

Garrett College
Adventuresports Institute® Academic Program
POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

The Adventuresports Institute (ASI) of Garrett College currently has one full time faculty position opening for August 2019. The Search Committee is actively seeking candidates who share the College's commitment to quality education and lifelong learning in a small, close knit, educationally-oriented environment.

ASI offers a two-year Associates in Applied Science Degree and a one-year Certificate in Adventure Sports Management focusing on students who excel in experiential learning environments, are passionate for adventure education and thrive in expeditionary leadership settings.

Garrett College overlooks Deep Creek Lake and the WISP Ski Area in the Allegheny Mountains of western Maryland. We are surrounded by stunning natural resources, diverse geology, and a distinct four-season climate that come together to create the perfect setting for the outdoor classrooms of our adventure sports program. Located one mile from campus, the Adventure Sports Center International, both a destination and a resource for outdoor and adventure-based recreation, provides a learning laboratory for our students. It has been the site of numerous international competitions, including the 2014 ICF Canoe and Kayak Slalom World Championships.(FMI, www.adventuresportscenter.com).

ASI is currently accepting applications for an **Assistant Professor of Adventure Sports** with a salary range of \$43,019 to \$60,376 with full benefits package one month after hire date. Salary scale placement based on education and prior experience.

Responsibilities: Play a key role in furthering the development of ASI's field course track in rock climbing, professional development activities, and land-based backcountry travel. Teach both theory and field courses possibly including, but not limited to, survey courses in recreation, program planning, or leadership development; field courses in the skill areas of back country living/LNT, rock climbing, whitewater kayaking, canoeing or rafting, sea kayaking, ropes course facilitation, mountain biking, Nordic skiing, and/or winter adventure skills: Coordinate program practicums; serve on college committees; academically advise program majors; recommend purchase of program equipment; drive an 11-passenger van pulling an equipment trailer; and play a part in actively recruiting new program majors. This position will work closely with nearby Frostburg State University's Bachelor of Science Degree in Adventure Sports Management, as Garrett College is the program's field skills instructional location.

Minimum Qualifications: Master's Degree in adventure education, recreation, or related field; teaching proficiencies in adventure sports field activities as evidenced by prior work experience and documented field log; must have successfully acquired a Wilderness First Responder and CPR certification prior to start date.

Preferred Qualifications: Instructor/instructor trainer certifications from any nationally or internationally recognized certifying body such as AASI, AMGA, ACA, ACCT, LNT, NASAR, NSP, PCGI, PSIA, SOLO, WEA, WMA, or WMI. Preference given to applicants with recreation journalism, outdoor photography, adventure media, wilderness therapy and/or adaptive/inclusive recreation experience.

Position is open until filled. For best consideration, apply by May 29, 2019. Job description is available on the Garrett College website (www.garrettcollege.edu) under the Employment link.

Submit a cover letter, resume, relative field documentation, and the names of three professional references electronically to careers@garrettcollege.edu.

Visit Garrett College's and ASI's websites for more information: www.garrettcollege.edu and www.adventuresportsi.org.

For assistance with the application process, please telephone (301) 387-3049. Garrett College is a tobacco-free campus. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. EOE.