

Postdoctoral Research Scholar SSP Position Ad

The T. Denny Sanford School of Social and Family Dynamics (SSFD) in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at Arizona State University (ASU) is seeking a motivated Postdoctoral Research Scholar to join our team for a 12-month, benefit-eligible position with potential for extension. The successful candidate will work under the guidance and mentorship of internationally known interdisciplinary school safety experts at ASU, supervised by Dr. Sarah Lindstrom Johnson. The primary focus of this position will be to advance real-world understanding of practices to promote school safety through innovative research-practice partnerships. Specifically, this position will have access to data from various school safety team members to understand the interrelationships between supporting physical and emotional safety as well as school teaming practices and the impact of these on broad educational outcomes. We are particularly interested in candidates who have research or personal experiences that have informed their work with communities or groups historically underrepresented in research and higher education. Through the mentorship of Dr. Lindstrom Johnson, the Postdoctoral Research Scholar will gain experience in prevention science. The anticipated start date is July 1, 2024, with potential flexibility.

Salary
\$60,000

Essential Duties

- Data analyses and dissemination of results (manuscript preparation, conferences, and presentations)
- Grant Development
- Provide mentorship to other students and collaborators
- Other duties as assigned

Minimum Qualifications

- Doctorate in human development, psychology, sociology, or related fields by the effective date of appointment start date
- Demonstrated background/interest in social science approaches to school safety
- Strong analytical skills and expertise in quantitative analyses
- Demonstrated ability to work, collaborate, and communicate effectively with diverse colleagues, community partners, and staff.
- Demonstrated commitment working with faculty, staff, student communities to advance the principles of the [ASU Charter](#)

Desired Qualifications

- Experience or interest in team science
- Prior first-author publication experience at peer-reviewed journals
- Expertise in quantitative research methods and study design
- Experience with mixed-methods
- Expertise in working with historically underrepresented or marginalized populations
- Experience or interest in prevention science research

Application Instructions

To apply, submit the following:

- Curriculum vita
- Statement of research and training goals

- A letter of interest including the name of the position for which you are applying, your qualifications, and professional experience
- Information for three professional references (their position, title, e-mail, phone number). References will not be contacted until the candidate progresses to the latter stages of the search process.
- Two representative publications

Application deadline is **March 8, 2024**; if not filled, review will continue every week thereafter until the search is closed. Applications will be accepted electronically through Interfolio, at <http://apply.interfolio.com/140744>.

Informal inquiries and questions can be directed to Dr. Sue Annie Rodríguez at Sue.Rodriguez@asu.edu.

Department Statement: For more information on the Sanford School, please visit our website at <https://thesanfordschool.asu.edu>. Learn more about what The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences has to offer by visiting <https://thecollege.asu.edu.faculty>

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