ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MARKETING
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
TENURE TRACK
CONTRACT START DATE: JULY 1, 2017

Dr. Tim Wilkinson, Charles L. Bopell Dean of the School of Business, will be attending the Summer Marketing Educators’ Conference 2016 in Atlanta on August 5-7, 2016. If you would like to meet with Dr. Wilkinson at that time, please fill out a Whitworth application and indicate that you will be attending the conference. Qualified applicants will be contacted to arrange an appointment with Dr. Wilkinson during the conference.

Application review will begin on July 1, 2016. The position remains open and applications reviewed until filled.

The School of Business at Whitworth University invites applications a tenure-track, Assistant Professor of Marketing position. A Ph.D. in marketing or a related field is required (ABD’s will be considered) and, depending on experience, a commensurate record of quality research and publications in the marketing field.

THE INSTITUTION:
Founded in 1890, Whitworth has been consistently ranked among the top regional colleges and universities in the West. Whitworth combines a strong liberal arts perspective, the Christian heritage of the University, its commitment to academic rigor, and its long-standing orientation toward human service. A community of Christian scholars carries out the university’s mission “to provide its diverse student body an education of the mind and heart.” Surrounded by mountains, Spokane Washington is located within an urban forest alongside the Spokane river. It has all of the cultural advantages of a city, but is a short distance away from all manner of outdoor recreational activities.

THE SCHOOL:
Whitworth’s School Business (WSB) is recruiting scholars who can contribute to its effort to achieve AACSB accreditation. The WSB is committed to providing students with an outstanding business and economics education. Small class sizes combined with close interaction between students and faculty enable our graduates to learn the essential professional skills and knowledge to successfully compete for positions in the global marketplace. The undergraduate degree program is the one of the largest on campus with an estimated 16% of all Whitworth students choosing to major in business and economics areas. The school offers both a traditional undergraduate degree in business and economics with concentrations in marketing, management, accounting, economics, and finance, and a unique undergraduate degree completion program in organizational management. The graduate program provides an excellent Master of Business Administration degree. The course load for this position is six courses (18 credits) each academic year. The WSB has a very supportive teaching and research culture.

FACULTY RESPONSIBILITIES:
In addition to being active scholars, applicants should be committed to championing the marketing discipline, cultivating superior teaching skills, and teaching a variety of marketing courses. An interest in interdisciplinary research and co-authorship with WSB colleagues is valued. Applicants are expected to actively participate in important university, school and departmental support and service responsibilities (e.g., faculty governance, mentoring, development, and student advising). Collegiality is highly valued in the School of Business.
QUALIFICATIONS, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- A Ph.D. or D.B.A. degree in marketing or a related field. Applicants that are ABD will be considered for the position if they are currently in the process of completing their doctoral degree and have a definite completion date before August 2017.
- Must be academically qualified in marketing, with a willingness to teach courses in all areas of the marketing discipline.
- Demonstrated effectiveness in college-level undergraduate and graduate teaching, possessing strong relational skills with students and colleagues.
- Evidence of scholarly activity and an on-going stream of research in the field of marketing.
- A personal commitment to the Christian faith and to the integration of faith and learning.
- Ability to communicate effectively in English.
- Must meet eligibility requirements to work in the United States by the time the appointment is scheduled to begin and continue to work legally for the proposed term of employment.
- Demonstrated awareness and commitment to effectively establishing relationships and positive communications across multiple dimensions of diversity including, but not limited to race, gender, physical limitations, class or religious perspectives.
- A commitment to equal opportunity; and a commitment to the educational mission of Whitworth University as a Christian liberal arts college affiliated with the Presbyterian church.
- Employment offer is contingent on a successful background check, including education verification.

APPLICATION PROCESS:
The following documents are required to complete the online application form:

1. A letter of interest
2. Curriculum vitae
3. A list of names, addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses of three references
4. Three recent student course evaluations (or a note explaining why they are not available)
5. A short personal essay characterizing your Christian faith. For expanded guidelines, please see (www.whitworth.edu/facultyfaithessay).

Please direct questions about the application process to Human Resources at jobs@whitworth.edu. Please direct questions about the position to the search committee chair, Dr. Craig Hinnenkamp at chinnenkamp@whitworth.edu.

Whitworth complies with all federal, state, and local nondiscrimination laws that are applicable to religious nonprofit institutions and does not engage in unlawful discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability. With our commitment to building a diverse community, the university encourages applications from populations underrepresented at Whitworth including members of racial/ethnic communities, women, and persons with disabilities.