



Call for instructor: We are looking to attract a creative instructor for Fall 2019 for SUST403: Sustainability Research Project.

The embedded certificate in Sustainability Studies is a new approach to experiential learning and applied research at the University of Calgary. The new Sustainability Studies curriculum is embedded within and integrated into a student's degree program, in a context of a broader interdisciplinary understanding of sustainability and resilience. The program consists of four required core courses, beginning with foundational sustainability principles, practices, challenges and opportunities in both an historical and contemporary context. Throughout the certificate student then apply foundational principles to complex social, ecological and sustainable design problems through applied research and experiential learning.

Course Description: This is the third core course of the Embedded Certificate in Sustainability Studies that provides experiential learning opportunities to practice 'sustainability in action.' Students participate in applied research projects that link sustainability principles, the understanding gained in SUST 201, the research methods developed in SUST401, and students' potential career goals. These research projects, occurring both on and off-campus, are based in a multitude of communities – from local to global – and will be specific to students' academic pursuits and to community partner(s) needs. See: <http://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/sustainability-studies-sust.html#42745>

Role of the Instructor: Because of the experiential learning and applied research model with broad inter-disciplinary nature of the course subject this program delivers the courses using a collaborative teaching model. Course instructors work side-by-side to guide learning while embedding sustainability principles and practices throughout the delivery of course material. Class sizes are small, course content is interdisciplinary, and as an Instructors you will provide opportunities for students to engage directly with both sustainability problems and with faculty and expert practitioners who work on sustainability and resilience problems across the globe.

Application Process: The successful candidate will be expected to have successfully completed at least their PhD Candidacy Exams in a relevant discipline and must have a demonstrated background in the subject matter related to the course. The successful candidate must also have very good previous teaching performance or show the potential for very good to excellent teaching ability.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. The University of Calgary is committed to Employment Equity. Sustainability Studies strongly encourages applications from women.

If you are interested in being an instructor for the SUST 403 in Fall 2019, please email [Craig Gerlach](#), Academic Lead, Sustainability Studies, with a statement of interest, teaching philosophy and a CV.

Deadline: We will begin reviewing applications on **Friday, August 28th, 2019.**

Sincerely yours,

Dr. Craig Gerlach

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