4-Year PhD Fellowship Opportunity in Sociology at Utah State University

The USU Graduate Program in Sociology is seeking applicants for a four-year graduate fellowship award (the USU Presidential Doctoral Research Fellowship), to begin Fall semester, 2017. This is USU’s most prestigious graduate fellowship, allocated to departments on a competitive basis by the Office of Research and Graduate Studies. The recipient will receive four full years of fellowship funding (at $20,000/year), along with a full waiver of tuition expenses.

The USU Sociology program offers PhD-level specializations in Environment & Community, Demography, and Social Inequality. Located in the beautiful Cache Valley in northern Utah, USU is a perfect base from which to conduct research (and recreate!) in the diverse mountain and desert regions of the Intermountain West. We offer both MS and PhD degrees in Sociology, and provide strong training in social theory and research methods together with coursework and research opportunities exploring a wide range of issues. A number of our faculty members are engaged in research ventures involving colleagues across the USU campus, as well as other US and international collaborators. Many students also engage in interdisciplinary training through coursework available across the USU campus.

Sociology faculty members include:

**LEON ANDERSON** (PhD Texas). Professor. Social Inequality, Qualitative Methods, Homelessness, Crime and Deviance

**E. HELEN BERRY** (PhD Ohio State). Professor. Demography, Population & Environment, Rural and Urban Sociology

**GABRIELE CICIURKAITE** (PhD University of Kentucky). Assistant Professor. Medical Sociology, Research Methods, Aging and the Life Course, Mental Health

**STEVE DANIELS** (PhD Duke). Professor. Rural and Natural Resource Community Development, Collaborative Learning and Conflict Mediation, Natural Resource Policy

**COURTNEY FLINT** (PhD Penn State). Associate Professor. Natural Resources, Community and Rural Sociology; Interdisciplinary, Mixed-Methods Research
H. REED GEERTSEN (PhD University of Utah). Professor. Sociological Theory, Medical Sociology, Health Promotion

JENNIFER GIVENS (PhD University of Utah). Assistant Professor. Environmental Sociology, Global and Comparative Sociology, Political Economy

CHRISTY GLASS (PhD Yale). Professor. Work and Inequality, Organizations, Gender, Race/Ethnicity

ERIN HOFMANN (PhD University of Texas). Assistant Professor. Demography, Migration, Gender, Labor Markets

RICHARD KRANNICH (PhD Penn State). Professor. Environmental and Natural Resource Sociology, Community and Rural Sociology, Survey Research Methods

JASON LEIKER (PhD Southern Illinois) Lecturer. Criminology, Deviance

SO JUNG LIM (PhD University of Wisconsin-Madison). Assistant Professor. Social Inequality, Work, Family, Demography

PEGGY PETRZELKA (PhD Iowa State). Professor. Environmental and Natural Resource Sociology, Community, Rural Sociology, Qualitative Methods

ERIC REITHER (PhD Wisconsin). Professor & Director, Population Research Laboratory. Demography, Health, Obesity, Mortality

STEPHEN VAN GEEM (PhD University of South Florida). Lecturer. Mental Health, Criminology.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION IS FEBRUARY 1, 2017, BUT EARLIER APPLICATIONS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED! For more information or to request application materials, check out our website (http://sociology.usu.edu) or contact:

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