

### Search for Executive Director of Field Education

The Rutgers University School of Social Work is seeking to fill the position of Executive Director of Field Education. This individual would oversee and manage field operations for approximately 1200 MSW and BASW students on our three campuses: Newark, New Brunswick, and Camden, New Jersey. In addition, this person would lead strategic planning and development for this growing department, lead the development and execution of field policies, and also expand and maintain relationships with community leaders and social work agencies. This is a non-tenure track, calendar year faculty position with the faculty rank of Lecturer. The Executive Director of Field Education will be expected to teach one course per year. The Executive Director of Field Education would be responsible for a total of eight full-time staff, including a Director who will serve as chief operating officer of field operations and 2 part-time clerical staff, plus numerous contract field liaisons. The School is planning exciting new initiatives so future expansion of the department is anticipated.

Offering highly competitive salaries and situated in the most racially and ethnically diverse state in the nation, the School offers degree programs on the University's three major campuses: New Brunswick, Newark, and Camden, with easy access to the exciting cultural opportunities of New York City and Philadelphia.

Requirements for this position include: 1) An MSW degree; 2) A minimum of ten years of social work and/or related experience in progressively responsible social work practice, education, and executive managerial settings; and 3) experience as a field instructor. Preferred qualifications include human service management experience at the chief executive officer (CEO) level, a PhD or DSW, experience in a field education setting in a school of social work, and an LCSW. Salary is commensurate with experience.

The School of Social Work has been preparing practitioners for social work careers and conducting research in social work policy, administration and clinical practice for more than 50 years. The School serves approximately 1400 students, offering the BASW, MSW, JD-MSW, MSW-M Div, PhD and DSW degrees. Its faculty members have significant research ties with Rutgers' numerous free-standing nationally recognized Centers and Institutes, including the Institute for Families and four Centers within the School, and New Jersey's medical and dental schools, as well as numerous community and governmental organizations. The climate at the School is collegial and dynamic.

Rutgers is one of the nation's major state universities, with more than 50,000 students enrolled in 30 degree-granting units. It is a member of the Association of American Universities (AAU), a federation of 63 leading public and private research universities in the United States and Canada. Chartered in 1766, Rutgers is the eighth oldest institution of higher education in the nation (See <http://rutgers.edu>; <http://socialwork.rutgers.edu>)

Applicants should send via email a letter of application, a Curriculum Vitae or resume, and contact information for three references to Dr. Michael LaSala, Director of the MSW Program, at [fielddirectorsearch@ssw.rutgers.edu](mailto:fielddirectorsearch@ssw.rutgers.edu). The Search Committee will begin reviewing applications July 30, 2012 and will continue to accept them until the position is filled.

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