

Full-time Instructional Position in Chemistry University of South Alabama

The Department of Chemistry at the University of South Alabama (USA) invites applications for a full-time (9-month) non-tenure-track instructional position to begin August 15, 2024. The successful candidate must have a Master's Degree in Chemistry or a closely-related discipline (for consideration for the rank of Instructor) or Ph.D. in Chemistry or a closely-related discipline (for consideration for the rank of Assistant Professor of Instruction). Proficiency in spoken and written English is required. Expectations for this position include teaching, pedagogical development, service, and student advising. Primary instructional responsibilities will be in General Chemistry labs and lectures, and possibly in upper-division courses in the candidate's area of expertise. Candidates with teaching experience in Physical Chemistry, Inorganic Chemistry, or Biochemistry are especially encouraged to apply. Summer teaching for additional compensation may be available but is not guaranteed. The successful candidate must be able to work legally in the United States.

The University of South Alabama is a comprehensive, public institution of approximately 14,000 students located on the Gulf Coast in Mobile, Alabama. The Department of Chemistry offers an ACS-certified B.S. degree in Chemistry and a B.S. degree in Chemistry with Biochemistry emphasis. Information on the Department can be found at <http://www.southalabama.edu/chemistry>.

At USA, you will be part of a dynamic teaching environment with the opportunity to teach courses at a variety of levels. Our majors will have career aspirations that range from landing a job at a local chemical plant to teaching high school science or to furthering their education in professional or graduate schools. Over the past several years, approximately one third of our Chemistry majors have entered the work force upon graduation, another third have gone on to graduate schools, and the remaining third have been admitted to professional schools (medical, dental, etc.).

Review of applications will begin on February 29, 2024, and continue until the position is filled.

To Apply: Please apply via submission of a single PDF file containing, in this order: a letter of application, current curriculum vitae, copies of unofficial transcripts from all colleges or universities from which degrees have been earned, statement of teaching philosophy (maximum 3 pages), and contact information (email, telephone, and postal mail) for three professional references. Letters of application must indicate the rank to which you are applying (Instructor or Assistant Professor of Instruction). Statements of teaching philosophy should address the courses you are qualified to teach, how you plan to approach your teaching responsibilities both in and out of the classroom and laboratory as well as the styles in which you are comfortable teaching. References may be contacted at any time after an application is received, and candidates must arrange, upon request, for the delivery of official transcripts from all colleges or universities from which degrees were received.

Applications, questions, or inquiries should be directed to Dr. Larry Yet, Search Committee Chair, at chemfacultysearch@southalabama.edu.

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