerships, and active civic engagement.
ODU serves 24,000 undergraduate and 5,000 graduate students who come with a rich mix of professional, cultural, and life experience. ODU is a proud Minority-Serving Institution (MSI) which employs over 800 full-time faculty members, of which 44% are female and 38% are people of color. The University’s facilities have seen extensive recent expansion and renovation in academic buildings, arts and athletic facilities, and student housing.

The Darden College of Education and Professional Studies

The mission of the Darden College of Education and Professional Studies is to advance our communities through research, teaching, and service activities that reflect our commitment to excellence, innovation, and transformation. The college is dedicated to continually improving the lives of our communities – those groups of people linked by diverse needs, affiliation, or purpose – through culturally-affirming research, teaching, and service. DCEPS is a premier leader in preparing individuals for professions in education, industry, service, and clinical environments.

The Department of Educational Foundations & Leadership

The Educational Foundations & Leadership department consists of nationally recognized faculty whose mission is to prepare leaders and researchers and to contribute to scholarship in our respective fields. The EFL department houses four vibrant Ph.D. programs in the areas of PK-12 Leadership, Higher Education, Community College Leadership, and Educational Psychology and Program Evaluation, as well as innovative Educational Leadership master’s programs with concentrations in PK-12 Leadership and Higher Education.

Old Dominion University is committed to increasing the diversity of its faculty. It welcomes nominations of and applications from women, members of minority groups, protected veterans and individuals with disabilities, as well as from others who would bring additional dimensions to the university’s research, teaching and service missions. ODU is an equal opportunity, affirmative action institution and requires compliance with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.

It is the policy of Old Dominion University to provide equal employment, educational and social opportunities for all persons, without regard to race (or traits historically associated with race including hair texture, hair type, and protective hairstyles such as braids, locks, and twists), color, religion, sex or gender (including pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical conditions), national origin, gender identity or expression, age, veteran status, disability, political affiliation, sexual orientation or genetic information. Minorities, women, veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.