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Department of Curriculum and Instruction
College of Education and Human Services
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Assistant Professor in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the area of Early Childhood Education/Preschool-Primary to begin August 16, 2008.

Responsibilities include undergraduate and graduate teaching in the area of early childhood education, research activities leading to publication, and service to the profession. Requirements: The rank of Assistant Professor requires the Ph.D. or Ed.D. with a specialty in early childhood education and an emphasis in preschool-primary development and pedagogy. Applicants who have completed all requirements except the dissertation will be considered. If official evidence of completion of all requirements for the doctorate is not received by August 15, 2008, the position offered will be a nine-month, term appointment with the rank of Instructor and at a lower salary than that of an assistant professor. Persons applying for this position must be able to demonstrate: A background in early childhood education at the preschool-primary level; a record of, or potential for, communicating with the profession through publications in refereed professional journals; a sound philosophy and understanding of early childhood education and pedagogy; oral proficiency in the English language as required by Illinois state law. Preference will be given to persons with prior teaching experience in an early childhood setting and/or college or university setting and to those who demonstrate participation in and contribution to professional societies at state and national levels. Screening of applications will begin November 27, 2007, and continue until the position is filled. Complete applications must include a letter of application, a curriculum vitae, official transcripts, and a minimum of three current letters of recommendation addressed to: Dr. Lynn C. Smith, Chair, Department of Curriculum and Instruction, Mail Code 4610, Southern Illinois University, 625 Wham Drive, Carbondale, IL 62901. SIUC is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer that strives to enhance its ability to develop a diverse faculty and staff and to increase its potential to serve a diverse student population. All applications are welcomed and encouraged and will receive consideration.