



### Tenure-Track Faculty Position in Library and Information Science, Rank Open

THE DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE in the School of Communication and Information at Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, welcomes applications for an Assistant, Associate or Full Professor to join our faculty.

We seek faculty candidates interested in teaching in our undergraduate, masters and PhD programs, from across a broad range of research interests related to understanding the evolving connections among people, information and technology. Areas of particular interest to the department include (but are not limited to):

- Human information behavior;
- Information retrieval, language and communication;
- Information organizations, including, but not limited to libraries, museums and archives;
- Learning, youth, information and technology;
- Social, health, science and community informatics.

Rutgers University's School of Communication and Information seeks to understand communication, information, and media processes, organizations, and technologies as they affect individuals, societies, and the relationships among them. We are committed to four problem-based research foci: health and wellness; global media and democracy; organizations, policy, and leadership; and social media interaction & collaboration. Located close to the world's largest media and information centers and within a highly interactive research university, we embrace Rutgers' goals of promoting diversity throughout our communities and programs and value a climate of cross-department collaboration and interdisciplinary commitment. For more about the Department of Library and Information Science and the Rutgers-School of Communication and Information, including school-wide research interests and active faculty searches in the school's Communication and Journalism and Media Studies departments, see: <http://comminfo.rutgers.edu>.

**Qualifications:** All candidates should have completed a Ph.D. in a relevant field no later than May 2015. The ideal applicant's program of research should complement the research foci of current faculty. Applicants should have a demonstrated record or strong likelihood of top-tier peer-reviewed publication as well as evidence of effective teaching. Senior level applicants should provide evidence of integrative leadership in research, instruction, and external funding. Letter of application should address these points, and clearly articulate the candidate's fit to specific departmental and school-wide research interests. Responsibilities of the successful applicant(s) include undergraduate and graduate teaching assignments, an active program of research in the candidate's area of scholarly expertise, and service contributions to the advancement of the academic profession, to the effective operation of the university, and to society at large in accordance with university policy expectations for tenure-track appointments.

**Submissions:** Review of applications will begin on November 14, 2014. Applications must be received no later than December 1, 2014. Include letter of application, CV, up to three representative publications, and names and contact information of three references (no letters at this time please). Submit to: <http://comminfo.rutgers.edu/lis-search/faculty>.

For queries regarding the position, please contact Ross Todd, Chair, LIS Department, [rtodd@rutgers.edu](mailto:rtodd@rutgers.edu)

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