

**From:** (George Kraemer)  
**Subject:** JOB: Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies

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Purchase College, State University of New York, invites applications for a tenure-track position in Environmental Studies at the Assistant Professor level, beginning September 1, 2017. We seek a broadly trained environmental scientist committed to field-based instruction and individualized student mentorship. While the research specialization is flexible, it should complement those of the current faculty. The most attractive research fields include geology, conservation biology, and wildlife ecology. With an emphasis on community engagement and environmental sustainability, the College prioritizes hiring scholars who conceptualize the application of their research within environmental justice and socially conscious contexts.

Excellence in teaching will be expected. Instructional responsibilities include five courses per year, plus supervision of senior projects. The senior project is a college-wide requirement and signature feature of the college's curriculum. The selected candidate will develop a diverse suite of courses serving Environmental Studies majors as well as the general student body including introductory and advanced courses in his/her area of specialization.

The Environmental Studies Board of Study is an engaged academic partner with and resource for communities, non-profits, and agencies addressing environmental issues along Long Island Sound, the Lower Hudson River, and New York City's historic Croton Watershed. Opportunities abound for the successful candidate to capitalize on this existing network of local study sites to develop a robust, dynamic, and student-focused research program. Purchase College is primarily an undergraduate institution located 25 miles north of New York City. The college's president demonstrated a dedication to environmental issues and sustainability by joining 151 other U.S. colleges as an original signatory of the American College and University Presidents Climate Commitment.

**QUALIFICATIONS.**

Candidates must have a PhD by Sept. 1, 2017. Strong teaching experience is preferred. To apply for this position, visit the Purchase College Job Vacancy website at [https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A\\_\\_jobs.purchase.edu&d=CwIF-g&c=-Ngd-ta5yRYsqeUsEDgxcqsYY1Xs5ogLxWPA\\_2Wlc4&r=e2OJ1azRFn8ihJzb2HxZT0AqoiqLvxfeeTyN59ZLoI&m=-29MCwC7KFB9V9taQDwif2YPGXuvueu7i9cq7xkVvc&s=-IZ557vr8rAM8p8moHN0SJJ2eayicCYzvpOeAZflaWRI&e=](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__jobs.purchase.edu&d=CwIF-g&c=-Ngd-ta5yRYsqeUsEDgxcqsYY1Xs5ogLxWPA_2Wlc4&r=e2OJ1azRFn8ihJzb2HxZT0AqoiqLvxfeeTyN59ZLoI&m=-29MCwC7KFB9V9taQDwif2YPGXuvueu7i9cq7xkVvc&s=-IZ557vr8rAM8p8moHN0SJJ2eayicCYzvpOeAZflaWRI&e=) and complete an on-line application. You must attach the following documents: (1) A cover letter describing research and teaching interests; (2) a CV; (3) evidence of teaching ability; (4) sample syllabi; and (5) three letters of recommendation.

**DEADLINE:** January 22, 2017