



Pursue a career as assistant professor of architecture and construction

The [Faculty of Environmental Design](#), founded in 1968, houses three schools: Architecture, Design and Urbanism and Landscape Architecture, with the mission to develop knowledge and train highly qualified talents, who will contribute to the evolution, research and innovation of environmental design practices. The Faculty offers an average of twenty research groups and 23 educational programs, all dedicated to the study of human-environment interactions and intervention in the built and natural environment.

Committed to a disciplinary and professional approach, the [School of Architecture](#) contributes to research and education for quality, sustainable and inclusive architecture, both locally and internationally. It is one of twelve schools in Canada accredited by the Canadian Architectural Certification Board. As a professor you can contribute to this mission through teaching and research in architecture and construction.

Your day-to-day responsibilities

Through your teaching and your research activities, you will play a pivotal role in fostering excellence within your faculty. Furthermore, you will enhance the prominence of your area of expertise and actively participate in the daily activities of our renowned university. In this role, you will:

- Actively participate in the teaching of lectures, studios and seminars for the Bachelor, Masters and PhD programs in Architecture, particularly in the field of construction.
- Develop an independent research program on construction.
- Participate in the supervision of graduate students.
- Actively participate in the development of the discipline through conferences, publications and scientific activities, as well as in the administration of the Faculty.

The successful candidate's professional profile encompasses the following

- Hold a doctorate (Ph.D.) related to the field of architecture. Candidates who have submitted or are in the process of submitting their thesis will also be considered;
- Hold a professional degree in architecture;
- Demonstrate the ability to provide high-quality academic teaching, particularly building construction and design studio teaching;
- Demonstrate a high level of knowledge in building science and techniques, building processes and standards, as well as architectural detailing, applicable to the North American context;
- Knowledge of sustainable development, integrated design processes, performance analysis and recognition of excellence (awards, grants, etc.) are assets.
- Adequate proficiency in the French language or a strong commitment to mastering the proficiency level required upon assuming the position in accordance to [Université de Montréal's Language Policy](#). A French language learning assistance program is offered to all professors who wish to acquire French language skills or enhance their communication abilities.

Additional information about the position

- A competitive salary combined with a comprehensive range of benefits
- Start date: August 1, 2025, or depending on the availability of the successful candidate
- Located at the Faculty of Environmental Design pavilion, Montreal Campus

How to submit your application

The application must be sent to the Department's management, and must include the following documents, before the submission deadline of **August 11, 2024** inclusive:

- A cover letter outlining your teaching interests and your research program in the field of construction (maximum two pages);
- A curriculum vitae, accompanied by a copy of your diplomas;
- A statement of your teaching and mentoring philosophy (maximum one page);
- A research program statement (maximum two pages);
- A copy of three recent publications or research papers (maximum of three documents);
- A teaching dossier including student work carried out under your supervision (maximum fifty pages), and if applicable, a portfolio of significant professional work (maximum ten pages);
- At least three letters of reference sent directly by the author to the Direction.

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Université de Montréal is committed to employment equity within its community and aims to recruit diverse staff and faculty. We strongly recommend that you complete [this self-identification questionnaire](#).

Université de Montréal's application process allows all members of the Professor's Assembly to review the application files submitted. If you wish to keep your application confidential until the shortlist is established, please mention it in your application.

BENEFITS

- Medical, paramedical, dental care and travel insurance
- Employee and family assistance program, along with an institutional program for better health and well-being
- Defined benefit pension plan offering a retirement pension with indexing, visit rrum.umontreal.ca
- Life insurance and disability income insurance

WORK-LIFE BALANCE

- Up to 2 years of parental leave
- Workload reduction upon return from leave and until the child reaches 2 years of age
- Two on-campus daycare centers
- Summer day camps and during school breaks at the Physical Center of Sports of UdeM
- Compassionate leave

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPEMENT

- University Pedagogy Development Activity
- Tuition fee exemption program for yourself, your spouse, or partner, and dependent children
- Startup Fund
- French Language Program
- Professional Expenses Allocation Program and Development Leave
- Study and Research Year

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

Université de Montréal is strongly committed to fostering diversity and inclusion. Through its Equal Access Employment Program (EAEP), UdeM invites applications from women, Indigenous Peoples, visible and ethnic minorities, as well as persons with disabilities. We will –confidentially– adapt our recruitment mechanisms to the specific needs of people with disabilities who request it.

The University adopts a broad and inclusive definition of diversity that goes beyond applicable laws and encourages all qualified individuals, regardless of their characteristics, to apply for positions. In accordance with current immigration requirements in Canada, please note that priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

The self-identification questionnaire is a voluntary step to promote a diverse and inclusive work and living environment.

The personal information you provide is valuable and will help us improve our practices and comply with current laws.

Personal information is confidential. Be assured that it will be collected and used in accordance with applicable federal and provincial laws, will never be disclosed without your consent, and will not hinder your hiring or career progression at the University of Montreal.