The Department of Romance Languages and Literatures and the Center for Social Concerns (CSC) at the University of Notre Dame invite applications for a full-time faculty Lecturer position in Spanish to develop, coordinate, and maintain a first-rate Spanish service-learning program. The successful applicant will be responsible for teaching two courses per semester in Spanish language and culture, working in conjunction with Spanish language faculty to develop, implement, and oversee opportunities for student engagement with the local Latino community. The candidate is also expected to extend and forge new partnerships with local, national, and international community organizations while sustaining high quality service-learning courses.

Native fluency in Spanish, MA or higher degree in Spanish or related field, demonstrated excellence in teaching at the college or university level, evidence of a strong commitment to service-learning in the foreign languages, and relevant experience in service to Latino communities are required. The candidate must have proven success in leadership positions and strong interpersonal skills in order to work collaboratively with an array of diverse constituencies. An interest in interdisciplinary approaches to education and/or experience in teaching Spanish for heritage speakers are also desirable.

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For consideration, please send letter of application, full curriculum vitae, brief writing samples in Spanish and English, teaching evaluations, and three current letters of recommendation to Professor Theodore J. Cachey, Jr., Chair, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN 46556 by November 6, 2009. The University of Notre Dame is an affirmative action employer with a strong commitment to fostering a culturally diverse atmosphere for faculty, staff, and students. Women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and those attracted to a university with a Catholic identity are encouraged to apply. Information about Notre Dame and the Department, including our mission statements, is available at: http://www.nd.edu.