The Graduate College of Social Work (GCSW) at the University of Houston, a Carnegie Designated Tier One Research University, invites applications for a full-time tenure track assistant professor. At the GCSW, our vision is to achieve social, racial, economic, and political justice, local to global. We invite applicants whose research, scholarship, and teaching advance the social work profession and contribute to achieving this vision. We are particularly interested in applicants whose scholarship includes a focus on critical issues of race and racial justice. Appointments will begin September 1, 2021.

The University of Houston is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action institution. Minorities, women, veterans and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Additionally, the University prohibits discrimination in employment on the basis of sexual orientation, gender identity or gender expression.

QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. in Social Work or related field. An MSW is required. Applicants must show clear evidence of potential for impact in research, teaching, and community engagement. As stated above, applicants should demonstrate a commitment to the GCSW’s vision and identify how their research, teaching, and community engagement contributes to this vision. The GCSW has a strong commitment to diversity in all areas and strongly encourages candidates from underrepresented groups to apply.

ABOUT THE GCSW: The GCSW is the largest graduate social work program located in Houston, the fourth largest city in the United States. Houston is an international and multicultural city, and the University and College reflect this diversity. The University of Houston has been designated a Hispanic Serving Institution and is recognized as being one of the most racially and ethnically diverse research institutions in the nation. Our MSW program is ranked in the top 10% of all social work programs nationwide, and offers face-to-face, hybrid, and online curriculum options. Our PhD program focuses on developing scholars that contribute to evidence-based social work. Our MSW and PhD programs include a strong focus on and commitment to social justice and anti-racism. As a graduate-only College, the GCSW serves approximately 500 MSW and 30 PhD students.

The University of Houston is a member of the Texas Medical Center, which includes the MD Anderson Cancer Center, UT Medical School, Michael E. DeBakey Veteran’s Administration Medical Center, and Baylor College of Medicine. In addition, UH has recently begun training its inaugural class in the newly established UH College of Medicine. This environment is rich in potential for numerous collaborative opportunities. Our faculty are actively engaged in groundbreaking research and scholarship to address complex challenges facing society, reinforcing our long-standing commitment to social and racial justice. Over the last 5 years, the GCSW faculty has secured over $20 million in external grant funding. For more information please visit our web site at www.uh.edu/socialwork.

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. To apply, provide a letter of interest that addresses research and teaching interests, curriculum vita, and contact information for three references. Go to http://jobs.uh.edu to apply for posting number FAC001470. For more information, contact:

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