



Indiana University School of Education at IUPUC Assistant Professor of Elementary Education Fall 2017

IUPUC—Indiana University-Purdue University Columbus—has delivered high-quality undergraduate and graduate degree programs aligned with regional needs since 1970. Enjoy interacting with students, faculty, and staff who are committed to making a difference in the future of our region. Become part of an exciting opportunity to build the range of teacher preparation and teacher professional development opportunities available at IUPUC.

A tenure-track appointment is available on August 1, 2017, at the rank of Assistant Professor in the Indiana University School of Education at IUPUC. The position is a ten-month assignment with potential opportunities for summer teaching. Candidates should have a broad range of knowledge in elementary teaching and learning, as well as a proven record for using and supporting pre-service teachers with the development of pedagogical approaches that promote social justice in the classroom. Additional responsibilities include conducting and publishing quality scholarly research and participation in service activities at the campus. The successful candidate will also assume the role and responsibilities of Coordinator of Adjunct Faculty.

REQUIREMENTS: Strong credentials in elementary education with full-time K-8 teaching experience and an earned doctorate in education. Documented successful teaching experience at the postsecondary level, ability to maintain an active program of research, and ability to teach a variety of courses in elementary education teacher preparation, including methodology courses in various disciplines. Participation in service activities at the campus is required. A commitment to working with non-traditional students is essential to this position. Strong oral and written communication skills are a must. Successful teaching at the university level is very important.

PREFERENCES: Preference will be given to candidates who are qualified to teach courses in two or more of the following areas: Science Education, Math Education, Language Education (including both Literacy and ESL), and Special Education. Preferred candidates will have experience teaching adult students, a demonstrated capacity to promote community/school partnerships, demonstrated effectiveness in the use of technology in instruction, and demonstrated commitment to social justice and multicultural education. Minimum of two years of experience in teaching traditional and non-traditional undergraduate students and demonstrated capacity to collaborate with faculty across disciplines. Preference will be given to applicants who have a record of teaching and serving under-represented populations and first generation college students.

IUPUC is a growing institution with high potential. The Columbus Learning Center incorporates resources from IUPUC, Ivy Tech Community College, and Purdue Polytechnic Institute to provide a focal point for community learning. This partnership is the result of a community initiative to expand postsecondary degree and professional development opportunities for the local workforce, resulting in a seamless continuation of educational opportunities for area residents.

IUPUC is located in Columbus, Indiana, and has a staff of 63 full-time faculty with excellent credentials and enrolls between 1,500 and 1,800 students annually. Columbus is located one hour south of Indianapolis, 1¼ hours from Louisville, and 1½ hours from Cincinnati. Columbus is a unique midwestern community with a population of 46,000 known for its world class architecture. The American Institute of Architects ranked Columbus sixth in the nation for architectural innovation and design – right behind Chicago, New York, Boston, San Francisco, and Washington, D.C. There are wonderful programs for young children, many parks, excellent philharmonic orchestra, and people trails. The community is also well known for its culture and its predilection for innovation. For further information visit <http://www.iupuc.edu/> and <http://columbus.in.us>.

University-sponsored benefit plans are a significant part of Indiana University's total compensation package. You may want to go to www.hr.iu.edu/benefits to learn more about the resources, services, and other generous benefits available to Indiana University employees. **Interested candidates should review the application requirements and submit their application at: <http://indiana.peopleadmin.com/postings/3467>.** Questions regarding the position or application process can be directed to Dr. Jennifer Conner-Zachocki, Interim Education Division Head, at 812.348.7278 or jmconner@iupuc.edu. Review of applications begins immediately and continues until the position is filled.