



Nurse Educator Rankin School of Nursing Probationary Appointment

Position Description

St. Francis Xavier University Rankin School of Nursing invites applications for a **Probationary Appointment as a Nurse Educator** to commence on August 1, 2024. After (3) years and upon positive annual evaluations, this probationary appointment will be considered for a continuing (or permanent) appointment. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

The successful candidate will have experience in planning, implementing, and evaluating theoretical learning experiences for nursing students. The responsibilities for these positions include planning and supervising learning experiences, grading assignments, and completing performance evaluations for nursing students in the clinical setting, Simulation Learning Centre, and Skills Laboratory. Experience with interactive teaching strategies at the undergraduate level is also required as well as the ability to work collaboratively with others. The candidate must have experience in Mental Health Nursing. The successful candidate will have a demonstrated commitment to professional nursing.

The successful candidate must be registered with the Nova Scotia College of Nurses (NSCN) Nova Scotia prior to commencement of the position, have a Master's Degree, and have at least five years full-time clinical teaching experience. Registered Nurses with a strong practice background, with a BScN degree, will be considered but will be required to complete a Master's Degree Program during the probationary period. We are seeking candidates with a strong background in Mental Health Nursing.

About the Rankin School of Nursing

The Rankin School of Nursing has a longstanding history of undergraduate teaching excellence and currently holds accreditation jointly through the Canadian Association Schools of Nursing (CASN) and the Nova Scotia College of Nursing (NSCN). Over 80 years of outstanding education in health care has allowed the Rankin School of Nursing to evolve into one of Canada's most respected nursing programs. Graduates are known around the world for their caring, competency, and commitment to the field. To learn more about the Rankin School of Nursing, St. Francis Xavier University, please visit our website at <http://www.stfx.ca/faculties/science/nursing/>.

Application Instructions

The review of applications will commence on April 8, 2024 and continues until the position is filled. To apply, please submit (a) letter of introduction outlining relevant clinical and teaching experience; (b) curriculum vitae; (c) a copy of their current registration; and (d) names and contact information of three referees including the most recent employer to under separate cover to the Director, School of Nursing. Please submit completed applications electronically to:

Dr. Joanne Whitty-Rogers
Director, Rankin School of Nursing
St. Francis Xavier University
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Email to amglenn@stfx.ca

St. Francis Xavier University is located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People.

Our institution is committed to upholding the values of equity, diversity, inclusion and accessibility. We encourage applications from members of groups that have been historically disadvantaged and marginalized, including Indigenous persons (especially Mi'kmaq), racialized persons (especially African Nova Scotians), persons with disabilities, those who identify as women and/or 2SLGBTQIA+ and any others who would contribute to the diversity of our community. Please note that all qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, applications from Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

We are also committed to the elimination of barriers to participation for persons with disabilities. Should you require an accommodation during the recruitment process, please contact People and Culture at hr@stfx.ca or 902-867-5038.

About St. Francis Xavier University

Established in 1853, St. Francis Xavier University (StFX) is consistently recognized as one of the best universities in Canada. StFX exceeds the needs of today's undergraduates through providing the very best academic experience -- outstanding teaching, exceptional hands-on research opportunities, and global exchanges -- all within Canada's most vibrant and inspiring residential campus. Here, the focus is on the academic and the personal development of every student, making community and social engagement a large part of the learning experience. Our students are academically strong and highly engaged in every aspect of life, determined to make a positive impact on the world.

To learn more about the Departments of Engineering & Physics, St Francis Xavier University, please visit our webpages available at [Engineering Department | St. Francis Xavier University \(stfx.ca\)](#) and [Physics Department | St. Francis Xavier University \(stfx.ca\)](#).

About Antigonish, Nova Scotia

The beautiful and historic town of Antigonish is located within the northeastern corner of Nova Scotia. Only a 15-minute drive from the ocean and a two-hour drive to major urban centres, Antigonish is a family-friendly community with a diverse and growing population and provides access to excellent education at all levels. The town is surrounded by rolling countryside and beautiful beaches and is a hotspot for outdoor recreation, sports and other active lifestyle activities. Antigonish supports a vibrant culture in the arts with music, performing arts, visual arts and crafts, and fabulous festivals happening throughout the year.

For more information visit www.townofantigonish.ca or www.visitantigonish.ca.