



**ST. FRANCIS XAVIER**  
UNIVERSITY

## **DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY – 3 Year LIMITED TERM APPOINTMENT**

St. Francis Xavier University (StFX), located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People, is one of Canada's leading primarily undergraduate universities. Our institution prioritizes upholding the values of equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility. We encourage applications from Indigenous persons (especially Mi'kmaq), members of Black communities (especially African Nova Scotians), persons with disabilities, those who identify as women and/or 2SLGBTQIA+ and any others who would contribute to the diversity of our community.

The **Department of Anthropology** at **St. Francis Xavier University** invites applications for a 3-Year Limited Term Appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor beginning August 1, 2024. The course load is 18 credits. Preference will be given to candidates who can teach a selection of the following courses:

- ANTH 112** Introduction to Socio-Cultural Anthropology
- ANTH 218** Anthropology of Health and Illness
- ANTH 304** Principles and Methods of Fieldwork
- ANTH 332** L'nu (Mi'kmaq) Studies: Advanced Critical Issues in Indigenous Anthropology
- ANTH 435** Advanced Indigenous Issues
- ANTH 455** Anthropology in Action

Additional courses at the second, third, and/or fourth year will be determined in consultation with the Department Chair.

St. Francis Xavier University is a leading national undergraduate university with a reputation of academic excellence, scholarly inquiry, and service to society. Recognized as one of the finest universities in Canada, StFX is meeting the needs of today's undergraduates through outstanding teaching, exceptional hands-on research experiences, the very best in a residential community, and unique opportunities to make a contribution to communities at home and abroad. As part of its mission of excellence in teaching, the university sees faculty involvement in research, reflective inquiry, and creative work as essential. StFX is committed to providing strong support for the encouragement of these priorities. StFX University is situated in a vibrant east coast arts community of Antigonish, Nova Scotia, a community noted for the quality of its

culture and recreational facilities, friendliness of its people, and the natural beauty of its coastal landscape.

The ideal candidate for this position has a doctorate or is ABD. The candidate must demonstrate a strong commitment to, and proficiency for, teaching at the undergraduate level.

Applicants are asked to submit a cover letter that addresses the candidate's experience and qualifications related to teaching courses in Anthropology, a statement of the courses they are interested in teaching, as well as a curriculum vitae and the names/contact information for three references. Please send these materials by email to:

**Dr. L Jane McMillan**, Chair Department of Anthropology [ljmcmill@stfx.ca](mailto:ljmcmill@stfx.ca)

Queries about the position may also be sent to this address.

The review of applications will begin on May 1, 2024 and will continue until the position is filled.

Please note that all qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, applications from Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

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*We are also committed to the elimination of barriers to participation for persons with disabilities. Should you require an accommodation during the recruitment process, please contact People and Culture at [hr@stfx.ca](mailto:hr@stfx.ca) or 902-867-5038.*

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