

Postdoctoral Scholar  
Schubert Center for Child Studies  
Case Western Reserve University

**Position Summary:**

The Schubert Center for Child Studies at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland, Ohio is seeking a full-time postdoctoral scholar to contribute to the Center's community-based research initiatives on values in childhood. The mission of the Schubert Center is to bridge research, practice, policy and education to improve the well-being of children and adolescents.

The postdoctoral scholar will work directly with the Schubert Center's Director and Research Director on center-initiated research on children and adolescents in collaboration with community partners. The postdoctoral scholar will also have the opportunity to develop new independent research in partnership with community organization(s) in the Northeast Ohio area within the overarching content area of Values in Childhood.

The ideal candidate will have a PhD in a child-related discipline, community psychology, program evaluation, or related social science field; a strong background in child-related research; quantitative data analyses, skills in mixed methods, program evaluation, and community-engaged research; and a record for translating research findings into publications. The candidate should have experience in multidisciplinary research.

**RESPONSIBILITIES**

The postdoctoral scholar will: Contribute to a team science approach through regular interaction with Center staff, community partners, and other collaborators including Schubert Center Faculty Associates; Assist with the design and implementation of community-engaged child and adolescent research focused on values in childhood; Oversee data analyses and program evaluation of community partner site data; Contribute to grant writing and reporting; Provide leadership to the development of presentations and publications related to research serving as lead author on at least one manuscript. It is expected that the post-doctoral scholar will develop content expertise and a publication track record based on this experience. A competitive salary and benefits will be provided.

**ESSENTIAL SKILLS**

1. Demonstrated training and skills in community-based research and program evaluation.
2. Prior experience with collection, management, and analysis of qualitative and quantitative data.
3. Capacity to establish and maintain research partnerships with community stakeholders.
4. Experience translating research findings to diverse audiences through publications, presentations, reports, and social media.
5. Self-motivated and adaptive to pivots in research needs. Ability to work with minimal supervision to complete tasks.
6. Experience facilitating institutional review board applications.
7. Strong organization skills; ability to multitask, prioritize and meet deadlines. Must demonstrate attention to detail and accuracy, time management skills, and proven ability to successfully follow-through on assigned projects.
8. Strong, professional and effective verbal and written communication skills.

9. Strong interpersonal skills; ability to work and communicate with various individuals from a broad spectrum of disciplines, technical and educational backgrounds within the school and university, and with individuals outside the university.
10. Experience and proficiency with Microsoft Word, Power Point, and Excel.
11. Must demonstrate willingness to learn new techniques, procedures, processes, and computer programs as needed.

This is a one-year position with the option of renewal for up to two years. In order to be considered for the position, applicants must submit the following by email to [axd116@case.edu](mailto:axd116@case.edu):

- A cover sheet with contact and biographical information
- Contact information for dissertation advisor and two additional references
- CV
- A statement of qualifications and research interests
- One sample publication

Applications will be reviewed immediately and will continue until the position is filled.

In employment, as in education, Case Western Reserve University is committed to Equal Opportunity and Diversity. Women, veterans, members of underrepresented minority groups, and individuals with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.