

Union Presbyterian Seminary Professor of Theology and/or Ethics (rank and tenure open) and Director of the Katie Geneva Cannon Center for Womanist Leadership

Union Presbyterian Seminary invites applications and nominations for the position of Professor of Theology and/or Ethics and Director of the Katie Geneva Cannon Center for Womanist Leadership, to serve primarily on our Richmond, Virginia campus. The candidate is competent in the areas of systematic/constructive theology or theological and social ethics and has familiarity with the Reformed theological tradition. This position involves a combination of teaching and administrative responsibilities, with a reduced teaching load of two to three courses per year. This colleague would be expected to offer required courses and electives in all degree programs and platforms, and seminars appropriate for the Th.M. and D.Min. degrees. Because of the particular focus of administrative responsibilities, we seek a candidate with proven expertise in the area of Womanist theology and/or ethics. Rank and tenure are open and will be determined commensurate with the candidate's professional accomplishments.

The successful candidate holds a Ph.D. in theology or theological or social ethics and is committed to excellence in both teaching and scholarship. The candidate has an interest in the constructive interpretation of Christian faith and life in conversation with other disciplines such as philosophy, the arts, and the natural and social sciences. The candidate is committed to theology as an ecumenical and interfaith enterprise and seeks to understand their particular tradition within the broader stream of other Christian traditions, and the witness of other living faiths.

As a free-standing, denominational seminary, we value the active participation of our faculty in the worship and community life of our campus and their provision of resources for regional churches and communities. The successful candidate will give evidence of such engagements in their current context and will be prepared and eager to engage the church through preaching, teaching, and other forms of service.

Union Presbyterian Seminary is a graduate educational institution of the Presbyterian Church (USA) and an EO/AA employer committed to increasing the gender, racial-ethnic, and international and cultural diversity in its faculty and student body. Since its formation in 1812, it has sustained the intention of its founders to provide education for Christian ministry that is scholarly, pastoral, and engaged with contemporary life.

Letters of application, including a curriculum vitae and the names and contact information of three references, should be addressed to Ken McFayden, Academic Dean, Union Presbyterian Seminary, 3401 Brook Road, Richmond, Virginia 23227, eelliott@upsem.edu.