## Part-Time Position in Social Work

St. Thomas University invites applications for an instructor to teach the following course in Fredericton:

Semester 1: (September – December 2024)

## SCWK 4723A Child Welfare, WEDNESDAYS 5:30 PM – 8:30 PM

This course is designed to introduce students to the child welfare system in New Brunswick and Canada, and to examine the policies, procedures, and practices which have been developed to respond to the needs of children and adolescents. As such, another purpose of the course is to critique existing policies, procedures, and practices and to discuss ways in which the child welfare delivery system could be more responsive to the needs of children and their families. Alternative responses and innovative programmes will be examined, and students will be challenged to be creative in developing ideas which would lead to evolving the child welfare system in the direction of better meeting children's needs.

St. Thomas University is an undergraduate, liberal arts institution with a full-time enrolment of 1,600. Its students graduate with Bachelor of Arts, Applied Arts, Education, and Social Work degrees. The faculty members are distinguished teachers, researchers and scholars, and the university holds two Canada Research Chairs.

A PhD, or imminent completion is preferred; a Master's degree is required. Each applicant is to submit a curriculum vitae, along with pertinent documentation (ex. teaching portfolio etc.) and arrange to have three letters of reference sent directly to Dr. Marilyn Dupré, Director, School of Social Work, St. Thomas University, Fredericton, NB E3B 5G3. Electronic applications may be sent to <a href="mailto:mdupre@stu.ca">mdupre@stu.ca</a>.

Closing date: **June 17, 2024,** or when the positions are filled. Applicants are responsible for ensuring that their completed applications are received by this date.

- St. Thomas University encourages applications from all qualified candidates and is committed to the principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion, including employment equity for the following under-represented groups identified in the Canadian Employment Equity Act: women, Aboriginal persons, members of visible minority groups and persons with disabilities.
- St. Thomas University is situated on the traditional territory of the Wolastoqiyik, Wəlastəkewiyik / Maliseet whose ancestors along with the Mi'Kmaq / Mi'kmaw and Passamaquoddy / Peskotomuhkati Tribes / Nations signed Peace and Friendship Treaties with the British Crown in the 1700s.

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