

**Search Resumed:  
Assistant Professor of Nonprofit Management  
Department of Public Affairs  
University of Missouri – Kansas City**

The Henry W. Bloch School of Business and Public Administration at the University of Missouri-Kansas City (UMKC) invites applications and nominations for the position of Assistant Professor of Nonprofit Management in the Department of Public Affairs. The Department, which also is home to the Midwest Center for Nonprofit Leadership and the Cookingham Institute for Urban Affairs, offers an MPA accredited by the National Association of Schools of Public Affairs and Administration (NASPAA), participates in UMKC's interdisciplinary Ph.D. program, and is well known for its commitment to scholarship, teaching, and outreach in the field of nonprofit studies.

This position is for a tenure-track assistant professor whose teaching responsibilities will include a combination of courses in our Nonprofit Management emphasis area and one or more core courses in our MPA program (e.g., research and statistical methods, leadership for public service, financial accountability and policy analysis, program evaluation). The successful candidate will have an earned doctorate in public administration, management, sociology, political science, or a related field, with a focus on nonprofit management and leadership. An interest in the intersection between nonprofit organizations and either urban administration or health administration is desirable. We seek candidates who work well in a participative, collegial environment; who show promise for excellence in teaching and research; and who bring a demonstrated commitment to community engagement.

The Bloch School of Business and Public Administration is an excellent setting for an assistant professor to build a career, and offers important early support for the development of a strong record of research and scholarship. Partnerships, goodwill, and support for the Department's work and mission offer creative fieldwork and research opportunities. There also are excellent opportunities for innovative collaborations that span disciplinary boundaries with faculty from across the university, including those with our nationally-ranked Conservatory of Music and Dance and a full range of graduate professional schools (law, education, engineering, medicine, nursing, pharmacy, and dentistry). The teaching load for the first three academic years will be two courses per regular semester, and Bloch School support is available for summer research. Other campus and system research support competitions also provide research funds. This position also benefits from opportunities to be engaged in the research and programming of the department's Midwest Center for Nonprofit Leadership and the Cookingham Institute for Urban Affairs.

The Kansas City metro area is well known for its high quality of family life, a reasonable cost of living, strong community support, and excellent elementary and secondary school options. UMKC, which is located in the historic Country Club district of Kansas City, enrolls approximately 13,000 students. The Bloch School enrolls approximately 1,200 students, 45 full-time faculty, and excellent technology resources. The MPA program itself enrolls an average of 120 students (about fifty are enrolled in the nonprofit emphasis area). Bloch business and public administration programs are fully accredited by AACSB and NASPAA, respectively. More information about the Bloch School and department is available at <http://www.bloch.umkc.edu>.

An employment starting date of August 2009 is desired. To assure full consideration, applications should include a statement describing the candidate's ability to meet stated qualifications for the position, a curriculum vitae, and the names and contact information of at least three references. References will not be contacted without permission of the candidate. Additional information about this position may be requested from Dr. Nicholas Peroff, chair of the search committee, at 816-235-2341 or via e-mail at [peroffn@umkc.edu](mailto:peroffn@umkc.edu).

Applications and nominations for this position should be submitted either in hard copy or electronically (electronic copies are preferred) to:

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The review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. UMKC is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.