

### **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**

The Department of Sociology and Anthropology at Nipissing University invites applications for a **24-month Postdoctoral Research Fellow**.

The position is supported through research funding provided by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) and the Canada Research Chairs Program (CRC), and will primarily support Dr. David Zarifa's line of research in the areas of postsecondary access and school-work transitions in northern and rural communities.

The successful candidate will have substantive expertise in the areas of sociology of education, social inequality, migration, rural sociology, and methodological expertise and working familiarity with advanced quantitative research methods and statistics, and longitudinal data analysis. Experience working with large-scale survey data, complex survey designs, and administrative data sets in a Statistics Canada Research Data Centre are assets. The successful candidate will have extensive knowledge of STATA, SAS and/or R.

The applicant must possess a PhD (or ABD with a defense date set) in Sociology or Demography.

The position carries an annual stipend of \$52,900 (plus vacation pay). The successful candidate will also have opportunities to teach Sociology courses, subject to budgetary approval.

Review of applications will begin **June 25, 2018**, and will continue until the position is filled. Interested individuals should submit a cover letter outlining their research interests, a curriculum vitae, a sample publication, and provide the names of three references to:

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Thank you to all applicants for their interest in this position; however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. Nipissing University is committed to employment equity and strongly encourages applications, which may include self-identification in a cover letter, from Aboriginal persons, women, persons with disabilities and visible minorities.