Texas Lutheran University
1000 West Court Street, Seguin, Texas 78155-5999

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY

Texas Lutheran University invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position in Biology to begin August 2018. We seek a colleague whose interests complement and enhance our existing activities.

Requirements for the position include:

- Ph.D. in Physiology, Biology or related field
- Expertise in physiology or a closely related field
- Ability to teach an upper division course in Mammalian Physiology, as well as lower division courses in Human Anatomy and Physiology, Pathophysiology, etc.
- Evidence of effective teaching and commitment to excellence and innovation in teaching
- Ability to participate in the department’s undergraduate summer research program
- Commitment to continued professional development and active leadership of undergraduate research
- Commitment to advising of undergraduate students
- Ability to work collegially with other faculty members and staff in the department and across campus
- Affirmation of the mission of Texas Lutheran University, a nationally-recognized institution of the liberal arts and sciences in the Lutheran tradition of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA)

In our selection, preference may be given to candidates who also offer one or more of the following:

- Ability to complement the department’s current strengths
- Interest in contributing to the institution’s general education curriculum, honors program, and/or interdisciplinary minors
- Experience or interest in supporting campus diversity
- Ability to support and develop student internships in Biology

The Biology Department at TLU offers BA and BS degrees with concentrations in Environmental and Molecular Biology. We collaborate on interdisciplinary BS degrees in Biochemistry and Integrated Science. We provide supporting course work for the BS in Nursing. Many of our graduates go on to graduate programs or the health professions.

Salary is competitive; benefits are excellent. The ELCA’s 26 colleges and universities value and practice academic and religious freedom while preparing women and men for lives of leadership and service in a diverse world. Texas Lutheran University is a Hispanic Serving Institution. For more information, consult our web site at http://www.tlu.edu.

Please submit a letter of application addressing the above criteria, curriculum vita, a statement of teaching philosophy, a statement of research interests, unofficial copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts, five professional references (names, addresses, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers), and arrange for three confidential letters of recommendation to be submitted separately. Electronic submissions are preferred.

Please send your submissions to:

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Review of applications will begin on 2 October 2017 and continue until the position is filled. Texas Lutheran University has been recognized as a “Great College to Work For” by the Chronicle of Higher Education and also is on the President’s Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll. The University is an equal opportunity employer (EOE) and also is subject to the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 (IRCA). Texas Lutheran University is committed to diversity.