

## **FACULTY APPOINTMENT IN THE HISTORY OF EARLY CHRISTIANITY**

Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, seeks a faculty member in the History of Christianity, with particular attention to the history, theologies, and literature of post-New Testament early Christianity. This is a full-time, tenure eligible position at junior rank. The appointee will regularly teach foundational courses on the history of Christianity as well as more specialized courses on early Christianity in the various degree programs of Perkins School of Theology, and will also teach M.A. and Ph.D. students in the Graduate Program in Religious Studies of Dedman College. Essential qualifications include: a Ph.D. or equivalent degree; scholarly competence in both the Greek and the Latin traditions of early Christianity; and the readiness and ability to relate the study of the history of Christianity to preparation for church leadership. Position begins with the fall term of 2012. To ensure full consideration the application should be postmarked by November 30, 2011. The committee will notify applicants of its employment decision after the position is filled. Hiring is contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a background check. Applications should include a CV and contact information, including an email address. Applicants should arrange that three letters of reference be mailed directly to the search committee. Address inquiries or applications to: Search Committee in the History of Early Christianity, Job reference #050162, Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University, P.O. Box 750133, Dallas TX 75275-0133 or send application electronically to [scarroll@smu.edu](mailto:scarroll@smu.edu). Visit our website at <http://www.smu.edu/perkins>. *Southern Methodist University will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, or veteran status. SMU's commitment to equal opportunity includes nondiscrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.*