Virginia Theological Seminary
Faculty Position in Church History

Virginia Theological Seminary invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track faculty position in Church History to begin August 2008 or as soon as possible thereafter.

An Episcopal Seminary, VTS is committed to preparing men and women as servants of Jesus Christ to equip the people of God for their vocation and ministry in the world. A community life centered in prayer, worship, and study is central to the formation of leaders for the ministries of preaching, teaching, pastoral care, reconciliation and social justice. VTS is committed to racial and ethnic diversity at every level of its life and mission.

The faculty member will share responsibility for teaching a basic survey course in Church History with the other VTS faculty member in church history. She or he will also offer elective courses in the M.Div. and MTS programs and teach in the other seminary degree and non-degree programs. Priority will be given to candidates with concentration in the Anglican tradition and strength in one or more of the following: Reformation or Early Modern Europe, Patristics, and Global Christianity.

Women, couples, and persons from underrepresented ethnic and racial minorities are encouraged to apply. Salary and academic rank will depend on experience and qualifications. Candidates for the position should have earned a Ph.D. degree prior to August 2008.

The person or persons selected will be expected to contribute to the field of church history and to the broader life of the church through research and writing. All faculty members participate fully in the worship life of the Seminary, work with advising groups, and share in the work of faculty committees. The person or persons selected will also be expected to live in faculty housing on campus.

Please send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and the names, addresses, and phone numbers of three references. Priority will be given to applications received by March 7. Submission electronically is encouraged.

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