RELIGION AND CULTURE

The Department of Religion and Culture at St. Thomas More College (STM), a Catholic college federated with the University of Saskatchewan, invites applications for a tenure-stream position at the rank of Assistant Professor, commencing July 1, 2011. The Department has teaching needs in the history and teachings of Christianity, and is particularly interested in candidates with expertise in, and a willingness to develop courses in, Christianity and Ecology. The STM Department of Religion and Culture works in collaboration with the University of Saskatchewan's Religion and Culture Department in delivering undergraduate and graduate programs.

The successful candidate will have a completed PhD in a relevant area of study at the time of appointment. In addition, the ideal candidate should have a broad background in the history and teachings of Christianity. An ability and willingness to teach Introduction to World Religions, Science and Religion, Catholic Studies and/or Eastern Christianity will be considered an asset. The successful candidate will be expected to contribute to one or more of STM's distinctive programs, e.g., Catholic Studies, Social Justice and the Common Good, etc.

STM is committed to high-quality teaching and research. The successful candidate will be expected to supply a Teaching Dossier (including teaching philosophy, peer and student evaluations of teaching, courses taught, sample syllabi) as an indication of proven excellence. Candidates will also be expected to develop an active, externally funded program of research, and to participate in collaborative research in an interdisciplinary environment. Applicants must send a letter describing qualifications, a curriculum vitae, letters of reference from three referees, and transcripts, as well as a sample of academic writing to: Dr. M.A. Beavis, Head, Department of Religion and Culture, St Thomas More College, 1437 College Drive, Saskatoon, SK, S7N 0W6. Email: mbeavis@stmcollege.ca.

The Search Committee will begin its review of applications on February 15, 2011 and continue until the position is filled. The salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.