

## Assistant Professor – African Diaspora in Latin America/the Caribbean (Social Scientist)

<b>Position Summary</b>	<p>The Department of African, African American, and Diaspora Studies at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor to begin July 1, 2016. We are seeking an innovative, engaged social scientist whose research and teaching interests focus on the African diaspora in South America, Central America or the Caribbean, particularly the Hispanophone Caribbean. Specific area of research and teaching specialization is open, but should complement and expand current faculty strengths. We are especially interested in scholars whose work engages with one or more of the following areas: race, political economy, gender, sexuality, religion, social movements, and the environment.</p> <p>Faculty members in the department teach four undergraduate courses per academic year (2-2): three in the faculty member's area of expertise and one introductory course in African American and Diaspora Studies.</p> <p>Review of applicants will begin on November 7th, 2015 and will continue until the position is filled.</p>
<b>Educational Requirements</b>	<p>PhD in a social science discipline (e.g. Anthropology, Geography, Political Economy, Political Science, Sociology), or a related interdisciplinary field. All requirements for the PhD must be completed by July 1, 2016.</p>
<b>Qualifications and Experience</b>	<p>Candidates must be able to demonstrate a record of excellence in research, and excellence or potential for excellence in undergraduate teaching. In addition, the successful candidate will be required to teach a course on Blacks in Latin America. An active program of research and publication, and participation in departmental and university service are also required.</p>
<b>Equal Opportunity Employer</b>	<p>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to age, color, disability, gender, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or status as a protected veteran.</p>
<b>Special Instructions</b>	<p>Applications must be submitted online at <a href="http://unc.peopleadmin.com/postings/84771">http://unc.peopleadmin.com/postings/84771</a>. Applicants should upload a cover letter, C.V., research statement and statement of teaching experience and interests (as one document), and a writing sample (such as a published article, article under review, or dissertation chapter).</p> <p>At the time of application, candidates are required to identify the names, titles, email addresses, and phone numbers of four professional references. Reference providers identified by the applicant will be contacted via email with instructions for uploading their letters of support.</p> <p>The minimum number of references required are 4 with a maximum of 4 reference letters.</p>
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