

Assistant Professor, Limited Term Appointment (LTA), Primary/Junior/Intermediate Mathematics Education

## **About Brock**

The Brock University experience is second to none in Canada. Located in the Niagara and Hamilton regions, Brock offers all the benefits of a young and modern university in a safe, community-minded city, with beautiful natural surroundings. With over 18,000 students and more than 100 undergraduate and graduate programs in seven diverse Faculties, Brock excels at providing exceptional experiential learning opportunities and highly rated student and campus life experiences.

## Our Geography

Brock University's Teacher Education Program is located on two campuses. The main campus is situated atop the Niagara Escarpment, within a UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve, overlooking the city of St. Catharines, in the heart of Niagara wine country. Brock University's second campus is in the City of Hamilton (moving to Burlington in 2023) with ready access to the surrounding city and the QEW.

Brock University's main campus is situated on land which is the traditional territory of the Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabe peoples, many of whom continue to live in work here today. This territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties and is within the land protected by the Dish with One Spoon Wampum Agreement. The Niagara Region is dotted with landmarks that recognize Canada's history and features breathtaking natural beauty and world-famous attractions. St. Catharines is home to vibrant arts and entertainment venues, and is a short drive from Toronto, Niagara Falls, and Buffalo, New York. With one of the warmest climates in Canada, the region offers clean and safe communities, and is an exceptional location to call home.

#### **About the Position**

The Faculty of Education invites applications for a Limited Term Appointment in the Department of Educational Studies in Mathematics Education at the rank of Assistant Professor. The **one (1) year** appointment, subject to budgetary approval, will commence **January 1, 2023**.

#### Qualifications

The preferred candidate will possess:

- an earned doctorate in education (ABD candidates will be considered) or equivalent expertise;
- an excellent command of English;
- current knowledge of elementary mathematics education;
- an understanding of or experience with teacher education, preferably in Ontario;
- an established or emerging potential to develop and maintain a research agenda in mathematics education or teacher education;
- elementary school teaching, research, or other relevant professional experience;
- a valid driver's license and/or means to travel to off-campus locations for instructional purposes;
  and
- a satisfactory police record check.



## Desirable qualifications

- experience teaching mathematics education (blended and face to face) courses at the university level:
- experience facilitating the professional learning of prospective or practicing PK-12 teachers in mathematics;
- active participation in professional organizations in mathematics education;
- ability to collaborate with other instructors and researchers;
- experience with the use of digital technologies in mathematics education.

The successful candidate will be expected to teach mathematics methods courses in both the Primary/Junior and Junior/Intermediate teacher education programs. The successful candidate may assume leadership of the Primary/Junior mathematics program and may supervise practice teaching. There may also be opportunities to teach at the graduate level.

The successful candidate will also demonstrate a commitment to decolonization, reconciliation, anti-racism, and social and ecological justice issues (e.g., anti-homophobia and transphobia, ableism, poverty, sustainability, etc.) within mathematics education and teacher education contexts.

# To Apply

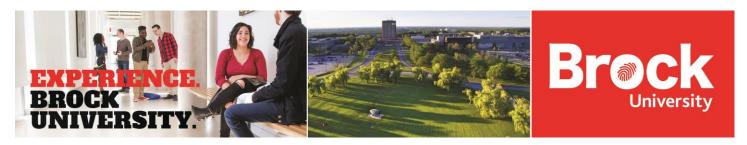
Electronic applications should include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, evidence of successful teaching experience, evidence of research experience in math education, and the names, addresses and phone/e-mail of three referees. All applicants will receive confirmation of receipt of their complete application by email. Only short-listed applicants shall be contacted for an interview. Interested applicants should send the required documentation to:

Chair of the Search Committee Faculty of Education Brock University 1812 Sir Isaac Brock Way St. Catharines, ON L2S 3A1 Email: esearch@brocku.ca

Deadline for applications is September 26th at 12:01am. Review of applications will begin on September 27th and will continue until the position is filled. Applications must be submitted in electronic format (a single PDF document is preferred) via the online application system. (Note: file maximum of 5MB per upload. Supplemental application information beyond the 5MB limit can be sent to <a href="maximum">sspiece@brocku.ca</a>).

Inquiries should be directed to Ms. Sharon Spiece, Executive Assistant to the Dean of Education, <a href="mailto:sspiece@brocku.ca">sspiece@brocku.ca</a>.

Applications should be submitted electronically through the Brock Careers website at the following link: <a href="https://brocku.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/brocku\_careers/details/Assistant-Professor--Limited-Term-Appointment--LTA---Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Mathematics-Education\_JR-1013551-1">https://brocku.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/brocku\_careers/details/Assistant-Professor--Limited-Term-Appointment--LTA---Primary-Junior-Intermediate-Mathematics-Education\_JR-1013551-1</a>



### **Our Commitment**

Brock University is actively committed to diversity and the principles of employment equity and invites applications from all qualified candidates. Women, Aboriginal peoples, members of visible minorities, people with disabilities and lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer (LGBTQ) persons are encouraged to apply and to voluntarily self-identify as a member of a designated group as part of their application. LGBTQ is an umbrella category and shall be read to include two-spirited people. Candidates who wish to be considered as a member of one or more designated groups can fill out the Self-Identification questions included in the questionnaire at the time of application.

Brock University recently paused its COVID-19 vaccination and mask requirement although this decision is subject to change on short notice should the public health situation require it. If the University once again requires all employees working on campus and/or in-person with other employees, students, or members of the public to provide proof that they are fully vaccinated against COVID-19, you will be required to submit proof of vaccination. Those who meet specific and limited medical or human rights accommodation criteria may be required to participate in rapid antigen testing and enhanced screening protocols.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.

We will accommodate the needs of the applicants and the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act (AODA) throughout all stages of the selection process, as outlined in the Employment Accommodation Policy <a href="https://brocku.ca/policies/wp-content/uploads/sites/94/Employment-Accommodation-Policy.pdf">https://brocku.ca/policies/wp-content/uploads/sites/94/Employment-Accommodation-Policy.pdf</a>. Please advise: <a href="mailto:talent@brocku.ca">talent@brocku.ca</a> to ensure your accessibility needs are accommodated through this process. Information received relating to accommodation measures will be addressed confidentially.

We appreciate all applications received; however, only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. At this time, initial interviews will be conducted virtually.

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