

Assistant/Associate Professor in Early Childhood Education  
Illinois State University – Normal/Bloomington  
School of Teaching and Learning

Illinois State University, School of Teaching and Learning, is pleased to announce two nine-month, tenure-track positions in Early Childhood Education. The appointments will commence on August 16, 2019.

The School of Teaching and Learning is committed to increasing the diversity of the campus community. ISU recognizes that a diverse faculty, staff, and student body enriches the educational experiences of the entire campus and greater community. Candidates who have experience working with a diverse range of faculty, staff, and students, and who can contribute to the climate of inclusivity are especially welcomed to apply.

The ECE program is seeking faculty who have shown commitment to social justice, cultural diversity, and inclusion in professional, scholarly, and personal contexts. Commitment to such issues are integral to the responsibilities of these positions, which include: teaching undergraduate courses with the potential to teach graduate courses; producing high quality scholarship; and working in collaborative partnerships with public school professionals.

**Required Qualifications:**

- Terminal degree or ABD in a relevant field with a completion date prior to August 16, 2019
- Minimum of three years teaching experience in pre-K through 2nd grade
- Demonstrated potential for scholarly research in the field of early childhood
- Expertise in early mathematics, literacy, social studies, science, or assessment
- State law mandates demonstrable oral proficiency in the English language as a requirement for this position
- This position is Security Sensitive and employment is contingent upon passing a satisfactory criminal background investigation

**High Consideration for:**

- Background in ESL and/or Bilingual Education

**Salary:** Salary is competitive and will depend upon qualifications and experience.

**The School:**

The School of Teaching and Learning faculty is a vibrant group of diverse, high-quality scholars and educators who are committed to developing innovative pedagogies and shared leadership in education. The University has been developing teachers both within and outside the state of Illinois for over 150 years. University lab schools and local school partnerships offer opportunities for authentic and connected classroom experiences to enhance preparation of pre-service teachers. The faculty of the School of Teaching and Learning is committed to continuing its leadership at the state, national, and international levels. The School has 39 full-time tenure-track faculty in teacher education programs at the undergraduate, masters, and doctoral levels

who work collaboratively with colleagues in four other Colleges on campus, public schools, and communities.

The University Community:

Illinois State University is a doctoral-granting institution with an enrollment of approximately 20,150 students. Illinois State University is Illinois' first public university, founded in 1857 to educate the state's teachers. Illinois State works as a diverse community of scholars, educators, and staff to support our commitment to fostering a small-college atmosphere with large-university opportunities. We promote the highest academic standards in our teaching, scholarship, public service, and the connections we build among them. We devote all of our resources and energies to creating the most supportive and productive community possible to serve the citizens of Illinois and beyond. The University is located in Normal/Bloomington, a community of over 167,000, located within three hours of Chicago, St. Louis, and Indianapolis. For more information on the community, go to [www.visitbn.org](http://www.visitbn.org).

Application Process:

Initial review of applications will begin October 21, 2018, and continue until the position is filled. To assure full consideration, please complete an online faculty application along with a cover letter, a list of three references (specifically, names, addresses, telephone numbers, and email addresses), and a curriculum vitae to posting number 0711165 at [www.Jobs.IllinoisState.edu](http://www.Jobs.IllinoisState.edu) by October 21, 2018.

Please direct any questions regarding this position to:

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