

**Position:** Assistant Professor of Criminal Justice (Tenure Track)

**Department:** Sociology and Criminal Justice

**Reports to:** Department Chair, Sociology and Criminal Justice

**Anticipated Start Date:** Fall 2018

**Job Summary:** Candidates should have the ability and willingness to teach a broad array of courses within the fields of sociology and criminal justice, including the following: drugs and crime; and, violence, juvenile justice, and comparative criminal justice. The normal teaching load per academic year is four courses in each Fall and Spring semester. This appointment also includes research, student advisement, College service, and professional development.

The College's Sociology and Criminal Justice department includes majors and minors in Sociology and Criminal Justice, as well as a concentration in Social Work. In addition, each semester the department hosts a range of events and lectures on various topics focusing on current criminal justice issues as well as social justice concerns. The department also houses two active institutes that foster inter-disciplinary research and community events/lectures about contemporary social problems: the Institute for Peace and Justice, and the Center for Crime and Popular Culture. Learn more about our department here:

<http://www.sfc.edu/page.cfm?p=494>.

**Qualifications:**

- An earned Doctorate from an accredited institution in an appropriate academic discipline at the time of application is required;
- Commitment to both teaching and scholarship is essential;
- Candidates invited to interview will be asked to provide three letters of reference;
- Preference will be given to candidates who have experience teaching and have an active research agenda focusing on a range of areas within the field of criminal justice, including, but not limited to, research methods, mass incarceration and re-entry, criminology, and victimology.

**Please note that while we are commencing with recruitment efforts for this position, it is understood that hiring will be contingent on funding and enrollment.**

About St. Francis College:

For over 150 years, the mission of St. Francis has been to provide an affordable, quality education to working class people who otherwise may not be able to attend college. St. Francis College is a private, independent, co-educational urban college whose Franciscan and Catholic traditions underpin its commitment to academic excellence, spiritual and moral values, physical fitness, social responsibility and life-long learning. We educate the whole person for a full, relational life, developing the students' talents and abilities for meaningful, fulfilling careers, as well as for collaborative, service-oriented leadership.

The College strives to offer ample opportunities for students to immerse themselves in the intellectual, cultural and professional opportunities afforded by New York City and to serve the needs of the local community in which they live and study. Our location in Brooklyn Heights provides a confluence of cultures and religious beliefs, mirroring our commitment to maintain and celebrate our diverse student body.

St. Francis College is an Affirmative Action, Equal Opportunity employer and we are strongly committed to increasing the diversity of our faculty, students, and the curriculum. Qualified candidates of diverse ethnic and racial backgrounds are encouraged to apply.

Interested applicants can apply by clicking [here](#).