Assistant Professor - Anatomy and Physiology

Department: School of Health Science
Type: Full-time, 12-month, tenure-track
Anticipated Start Date: Fall 2020

Stephens College seeks a dynamic and innovative student-centered educator to teach Anatomy and Physiology in the Master of Physician Assistant Studies program and undergraduate division of the School of Health Sciences. The ideal candidate will bring enthusiasm, experience and energy in the development of clinically relevant didactic basic sciences content to Stephens College graduate and undergraduate students and engage students in their research and scholarly agenda.

Responsibilities:
1. Serve as principal faculty in the Physician Assistant program teaching Human Anatomy and Physiology.
2. Academic advisement to Physician Assistant students
3. Develop and teach undergraduate Anatomy & Physiology with laboratory
4. Oversee the gross anatomy laboratory
5. Develop and pursue a research and scholarly agenda engaging undergraduate and/or graduate students
6. Provide service to the college and profession
7. Assisting in development of curricula and programs within the School of Health Sciences
8. Academic advisement to pre-health undergraduate students

Stephens College is committed to the promotion of diversity and thus the candidate should facilitate a work environment that encourages knowledge of, respect for, and ability to engage with those of other cultures or backgrounds. Candidates should have an understanding and knowledge of multicultural and diversity issues, and their potential applications to pedagogy, programming, and service activity.

Qualifications:
Essential:
1. Earned PhD in Physiology or Anatomy from an Accredited College or University
2. Experience teaching at the collegiate or university level
3. Record of research accomplishments
4. Ability to flex teaching style to a wide-variety of learners
5. Excellent collaborative and interpersonal communication skills

Highly Desired:
1. Postdoctoral research experience
2. Experience teaching anatomy and/or physiology in a graduate health sciences program
3. Experience with human cadaveric and animal specimen dissection
4. Experience in engaging undergraduate students in research opportunities

Stephens College offers excellent benefits, including vacation/holiday/sick pay, health/dental/life insurance, tuition waiver and College-paid retirement plan.
To apply:
Qualified applicants must complete an on-line Stephens College application with the following:

1. Cover letter that describes how the applicant’s qualifications and experience align with the job description.
2. Current curriculum vitae
3. List of three references with contact information

Review of applicants will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled. Employment will require a criminal background check.

Stephens College is a women’s college proudly located in Columbia, Missouri, home to a flagship public university and two private colleges. Since its founding in 1833, Stephens has been offering innovative, career-focused programs grounded in the liberal arts with a focus on creative arts and health sciences. The faculty take a hands-on, experiential approach to education, making sure students get both quality classroom instruction and external work experiences that complement their coursework. Graduates are prepared to become leaders and innovators in a rapidly changing world. Stephens also provides graduate, online and certificate programs to women and men as part of its commitment to lifelong learning.

The College community prides itself on fostering a close-knit faculty atmosphere and on providing a welcoming, learning-centered environment for students. The learning community is distinguished by small classes, close engagement with faculty, intellectual rigor and vibrant programs of study that reflect the College’s mission of Learn. Grow. Lead. Stephens College contributes to the vibrant social and cultural climate that makes Columbia, Missouri such a desirable place to live. Columbia was rated as #33 in the Top 100 Best Places to Live as rated by livability.com, and as the #21 Best Cities to Live in America by niche.com.

Stephens College is an Affirmative Action /Equal Opportunity Employer. A diverse community on campus is valued, so women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Smoke-free campus.