



Bluefield State University

Job Vacancy Announcement

Assistant or Associate Professor of Physics

(Full-time tenure-track faculty position, anticipated for Fall Semester 2025)

POSITION TITLE: Assistant or Associate Professor of Physics

JVA#: 2024-29

DEPARTMENT: Department of Applied Sciences & Mathematics, College of STEM

POSITION SUMMARY: This is a tenure-track, full-time Assistant or Associate Professor of Physics position (rank depending on qualifications). The instructor will teach Algebra-based Physics courses and their labs. In addition to that he/she will teach college-preparatory/transitional General Mathematics, College Algebra, and Trigonometry. Appointment will begin Fall Semester 2025.

RESPONSIBILITIES: All faculty positions include a minimum of a 12-credit teaching load (may include online, web-based, or interactive video instruction and/or courses at off-campus locations), academic advising, as well as participation in school committees and University governance. The preferred candidate will be able to teach both Physics and introductory-level mathematics courses. All faculty are expected to:

- Take a supportive interest in the academic progress of each of his/her students.
- Meet with his/her classes as scheduled.
- Maintain adequate office hours as assigned so that he/she may be available to the students for conferences to assist students toward achieving student success.
- Participate in the faculty-student advisory program.
- Keep abreast of his/her academic discipline through continuing study, and/or active participation in his/her professional organizations.
- Continuously strive to improve the effectiveness of his/her teaching.
- Keep accurate records of grades and other information required by the Deans, Registrar, Provost, President and any other administrator as may be appropriate.
- Attend all faculty meetings of the college and the respective school in which the faculty teaches.
- Attend commencement and convocations and to cooperate fully with the BSU Board of Governors, the President, the Provost and the Dean in promoting the interests of Bluefield State University and the respective School.

MINIMUM REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS: Applicants must have an earned Masters in Physics. Teaching experience at the college or university level is required. Experience with instructional software such as Pearson MyMathLab and/or Hawkes is also required.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. in Physics or closely related field. Experience in asynchronous online teaching. Experience in assessments. Experience in teaching both Physics and introductory based Mathematics courses.

COMPENSATION: Salary is commensurate with qualifications and experience. Position is dependent upon available funding.

THE UNIVERSITY: The mission of Bluefield State University is to provide students an affordable, accessible opportunity for public higher education. A historically black institution, Bluefield State University prepares students for diverse professions, graduate study, informed citizenship, community involvement, and public service in an ever-changing global society. More information about the University is available at www.bluefieldstate.edu

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: Completed applications are to be submitted in electronic format only to humanresources@bluefieldstate.edu and must include:

1. Letter of interest specific to the position;
2. A completed BSU Employment Application (form available at <https://www.bluefieldstate.edu/jobs>);
3. Resume/CV;
4. Contact information for at least three professional references; and
5. Transcripts (unofficial transcripts are acceptable for the application process; official transcripts will be required of the selected candidate).

NOTE: Please **do not** include photographs or any personal information (e.g. D.O.B, place of birth, etc.) on your application or supporting documents. **Bluefield State University does not provide an H1B visa or employment sponsorship.**

DATE POSTED: December 06, 2024

CLOSING DATE: The position is open until filled. For full consideration, applications must be received by 4:00 pm EST, Feb. 14, 2025. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled; however, applications received after the deadline may not receive full consideration.

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