

<b>Requisition Number</b>	1244BR
<b>Position Title</b>	Instructional Faculty
<b>College/Division</b>	College of Liberal Arts
<b>Organization</b>	CLA-Sociology/Anthropology
<b>Faculty Type (Tenure Status)</b>	Tenure-Track
<b>Faculty Discipline</b>	Anthropology
<b>Faculty Rank</b>	Assistant Professor
<b>Employment Category</b>	Fulltime
<b>Anticipated Start Date</b>	14-Aug-2015
<b>Department/College Description</b>	

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#### **Detailed Job Description**

The Department of Sociology and Anthropology at the Rochester Institute of Technology seeks a medical anthropologist for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position, beginning fall semester 2015. Medical anthropology is a dynamic and growing field that includes, but is not limited to, global and environmental health, genetics, epidemiology, human rights and social justice, disability studies, community and public health, culture and healing, medical humanitarianism, health disparities, nutrition, medical ethics, and reproductive health. We seek candidates with theoretically informed field research; the geographic specialization is open. Candidates must be able to teach introductory and upper-division undergraduate courses and contribute to a dynamic, diverse department, its multiple degree programs, and student mentoring. Applicants must have demonstrated excellence in funded research; a record of peer-reviewed scholarship; and experience in teaching, with a commitment to students. Applicants must have PhD in hand by August 1, 2015.

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#### **Required Minimum Qualifications**

PhD awarded by August 1, 2015  
 Field research experience  
 Theoretically informed inquiry  
 Teaching experience

**Required Minimum Education Level**  
**Required Application Documents**

Record of peer-reviewed scholarship  
Record of funded research  
Commitment to students  
Ability to contribute in meaningful ways to the college's continuing commitment to cultural diversity, pluralism, and individual differences.  
PhD  
Curriculum Vitae or Resume  
Cover Letter  
List of References  
Apply online at <http://careers.rit.edu/faculty> Keyword Search:1244BR.

**How To Apply**

Please submit: your curriculum vitae, cover letter addressing the listed qualifications and the following attachments:  
-A sample publication  
-Provide a list of courses to be taught  
-List of three references with contact information

**Additional Details**

You can contact the search committee with questions on the position at:  
Professor Christine Kray, [christine.kray@rit.edu](mailto:christine.kray@rit.edu)  
Application deadline is October 15, 2014.  
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