

Position – GIS Lecturer Position, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Description: **The Department of Geography and Geographic Information Science in the School of Earth, Society and Environment at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign** is looking for a Lecturer or Teaching Assistant Professor to fill a key teaching position in our Geographic Information Science curriculum. We seek a dynamic, highly motivated individual who will contribute substantively to the growth and development of our GIS programs at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Primary responsibilities will include teaching classroom-based and online courses in GIS at introductory and advanced levels. The opportunity to teach non-GIS courses also exists based on the hire's expertise. Experience with curriculum development and current GIS technologies will be an asset. The position also involves teaching and administrative responsibilities associated with a new Professional Science Master's program in GIScience.

This position requires a **PhD in Geography** or a closely related field. Applicants with a demonstrated track record of high quality college- or university-level teaching experience, including online instruction, are favored. Excellent communication skills and a strong desire to create new and innovative course materials will enhance an application. Applicants at the Teaching Assistant Professor level must demonstrate the ability to make instructional and curricular contributions to the college, campus, and broader discipline through scholarly publications, invited talks, or other related activities involving the discipline, pedagogy and student interactions.

This position is a **9-month full-time academic appointment** (non-tenure track). Salary is competitive and based on experience. The desired start date is August 16, 2015, but the timing is negotiable. The appointment is renewable based on funding and strong performance reviews.

To apply create your candidate profile through <https://jobs.illinois.edu> and submit your application materials: cover letter, curriculum vitae, teaching statement and names of three professional references. Referees will be contacted electronically within 2-3 business days of application submission. In order to ensure full consideration, all application materials must be received by **April 30, 2015** (reference letters must be received by May 7, 2015). Inquiries about the position are encouraged to contact the Search Committee Chair at jcidell@illinois.edu.