



The Gerontology Institute at Georgia State University invites applications for a **tenure-track assistant professor** position beginning August, 2012, pending budgetary approval. We seek

scholars with substantive research interest in psychology of aging and urban health. Specific area of expertise (clinical, community, social psychological) within psychology is open; preference will be given to candidates who complement our existing strengths in long term care/housing, families and caregiving, intergenerational relationships, or the diversity of the aging population and demonstrate a linkage to urban health concerns. This position is affiliated with the University's Partnership in Urban Health Research (<http://urbanhealth.gsu.edu>) whose mission is to understand how the urban environment affects the health and well-being of people in the metropolitan Atlanta area. A successful candidate must have a demonstrated research agenda that can lead to external funding.

Georgia State University is the Southeast's leading urban research institution. More than 250 degree programs within 62 areas of study are offered at the bachelor's, master's, specialist and doctoral levels. Over 30,000 students are enrolled at Georgia State from every Georgia County, every state in the nation and more than 145 countries. Georgia State students have been earning graduate and undergraduate certificates in Gerontology for over 35 years. Since 2004, the Institute has offered an M.A. in Gerontology preparing students for doctoral programs in aging studies or professional careers in the field of aging. Proximity to the state capital and numerous government and non-profit organizations serving old adults enables students and faculty to connect and collaborate on research and diverse internship opportunities. The Institute faculty includes core faculty with tenure lines in Gerontology and affiliate faculty representing numerous disciplines across the University.

Candidates should submit: 1) a letter of application; 2) a curriculum vitae; 3) evidence of an active research program; 4) evidence of teaching effectiveness; and 5) three letters of recommendation. A Ph.D. in gerontology, psychology, or related field is required at the time of appointment. Send materials to: Jaye L. Atkinson, Chair of Recruitment Committee, Gerontology Institute, Georgia State University, P.O. Box 3984, Atlanta, GA 30302-3984. www.gsu.edu/gerontology. Review of applications will begin December 1 and continue until the position is filled. Georgia State University, a unit of the University System of Georgia, is an Equal Opportunity Educational Institution and an EEO/AA employer. We enthusiastically encourage applications from minority candidates.