University of Massachusetts – Amherst. The Department of Legal Studies invites applications for two positions starting September 1, 2007. The positions will be filled at either assistant or associate professor levels. Salary is competitive and based on qualifications and experience. Research and teaching interests in all aspects of law and society will be considered. Of special interest are crime and social control; globalization and comparative law; race, gender and sexuality; philosophy of law and legal theory; and science and technology. Applicants are required to have a PhD in a social science or humanities discipline; joint JD/PhD candidates are especially welcome. The department is very committed to building a more diverse faculty and student community and curriculum. Candidates should demonstrate significant achievement and promise in scholarly research, teaching, and extramural grant activity. Candidates should have interests in building a graduate component to add to the already well-established undergraduate program, and participating in the campus-wide initiative in Law and Society. The positions require teaching with a broad, interdisciplinary approach in introductory and upper-level, undergraduate courses. Review of applications will begin on October 2, 2006, and continue until the positions are filled.

Please send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and publications or writing samples to Search Committee, Legal Studies, 102 Gordon Hall, Suite C, University of Massachusetts, 418 North Pleasant Street, Amherst, MA 01002. The University of Massachusetts Amherst is an AA/EO employer; women and members of minority groups are encouraged to apply. For more information contact Ron Pipkin, Chair of the Search Committee (pipkin@legal.umass.edu), and/or visit the website www.umass.edu/legal.