# Department of Criminology & Criminal Justice The University of Texas at Arlington Tenure-Track Position in Criminology/Criminal Justice Position ID: 15530

### **Position Description**

The Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice (CRCJ) at The University of Texas at Arlington seeks to fill one tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor. The position will commence on September 1, 2022. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in criminology and criminal justice. The standard teaching load is four courses per academic year (typically 2/2) for high-performing research faculty. The position is a ninemonth, tenure-track appointment with the possibility of summer teaching. The salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Successful candidates are expected to demonstrate a commitment to diversity and equity in education through their scholarship, teaching, and/or service as well as a strong commitment to teaching, advising, and mentoring undergraduate and graduate students from diverse backgrounds.

# **Required Qualifications**

A PhD in Criminology, Criminal Justice, or closely-related field is required. ABDs will be considered with an expected completion of their doctoral degree before June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Applicants with a JD alone will not be considered. Candidates must provide evidence of excellence in research, teaching, and service—as well as potential for, or record of, funded research activity.

### **Preferred Qualifications**

The area of specialization is open, but with preferred teaching and research background in Technology and Crime (e.g., Crime prevention, Crime mapping, Cybercrime, Cybersecurity, Digital forensics, Police effectiveness, Crime scene investigation). Candidates must be able to teach classes in the area of cybercrime and cybersecurity at the undergraduate and graduate levels.

#### **About the University**

The University of Texas at Arlington is a Texas Tier One and Carnegie Research 1 institution with more than 100 years of academic excellence and tradition. As the largest university in North Texas and second largest in The University of Texas System, UTA is located in the heart of Dallas-Fort Worth, challenging our students to engage with the world around them in ways that make a measurable impact. UTA offers state-of-the-art facilities that encourage students to be critical thinkers. Through academic, internship, and research programs, our students receive real-world experiences that help them contribute to their community and, ultimately, the world. We have more than 180 baccalaureate, masters', and doctoral degree programs, and more than 40,000 students walking our campus or engaging in online coursework each year.

UT Arlington is situated within the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex area. UT Arlington is a diverse academic community of over 40,000 undergraduate and graduate students working together with faculty committed to outstanding teaching, research and scholarship. In 2020, UTA was nationally ranked as the #1 best college for veterans (Military Times), #1 for African-American

students master's and bachelor's degrees, and #2 for Hispanic students master's and bachelor's degrees (Issues in Higher Education). With a total enrollment of more than 49,000 students, UTA is rapidly becoming the largest institution in The University of Texas System.

## **Instructions for Applicants**

Initial review of applications will begin October 22, 2021 and continue until the position is filled. Applicants should submit an online faculty application directly at <a href="https://uta.peopleadmin.com/postings/15530">https://uta.peopleadmin.com/postings/15530</a> or search for "criminology" at www.uta.edu/faculty-search. Candidates will need to submit a complete application packet by uploading: a letter of interest including a research statement and teaching philosophy, curriculum vitae, and the contact information for three references.

Applicants may contact Search Chair, Dr. Michael F. TenEyck (michael.teneyck@uta.edu) and Department Chair, Dr. Kent Ryan Kerley (kent.kerley@uta.edu) with questions.

Additional information about the Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice and UTA may be found at: <a href="http://www.uta.edu/uta.">www.uta.edu/criminology</a> and <a href="http://www.uta.edu/uta.">http://www.uta.edu/uta.</a>

The University of Texas at Arlington is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer committed to fostering a diverse, equitable and family-friendly environment in which all faculty and staff can excel irrespective of race, national origin, age, genetic or family medical history, gender, faith, gender identity and expression as well as sexual orientation. A criminal background check will be conducted on finalists. The UTA is a tobacco free campus. UTA also encourages applications from veterans.