

May 1, 2025

The Department of Geography and Environment at GW is committed to teaching that focuses on the most critical issues of the 21st century to advance a more sustainable and equitable future. Applications are invited for a one-year contract, with a possible one-year renewal, non-tenure track position in our department at the rank of **Visiting Assistant Professor** with a specialty in **Physical Geography** or **Environmental Studies/Science**.

Reporting to the Department chair, the Visiting Assistant Professor of Geography will teach a 3:3 load from the list below, with some repeated classes from Fall to Spring semesters.

1. **Intro to Physical Geography *or* Society and Environment** (Intro to Envir. Studies) – **both 1000-level**;
2. **Two from among the following: Geomorphology/Natural Hazards, Biogeography, Weather and Climate*, Water Resources*, Socio-Ecological Systems*, and Climate Change***

*are already or can be cross-listed as graduate classes. Equivalent courses will be considered.

Consult our degree requirements for [Geography](#), [Environmental Studies](#), and [Environmental and Sustainability Science](#) on the [GW Geography & Environment website](#).

The Visiting Assistant professor will also help with advising students, participating in department events, and serving as a mentor to environmental studies and science majors.

Minimum Qualifications: Applicants must have a PhD or will have completed all requirements for a PhD in Geography, Environmental Studies/Science or an allied field by the date of appointment. Applicants must have experience using a variety of methodologies that can translate into pedagogical use. GW has smart classrooms, a 29-seat spatial analysis lab, and some very limited wet lab availability.

Position & Salary Details: This position is a one-year contractual appointment beginning on August 1, 2025 through July 31, 2026 and will be eligible for one one-year renewal. All course instruction must be conducted in person on our Foggy Bottom Campus. Anticipated salary is approximately \$65,000.

All eligible and interested applicants should forward their CV to geog@gwu.edu with their first and last names and 'Visiting Professor Application' in the subject line.

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