

Applied Developmental Psychology Job Description (April 2010)

The Fordham University Psychology Department and Applied Developmental Psychology (ADP) doctoral program are seeking to fill a tenure-track faculty position at the experienced assistant to full professor rank.

Desired research areas are challenges and resiliency in post high school young adult, adult, and elderly diverse populations. The successful candidate will have expertise in the application of developmental science to social policy and/or in policy analysis. He or she will have a program of funded research or a well-articulated newer research program with clear potential for continued funding.

The ADP faculty shares the view that the best applied research addresses basic developmental questions of individual differences and mechanisms of change at the same time as it addresses applied areas of prevention/intervention science and program development and evaluation. Grounded in a lifespan contextual developmental perspective the ADP program nurtures faculty development and student training in the systematic synthesis of research and applications to describe, explain, and promote optimal developmental outcomes for diverse populations and communities in two broad areas: (1) Families, Schools, and Society; and (2) Lifespan and Cultural Perspectives on Health and Well-being.

Our website is:

http://www.fordham.edu/academics/programs_at_fordham/_psychology_department/academic_programs/graduate/phd_in_applied_devel/

The Department of Psychology offers doctoral degrees in Applied Developmental Psychology (ADP), Clinical Psychology, and Psychometrics. The Department is located on both campuses of Fordham University, with the graduate programs located at our Rose Hill campus in the Bronx and undergraduate programs at both the Rose Hill and Lincoln Center (Manhattan) campuses. Responsibilities for the current position include teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels and mentoring students' masters' and doctoral level research. Fordham is an independent, Catholic University in the Jesuit tradition that welcomes applications from men and women of all backgrounds. Minorities are encouraged to apply. Fordham is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. Please send vita, evidence of teaching credentials, representative publications, and three letters of reference to Dr. Kathleen M. Schiaffino, Chair, Psychology Department, Fordham University, Bronx, NY 10458-5198 or schiaffino@fordham.edu.