



ST. THOMAS MORE COLLEGE

UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN

ASSISTANT OR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (tenure track), Department of Psychology, St. Thomas More College

Applications are being accepted for a **tenure-track position in the department of Psychology with an applied child development emphasis** at the **Assistant or Associate Professor** rank, with a projected start date of July 1, 2026. In addition to holding a tenure-track position, the successful candidate will also be named the Lois M. Brockman Professor in Child Development. This position title, along with its associated research funding and reduced teaching load, is subject to review and renewal every three years and is dependent on the degree to which the candidate applies their knowledge of child development to their practical work.

Review of Applications will begin August 22, 2025. Please forward application materials to: **Dr. Carie M. Buchanan, Department Head, Department of Psychology, St. Thomas More College, 1437 College Drive, Saskatoon, SK, S7N 0W6, psychology@stmcollege.ca.**

Requirements for the position include a Ph.D. in psychology or relevant discipline with an emphasis on child development (completed, or near completion, by the time of the appointment). The successful candidate will demonstrate how they draw upon developmental theory and science to address the needs of children and how they will apply this knowledge to support optimal development in children in our community. The successful candidate will also demonstrate excellence or the promise of excellence in teaching, research, undergraduate and graduate supervision, as well as administrative and professional service. In working with children, specific experience with community-based research methods, EDI-oriented research methods, and/or Indigenous centered research and methods is an asset. The successful candidate will also demonstrate an ability to contribute to St. Thomas More's distinctive minor in Social Justice and the Common Good and will be expected to demonstrate a willingness to connect their work to the mission of the College.

St. Thomas More College (STM) is a Catholic liberal arts college federated with the University of Saskatchewan. In our mission statement, we affirm that "through our teaching we are devoted to a partnership of learning and growth with our students which addresses the synthesis of faith and reason in all aspects of the human condition." Over time, this emphasis on reflective learning has cultivated a deep interest in social justice, expressed through unique interdisciplinary programs (e.g., Critical Perspectives on Social Justice and the Common Good; Peace Studies), extracurricular events and activities, and faculty research. Collectively, our faculty have fostered productive research and service partnerships within the healthcare, education, and non-profit sectors. Our college offers a range of community service-learning opportunities for students.

Located on the beautiful University of Saskatchewan campus, STM is close to the Gordon Oakes Red Bear Student Centre, an Indigenous multipurpose facility and gathering place dedicated to supporting the personal, social, cultural, and academic success of Métis, First Nations, and Inuit students, as well as the newly constructed Children's Hospital of Saskatchewan.

STM collaborates with University of Saskatchewan departments to offer undergraduate and graduate programs in the humanities and social sciences, providing a rich interdisciplinary environment for scholarship. Additionally, the STM Department of Psychology works in collaboration with the University of Saskatchewan's Department of Psychology & Health Studies to offer undergraduate programs (3- and 4-year Bachelor of Arts or Science degrees and a 4-year interdisciplinary Bachelor of Arts and Science in Health Studies) and graduate programs (Cognition and Neuroscience; Culture, Health, and Human Development; Applied Social Psychology; Clinical Psychology).

Salary bands for this position are: Assistant Professor \$99,945 to \$120,099; Associate Professor \$120,099 to \$140,253. This pay rate falls under the 2017-2022 Collective Agreement [extended to 2023] between STM and the St. Thomas More Faculty Union (STMFU). We offer a comprehensive benefits plan.

Application Materials: Applicants are to send the following to **Dr. Carie M. Buchanan** at psychology@stmcollege.ca: a letter describing their qualifications; a curriculum vitae (contact information must be current and include the email address, phone number, and home address at which applicants can be reached); teaching dossier, including teaching philosophy, copies of student and peer evaluations of courses taught, a response to comments from student evaluations (see [template](#)), sample syllabi, and other materials as appropriate; research statement including the candidate's experience and/or ability to engage the community in applied research; letters of reference from three referees (please have them sent directly to Dr. Buchanan); a copy of transcripts of the qualifying degree; as well as a sample of academic writing.

St. Thomas More College is committed to employment equity, diversity, and inclusion, and is proud to support career opportunities for Indigenous peoples to reflect the community we serve. We are dedicated to recruiting individuals who will enrich our work and learning environments. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. We are committed to providing accommodations to those with a disability or medical necessity. If you require an accommodation to participate in the recruitment process, please notify us and we will work together on the accommodation request. Additional information about STM and the University of Saskatchewan is available at <https://stmcollege.ca/>. While we appreciate all interest in the position, only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

This position is supported by the Lois M. Brockman Endowed Professorship in Child Development.