

FACULTY POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

University of Florida College of Health and Human Performance Department of Tourism, Recreation and Sport Management

Position: Assistant Professor in Sport Management (tenure accruing position). The University of Florida (UF) invites applications and nominations for a sport management faculty position at the assistant professor rank. As a member of the Association of American Universities and the flagship institution in Florida, UF (<http://www.ufl.edu>) is a Land-Grant and Sea-Grant institution, encompassing virtually all academic and professional disciplines, with an enrollment of more than 50,000 students. The academic environment is rich in research and professional opportunities in the sport industry. For instance, Florida is the home of recent NBA, NFL, NHL, MLB, and NCAA championship teams, Grapefruit League MLB spring training teams, PGA and LPGA headquarters, Daytona NASCAR Racetrack, Disney Wide World Sport Complex, and a variety of recreational sports.

Responsibilities:

- Initiate and maintain an active research agenda with a focused research line that results in continued scholarly achievement and external grant funding; professionally prepare and mentor Ph.D., Master's, and Undergraduate students majoring in sport management; supervise student field experiences and engage in professional service activities.
- Candidates must be able to teach two or more of the following graduate and undergraduate courses within the sport management curriculum: sport finance, sport economics, sport sociology, sport ethics, sport facility management, sport organizational behavior, sport marketing, and sport consumer behavior.
- With some mentorship, candidates are expected to direct Ph.D. dissertations and Master's theses.

Qualifications:

- Earned doctorate in sport management or related field of study; established or emerging scholar in sport management with an active research agenda; and committed to excellence in higher education teaching and service.

Salary:

- Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Effective Date of Employment:

- August 16, 2008. This is a 9-month appointment.

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Application Deadline:

- March 29, 2008.

Application Process:

- To be considered, applications must be submitted on-line at <https://jobs.ufl.edu> (reference # **0704919**) and must include a letter of application with a statement of career goals, research interests, and professional accomplishments; curriculum vitae; names, mailing addresses, e-mail addresses and telephone numbers of at least three references; and three relevant publications, submissions, or other evidence of scholarly writing. Inquiries and nominations about this position should be directed to the Chair of the Search Committee:

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