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The Graduate Program in Theology (PPGT) - Pontifícia Universidade Católica do Paraná - PUCPR

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Established in 1959, PUCPR is a private, non-profit Catholic university (www.pucpr.br). The main campus is located in Curitiba, the capital city of the State of Paraná, Brazil. PUCPR has more than 27,000 students in 60 undergraduate and over 150 extension courses. Moreover, PUCPR has 29 graduate programs comprising the areas of Health Sciences, Law, Animal Sciences, Urban Management, Philosophy, **Theology**, Business Management, Mechanical Engineering, Dentistry, Production and Systems Engineering, Education, Computer Sciences,

Health Technology, Bioethics, Cooperative Management and Human Rights.

Although the graduate programs at PUCPR are fairly new (less than 20 years), they rank among the best within the state of Paraná. The quality of research developed at PUCPR has been rising constantly, and our faculty hold the 4th position in publication excellency (number of articles published in the top 10% scientific journals per faculty) among Brazilian institutions according to the Scimago Institutions Ranking.

The **Graduate Program in Theology (PPGT)** started its activities in 2009 offering a academic master degree and in 2014 offering PhD degree. The Program has three lines of research: Analysis and interpretation of the Scriptures, Theology, Evangelization and Religious diversity and Theology and Society. These areas accommodate 15 full-time faculty and 110 graduate students.

POSITION

We are offering one Associate Professor (Professor Adjunto) positions. These are full-time, research-oriented positions in the PPGT to begin in the first semester of 2019 and will dedicate 20% of their time for teaching and 80% for research. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: teaching undergraduate and graduate courses, keeping current in the field; recruiting and advising graduate and undergraduate students; posting and maintaining regular office hours; serving on faculty committees as assigned or elected; participating in professional development and scholarship activities; attending regularly scheduled faculty meetings, department meetings, and other required meetings; applying for funding opportunities (public and private); publishing relevant work in high quality scientific journals.

The position requires a PhD. in Theology or related fields to work in research lines developed in our department:

- Theology, Evangelization and Religious diversity;
- Theology and Society.

Additional experience includes: experience in teaching at the undergraduate level; evidence in approving grant proposals for research; excellent oral and written communication skills; commitment to graduate teaching and mentoring; strong background in publishing scientific papers in high quality international journals (considered very good - “muito bom”) for the area of Theology; ongoing commitment of faculty development; willingness to work as part of a team. Collaboration with international research groups is an asset. Candidates must be fluent in Portuguese and English.

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SELECTION PROCESS

Candidates must submit a statement of research and teaching interests along with detailed curriculum vitae and 2 letters of reference from former employers. Documents can be submitted either in English or Portuguese to secretaria.ppgt@pucpr.br with the title “Professor Position/Vaga para Professor”. Selected applicants will be invited for an interview and to give a lecture in their field of expertise. This opportunity is open to foreigners, Brazilians and PUCPR faculty. In case of a draw, PUCPR faculty will have the priority. Foreign candidates can be interviewed and give their lecture by videoconference. Candidates will also be asked to write an essay about their accomplishments from the past 5 years (written exam).



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SALARY AND BENEFITS

This is an Associate Position (equivalent to Professor Adjunto at PUCPR). Benefits include: complimentary career development courses; matching funds for private retirement pension plan; subsidized lunch meals; discount for the candidate or family members to study at PUCPR.

IMPORTANT DATES

October 11th, 2018, at 6 PM – Deadline for application
October 16th, 2018 - Interviews, lectures and written exam
October 18th, 2018 - Selection committee meeting and Final Result
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