Department of Political Science  
College of Arts and Sciences  
Case Western Reserve University

The Department of Political Science in the College of Arts and Sciences at Case Western Reserve University invites applications from outstanding scholars for a tenure-track position in the general areas of environmental, energy, and/or sustainability politics and policy. Rank is open, but appointment at the rank of assistant professor is preferred. The successful candidate will teach both within the department and for CWRU’s Environmental Studies Program. We would like our new colleague to be able to teach about the public policy process, but further teaching and research interests could include any other subfield, including political theory, American politics, comparative politics, and international relations. The normal teaching load is two courses per semester. She or he should also be able to contribute to the College initiative in Sustainability, and perhaps to the university’s Great Lakes Energy Institute. We appreciate scholars with broad interests, and seek excellence in research within the fields of environment, energy and sustainability with no presumptions about the location or political processes or institutions studied.

Case Western Reserve University offers the student quality and class size of a strong liberal arts college, within one of the nation’s major research universities. Compensation is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. Junior applicants should submit a letter of application stating research and teaching interests, a curriculum vitae, and at least two writing samples to Professor Karen Beckwith; Department of Political Science, Case Western Reserve University; Mather House 111, 11201 Euclid Avenue; Cleveland, OH 44106-7109. Please e-mail these materials to lauren.gallitto@case.edu. They should also arrange for three letters of reference to be sent as hard copies to Professor Beckwith. Senior applicants should submit to the e-mail address listed above a letter of application indicating research and teaching interests and a curriculum vitae with a list of references. Appointment at the level of Associate Professor or Professor will require a national reputation for expertise in the candidate’s line of research and a distinguished record of publication, in accord with the qualifications necessary for tenure and promotion at our institution as stated in the Faculty Handbook and in the tenure and promotion standards of the Department of Political Science.

A Ph.D. in Political Science or comparable degree in a related field is required for appointment to the tenure track. In employment, as in education, Case Western Reserve University is committed to Equal Opportunity and World Class Diversity. CWRU is a recipient of a National Science Foundation ADVANCE Institutional Transformation Grant to increase the participation of women in Science and Engineering. Review of applications will begin on October 12, 2009, and continue until the search is concluded. We prefer that our new colleague start with the 2010-11 academic year.