# Southern Nazarene University

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### **Nursing Faculty Position**

**REPORTS TO** 

Chair, Nursing Department

DEPARTMENT

School of Nursing

**EFFECTIVE DATE:** 

January 2021 or as negotiated

JOB SUMMARY

The School of Nursing is seeking a nurse educator with a strong commitment to teaching excellence, scholarship, innovation, and program development. The individual must be able to work collaboratively with a dynamic team as well as work independently when necessary. The new faculty member will serve as a member of the School of Nursing with responsibility for teaching within the traditional program with some potential assignments for further program development. Additional duties include to advising traditional undergraduate students. Other duties that support the achievement of program outcomes and that are consistent with the educator's talents and experience may be made to support the department. Specialty areas of particular interest include: Medical-surgical Nursing, Maternal/Infant & Child, and Psychiatric & Psychosocial Nursing.

### RESPONSIBILITIES

### **Required Qualifications:**

- Southern Nazarene University is an expression of the Church of the Nazarene.
   According to SNU policy, all faculty and staff must possess a strong personal Christian commitment and be committed to the SNU mission to make Christlike disciples through higher education in a Christ centered community.
- An understanding of the importance for diversity, inclusion and equity
- MSN required.
- Two years or more of clinical experience.
- Previous teaching experience preferred.
- Capacity for learning required software for advising, student learning management systems, and testing.
- Commitment to high-quality instruction in a student-centered environment with interest in active and collaborative learning as well as instructional use of technology.
- Experience in creating courses and evaluating outcomes.



### **Preferred Qualifications:**

- Terminal Degree preferred.
- Experience with curriculum design, program implementation, and educational best practices.
- Clinical specialty in areas of department need.

### RANK AND SALARY

Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

### **BENEFITS**

Generous benefit structure including family health insurance plan (shared cost), long term disability, dental insurance, group life insurance, retirement matching, tuition remission, vacation, sick leave, personal days, and holidays.

### APPLICATION PROCESS

Candidates applying for this position should submit through the online application:

- A letter of application
- Curriculum Vitae
- Two-page statement highlighting the candidate's perspective and understanding with regard to the integration of Christian faith and learning.
- Three letters of reference
- Academic Transcripts
- Copies of official academic transcripts to:

School of Nursing

Attention: Susan J. Barnes, Chair Southern Nazarene University 6729 NW 39<sup>th</sup> Expressway Bethany, OK 73008

These official transcripts will be copied for the Oklahoma Board of Nursing And sent to the University Provost.

Office of the Provost

Attention: Timothy Eades, Provost Southern Nazarene University 6729 NW 39<sup>th</sup> Expressway Bethany, OK 73008



### **BENEFITS**

Generous benefit structure including family health insurance plan (shared cost), long term disability, dental insurance, group life insurance, retirement and employer match, tuition remission, vacation, sick leave, personal days, and holidays.

Updated: August 17, 2020

## SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY DIVERSITY STATEMENT

Southern Nazarene University values each person created in the image of God, therefore, we also desire to be a community that reflects representation of diversity. We care about inclusion and equity through the refining of our character, the way we create culture and the way we serve Christ. Our University values reconciliation through God's love.

## SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY NON-DISCRIMINATION/EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY STATEMENT

Non-Discrimination/Equal Employment Opportunity Statement: Southern Nazarene University policy prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, sex, age, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, marital status, disability, genetic information, veterans status or any other legally protected class in the recruitment and admission of students, in all personnel actions or decisions including, but not necessarily limited to, recruitment, hiring, training, upgrading, promotion, demotion, termination and salary, and in the operation of all university programs, activities, and services. Any concerns regarding discrimination on the basis of categories listed above should be addressed to the appropriate person:

### Students contact:

Dean of Students
Southern Nazarene University
Office of Student Life
6612 NW 42nd St.
Webster Commons, Lower Level Suite 110A
Bethany, OK 73008
405-491-6336/ Email: kbradley@snu.edu

### **Employees contact:**

Director of Human Resources (or immediate supervisor) Southern Nazarene University 6729 NW Expressway Bresee Hall, Room 306 Bethany, OK 73008

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405-491-6333/ Email: gcollier@snu.edu

### **Chief Diversity Officer**

Vice-President for Intercultural Learning and Engagement Southern Nazarene University 6729 NW 39th Expressway Bresee Suite 200 Bethany, OK 73008

405-491-6600/ Email: <a href="mailto:lcrouso@mail.snu.edu">lcrouso@mail.snu.edu</a>

Anyone with questions or concerns regarding sex discrimination or the university's compliance with Title IX can contact the university's Title IX Coordinator:

#### **Executive Vice President**

Southern Nazarene University 6729 NW Expressway Bresee Suite 202 Bethany, OK 73008

405-491-6306/ Email: mredwine@snu.edu

#### TITLE IX DISCLOSURE

Regardless of other language in this policy notwithstanding, Sexual Harassment (including Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking), as defined in the Sexual Harassment Policy, will be governed exclusively by the Sexual Harassment Policy and processes provided in it. All other forms of sex-based discrimination are governed by this policy, including sex-based Harassment, as defined in this policy, that does not rise to the level of Sexual Harassment as defined in the Sexual Harassment Policy.

Conduct that is initially raised through a formal complaint under the Sexual Harassment Policy may also be addressed under this policy, in the institution's discretion, when: (i) the conduct, or some part of it, may amount to a violation of this policy regardless of whether it meets the definition of Sexual Harassment under the Sexual Harassment Policy; (ii) the formal complaint, or some part of it, has been dismissed under the Sexual Harassment Policy; or (iii) a final determination of a formal complaint has been made under the Sexual Harassment Policy and separate or additional action may be necessary to enforce this policy.

Discrimination is material, adverse treatment of an individual based on a protected category. Harassment consists of unwelcome conduct on the basis of a Protected Category that explicitly or implicitly affects an individual's employment, unreasonably interferes with an individual's work performance, or creates an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment.

A person's subjective belief that behavior is intimidating, hostile, or offensive does not make that behavior harassment. The behavior must create a hostile environment from both a subjective and objective perspective and must be so severe, persistent, or pervasive that it unreasonably interferes with, limits, or deprives a member of the community of the ability to participate in or to receive benefits, services, or opportunities from the university's education or employment programs and/or activities. In determining whether a hostile environment exists, the university examines the context, nature, scope, frequency, duration, and location of incidents, as well as the relationships of the persons involved.

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Non-sex-based VAWA crimes.

Note that, when addressing domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking that are not sex-based (i.e., that are not covered by the university's revised Sexual Harassment policy), the university will need to provide VAWA protections to the parties. Those are outlined on the slides below.

Under Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Southern Nazarene University prohibits all unlawful discrimination on the basis of sex or gender in its educational programs and activities, except where the University has been granted exemptions from certain Title IX regulations on religious grounds, including the specific religious tenet of the University.

No individual will be subject to any form of retaliation, discipline, or other adverse action for reporting conduct in violation of the university's nondiscrimination/Equal Employment Opportunity Statement, assisting/cooperating in making a complaint, or assisting with the investigation of a complaint. Any individual who believes they have experienced or witnessed retaliation should immediately notify the appropriate member(s) of the administration as identified above. Those found to be engaging in any type of discrimination in violation of law or university policy will be subject to disciplinary action, up to an including dismissal or termination of employment.

\*Christian faith and employment at Southern Nazarene University: Southern Nazarene University is an expression of the Church of the Nazarene. It reserves the right to prefer employees on the basis of religion (Title VII, Section 702-703, U.S. Civil Rights Act of 1964).