The Department of Indigenous Studies at the University of Saskatchewan is actively seeking an Indigenous scholar for a tenure-track faculty appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor. Applicants will have a PhD in Indigenous Studies, or relevant discipline, and have demonstrated excellence in research, teaching, publication, and Indigenous community engagement.

We are seeking a scholar whose research focus falls under justice (social, human, environmental), or Métis studies. Priority will be given to candidates who work with Indigenous knowledge, and engage in innovative learning, teaching, research, and creative practices. The successful candidate will be expected to teach in the core curriculum at the undergraduate and graduate levels, supervise graduate students, mentor students, liaise with Indigenous communities and organizations, actively participate in program development and administration, contribute to the ongoing development of curriculum, and maintain an active research program. Self-identifying Indigenous candidates are expected to share their Indigenous heritage and community connections.

Indigenous Studies is an interdisciplinary academic department that offers BA, BA Honours, MA, and PhD programs. We are situated in the College of Arts and Science and currently have ten full-time faculty members, including two research chairs, with additional associate and adjunct members from other departments and institutions. Indigenous Studies is dedicated to the development of applied and theoretical investigations of Indigenous concerns and strategic community-based research. It is also dedicated to servicing the Indigenous Studies content needs of other academic programs in the university on and off-campus. We are currently undergoing a curriculum renewal process, which includes new course development and course revisions, to meet our renewed values, vision and mission. For more information on the Department, see artsandscience.usask.ca/indigenousstudies/.

The College of Arts & Science offers a dynamic combination of programs in the humanities, fine arts, social sciences and natural sciences. There are more than 10,000 undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the College, and 312 faculty members, including seven Canada Research Chairs. The College emphasizes student and faculty research, interdisciplinary programs, community outreach and international opportunities.

The University of Saskatchewan’s main campus is situated on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis. The University of Saskatchewan is located in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, a city with a diverse and thriving economic base, a vibrant arts community and a full range of leisure opportunities. The University has a reputation for excellence in teaching, research and scholarly activities and offers a full range of undergraduate, graduate, and professional programs to a student population of over 24,000 including over 2,500 Indigenous students. Half of the Indigenous students at the University of Saskatchewan are Arts and Science students.

There are seven Indigenous nations whose territories make up the province of Saskatchewan: Cree, Anishnaabeg, Lakota, Dakota, Nakoda, Dene and Métis. Saskatchewan is also home to many other Indigenous peoples from across Canada and beyond. Collectively, Aboriginal people make up 15.6% of the provincial population and almost 10% of the population of the city of Saskatoon.

**Salary Bands:** Assistant Professor $93,293 - $112,109; Associate Professor: $112,109 - $130,925; Professor $130,925 - $152,877. This position is anticipated to be at the Assistant Professor level.
Benefits: This position includes a comprehensive benefits package which includes a dental, health and extended vision care plan; pension plan, life insurance (compulsory and voluntary), academic long term disability, sick leave, travel insurance, death benefits, an employee assistance program, a professional expense allowance, and a flexible health and wellness spending program.

Application Procedure: Interested candidates will submit, via email, a letter of application, an up-to-date CV, a one-to-two page research statement that outlines current and future research projects, copies of relevant publications, a teaching dossier, a list of Indigenous Studies courses they are qualified to teach, and three letters of reference to:

Robert Innes  
Chair, Search Committee  
Department of Indigenous Studies  
College of Arts and Science  
University of Saskatchewan  
Email: indigenous.studies@usask.ca

Review of applications will begin by January 4; however, applications will be accepted and evaluated until the position is filled. The anticipated start date is July 1, 2019.

The University of Saskatchewan is strongly committed to a diverse and inclusive workplace that empowers all employees to reach their full potential. All members of the university community share a responsibility for developing and maintaining an environment in which differences are valued and inclusiveness is practiced. The university welcomes applications from those who will contribute to the diversity of our community. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.