

ANNOUNCEMENT

Tenure-Track Clinical Teaching Position: Seton Hall Law School

Seton Hall University School of Law invites applications for a tenure-track position in Seton Hall's Center for Social Justice beginning on July 1, 2009. Responsibilities are to supervise eight students in the fall and in the spring semesters on case work and to teach (or co-teach) a weekly two-hour seminar for those students addressing practical and substantive issues that arise in the clinic's client representation. There may be an opportunity to teach non-clinical courses.

Seton Hall's Center for Social Justice is home to two broad Projects (one focused on international human rights/rule of law and the other on urban revitalization) as well as a number of freestanding clinics and a pro bono program. The International Human Rights/Rule of Law Project consists of an Immigration & Human Rights Clinic, an Immigrant Workers' Rights Clinic, a Civil Litigation Clinic with an emphasis on challenges to Guantanamo, and other war on terror practices, and a nonclinical human rights project led by a Practitioner-in-Residence. The Urban Revitalization Project encompasses two Civil Litigation Clinics (one focused on access to education and civil rights and the other focused on predatory lending and fair housing), as well as a nonclinical project staffed by a Practitioner-in-Residence. The free-standing clinics include: impact litigation clinic; family law clinic; and juvenile justice clinic. We are particularly interested in hiring someone to start a transactional or community development clinic but are also happy to consider candidates who would like to propose establishing a different clinic that falls within one of the two broad Project areas.

The position is tenure-track and carries with it the full according benefits and responsibilities of that status. Salary, benefits, and stipends for scholarship are quite generous, in keeping with the New York City-area market (and a recent concerted effort to hire and retain talented clinical and non-clinical faculty). Clinical professors are expected to produce scholarship of the same quality as that of all other faculty, but are permitted a longer time to produce the same quantity of work.

Candidates should have an excellent academic record, a commitment to social justice and/or community work, a dedication to teaching students, and scholarly achievement. Experience representing indigent clients or prior teaching in a clinical setting is preferred but not required.

To apply, please send a resume and cover letter to Prof. Timothy Glynn, Chair, Faculty Appointments Committee, Seton Hall Law School, One Newark Center, Newark, NJ 07102. We are beginning the interviewing process shortly, so if you are interested, please apply (at least with a resume, and a note that a cover letter will follow) as soon as possible. Preliminary inquiries can be directed to Prof. Lori Nessel, Director of the Center for Social Justice, at (973) 642-8708 or nessello@shu.edu.

Seton Hall's Law School is located at the heart of downtown Newark's flourishing renaissance, one block from Newark Penn Station (with trains and subway service to many parts of New Jersey and to New York City) and one block from the New Jersey Performing Arts Center, and within walking distance of the state and federal courthouses, museums, restaurants, minor league baseball, and the Prudential Center, the sports complex that is the home of the New Jersey Devils, the Seton Hall Pirates basketball team, and many concerts. Manhattan is a 23-minute train ride away.

For more information, see <http://law.shu.edu/> (Seton Hall Law School) or <http://law.shu.edu/cs/index.html> (Center for Social Justice).

Seton Hall Law School is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer.