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NAME:	VACANT	COLLEGE/SCHOOL:	COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT:	LAW, POLITICS AND SOCIETY	TITLE:	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF LPS
TO APPLY:	Submit letter of application, cv, three letters of support, and evidence of teaching effectiveness to: Renee Cramer Director, Law, Politics & Society, Medbury Hall Drake University 2507 University Avenue Des Moines, IA 50311 E-mail: renee.cramer@drake.edu		

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Law, Politics, and Society: Social Justice, Leadership, and Civic Engagement

This position will focus on social justice, leadership, and civic engagement. Excellent teacher and active scholar to offer courses contributing to the program in ways that complement the university-wide mission of educating ethical and self-reflective global citizens and effective leaders. Area of focus and methods are open – but we hope to attract legal studies scholars working on issues of cause lawyering, public interest litigation, social movement activism, democratic participation, and leadership from core disciplinary perspectives as diverse as sociology, journalism, business, political science, and social work. Drake University values interdisciplinary research and teaching; we seek candidates committed to innovative pedagogy, who use experiential, collaborative, and service learning techniques to facilitate student learning, and contribute to a vibrant community both on- and off-campus. Position is 3/3 load, all undergraduate, including both core and elective LPS-designated courses.

Comments: Deadline to apply is November 1st.

The above assignments are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this job. They are not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and skills required.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS

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EDUCATION: Ph.D. in relevant area highly preferred (JDs, advanced ABDs, and highest appropriate degree for particular fields considered)

OTHER ESSENTIAL TRAINING AND SKILLS: Demonstrable excellence or potential for excellence in teaching and scholarship