

Assistant Professor of Chemistry

Matt Locke Ellis College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

Job Description: Henderson State University invites applications for an Assistant Professor of Chemistry, tenure track, 9-month appointment, beginning August 1, 2021. Primary duties include teaching freshman chemistry lectures and labs, and upper-level courses in an area that complements existing strengths of the department. Candidates with experience in environmental chemistry are especially encouraged. Development of a research program involving undergraduates is required.

Qualifications: Henderson State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer with a significant commitment to the achievement of excellence and diversity among its faculty, staff, and students. In pursuit of this commitment, candidates will possess a PhD in chemistry, and should demonstrate a strong commitment to undergraduate teaching, research, and engagement. Teaching experience is a plus.

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

University: Henderson State University is located in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, a charming, family-centered community of 11,000 residents situated one hour south of Little Rock, Arkansas on Interstate 30. Nestled in the foothills of the Ouachita Mountains, the community is home to two universities, a strong public school system, a thriving medical community, two recreational rivers, the iconic Lake DeGray, and is approximately 30 miles from historic Hot Springs National Park, one of the great American treasures. Please visit www.hsu.edu, www.arkadelphiaalliance.com or www.arkadelphiaschools.org for more information about Henderson State University and our community.

Department: The Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry at Henderson State University is an American Chemical Society approved program. It currently consists of 6 full-time teaching faculty positions. The department offers ACS certified degrees as well as traditional BS degree in Chemistry, and as a Biochemistry track. We graduate approximately 4 to 10 majors each year. The Department is housed in the Reynolds Science Center, with teaching and research lab space, and dedicated, modern equipment.

Application: To be considered, each applicant must provide a cover letter, vitae, unofficial undergraduate and graduate transcripts, a statement of teaching philosophy, and research plans involving undergraduates, preferably as a single pdf file, and arrange for three letters of recommendation to be sent separately.

Submit all items electronically, by June 15, 2021 to:

Ingo Schranz, PhD.
Search Committee Chair
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Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. The final candidate for this position will be required to submit to a background screening including a criminal background check pursuant to university policy. The applicant will also be required to provide official transcripts to Human Resources. Under the provisions of the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act, applications are subject to public inspection upon written request.