Associate Professor and Program Coordinator: Exercise Science

Kentucky Wesleyan College’s Kinesiology and Health Promotion program is seeking a visionary leader who is energetic, collegial, enjoys significant faculty/student interaction, and is committed to developing a highly interactive teaching/learning environment that engages students in scholarly work. The successful candidate will be expected to develop new programming that is consistent with the mission of the college and a human performance lab that will benefit students and the community. Expectations include working with the community to expand opportunities for student discipline-related fieldwork experiences. This is a nine month, tenure track position with the potential to rise to the position of Division Director for Social and Behavioral Sciences.

Responsibilities and Duties:

The Program Coordinator will be responsible for faculty recruitment, development, and performance management. He/she will provide curricular leadership and oversight for three academic majors: Exercise Science, Fitness and Sports Management, and PE P-12. Teaching assignments will include freshmen through senior level courses in the areas of exercise science, such as Exercise Science, Exercise Assessment and Prescription, Facilitating Behavior Change, Physical Activity Programming, Advanced Exercise Physiology, Nutrition for Health and Human Performance, and Health Topics. Additional academic responsibilities include serving as an academic advisor.

Minimum Qualifications Include:

- A Ph.D. in Exercise Science, Kinesiology or closely related health science
- Leadership skills that will allow the candidate to work with various constituencies to build the program
- Ability to foster creative methods of improving student outcomes
- Supervisory/teaching experience in higher education
- Professional certification (e.g., ACSM EP-C)
- A strong commitment to teaching, mentoring, and working with undergraduate students
- An active, independent research program that involves students
- Record of or potential to obtain external funding
- A desire to be of service to the college and to the external community
- Effective communication skills
- Ability to work collaboratively
To Apply:

Applicants should submit a letter of interest, a detailed vitae listing qualifications and experience, transcripts, and names and contact information of references to Dr. Linda Keller, Director of Human Resources (lkeller@kwc.edu). Application review will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. The college will not sponsor applicants for work visas. For information about Kentucky Wesleyan, please visit www.kwc.edu.

More information on Kentucky Wesleyan College and the Owensboro area may be found through the following links:

- http://www.kwc.edu
- http://www.owensboro.org
- http://www.owensboro.com