

**University of Alabama at Birmingham**  
Assistant/Associate Faculty Position in School Counseling

The Department of Human Studies and the Counseling Program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham invites applications for a full-time, tenure track, core faculty position to begin August 2020. Salary and terms of appointment are commensurate with prior experience. Position includes a 9-month salary and benefits package.

**Position Description**

The successful candidate will be responsible for teaching in both core area and school counseling courses, engaging in research and scholarship, advising graduate students, clinical supervision in the UAB Community Counseling Clinic, participation in Chi Sigma Iota activities, and university, local, regional, or national service.

**Basic Qualifications**

- Earned doctorate from a CACREP accredited counseling program (ABD candidates will be considered, but must fulfill all degree requirements by August of 2020).
- Minimum of 5 years' experience as a certified school counselor
- Teaching and supervision experience in school counseling
- Professional memberships in school counseling and other professional organizations
- Demonstrated track record of scholarly research (or the significant potential to establish such a record) commensurate with a research intensive university.

Preference will be given to candidates who demonstrate evidence of professionalism, collegiality, and team orientation.

**How to Apply**

UAB is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer committed to fostering a diverse equitable and family-friendly environment in which all faculty and staff can excel and achieve work/life balance irrespective of ethnicity, gender, faith, gender identity and expression as well as sexual orientation. UAB also encourages applications from individuals with disabilities and veterans.

Applicants must submit the following materials through the online application portal

- (1) Letter of interest addressing:
  - a. the position qualifications and responsibilities
  - b. clinical experience
  - c. statements of teaching and supervision
  - d. description of research accomplishments and future plans
- (2) Curriculum vitae
- (3) Statement of teaching philosophy
- (4) Official transcripts for all college work
- (5) Contact inform for three professional references

Applications should be submitted by November 15, 2019. Review of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. A pre-employment background investigation is performed on candidates selected for employment.

Questions and nominations should be directed to Dr. Sean Hall at sbhall@uab.edu

**UAB School of Education**

The UAB School of Education is working every day to transform lives and to optimize human potential. We are known for our cutting-edge programs that prepare professionals to serve in a diverse world. Our outstanding faculty are not only leaders in their fields, but also excellent mentors and educators who inspire others to grow and learn. We make a difference in the lives of our students and in the communities they serve.

### **Institutional Context**

The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) is a comprehensive urban university with a nationally recognized academic health center. UAB is the only public, four-year degree-granting university in the state's largest metropolitan area. UAB is the largest research institution in the state of Alabama and the University is the largest employer in the state. UAB attracts the best and brightest students from Alabama, the nation, and more than 100 countries around the world. In 2018, the University had its ninth year of overall record enrollment, with over 22,000 undergraduate, graduate, pre-professional, and post-doctoral students. Nearly 70 percent of the student body attends the University full-time, and more than 73 percent of freshmen live on campus. UAB is among 51 public and private universities classified by the Carnegie Foundation for both "very high research activity" and "community engagement." UAB receives more than \$400 million annually in research grants and contracts and ranks 10th among all public universities in funding from the National Institutes of Health. UAB is ranked as the top young university in the United States and 10th worldwide in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings, 2018 Young University Rankings.

### **Location**

The City of Birmingham, Alabama, is the largest city in the state with a population currently estimated at 242,820, and a metro population of 1,079,089. Nestled at the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains at the cross-section of two major railroads, the city was once the primary industrial center of the southern United States. Today, Birmingham has transformed itself into a medical research, banking and service-based economy, making it one of the nation's most livable cities with a vibrant downtown, a burgeoning loft community, a world-class culinary scene and more green space per capita than any other city in the nation.