Assistant/Associate Professor of Inorganic Materials Chemistry, Tenure-track appointment

Dependent upon academic qualifications and experience

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The Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry in the College of Science and Engineering (COSE) at St. Cloud State University has an opening for a full-time, tenure-track Assistant/Associate Professor of Inorganic Materials Chemistry. The program has 13 full-time chemistry faculty positions and offers American Chemical Society approved undergraduate degree programs and a Professional Science Master’s program in materials science and instrumentation (PSM-MSI). The department is well equipped with major instrumentation and research facilities, including access to the Integrated Science and Engineering Laboratory Facility (ISELF). More information about the College, the Department, the PSM-MSI program, and facilities can be found at http://www.stcloudstate.edu/cose/, http://www.stcloudstate.edu/chemistry/, http://www.stcloudstate.edu/graduate/psm-msi/default.aspx, and http://www.stcloudstate.edu/iself/

Primary duties include teaching undergraduate lecture and laboratory courses in inorganic chemistry, master’s level courses in materials science, and introductory chemistry courses. Candidates will be required to support the recently established PSM-MSI program. These activities may include curriculum development, marketing and recruiting, and industrial outreach. Successful candidates will be expected to engage in collaborative research involving undergraduate and master’s students and academic advising. In order to be considered for tenure and promotion, the candidate will demonstrate the ability to: teach effectively and/or perform effectively in other assignments, produce a record of scholarly or creative achievement or research, participate in continuing preparation and study, contribute to student growth and development, and provide service to the university and community.

Ph.D. in inorganic chemistry or materials science with chemistry emphasis is required at the time of appointment, while candidates with a Ph.D. in related fields may be considered.

Experience teaching lecture and laboratory courses at undergraduate and graduate level.

Ability to work with persons from culturally diverse backgrounds

Teaching experience in inorganic chemistry, materials science, and introductory chemistry courses.

Candidates who can contribute and support the Professional Science Master’s program in materials science and instrumentation (PSM-MSI).

Strong research background

Experience with academic advising

To apply for this position use the website: http://agency.governmentjobs.com/stcloudstate/default.cfm (click “Apply” within this posting to complete application)

The completed application must include:

- Cover letter
- Curriculum vitae/resume
- Contact information for three (3) current, professional references
- Copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts
- Statement of teaching philosophy
- Description of proposed research involving undergraduate and master’s students
- Statement of support of PSM-MSI program

Search Committee Chair: Sarah Petitto
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Application review begins on November 27, 2016; position is open until filled. Materials received after this date cannot be guaranteed consideration. All finalists will be required to give a seminar on their research and teach an undergraduate-level course during the interview process. Official transcripts will be required from the finalists at the time of interview.

*Employment for this position is covered by the collective bargaining agreement for the Inter Faculty Organization, which can be found at: http://www.hr.mnscu.edu/contract_plans/index.html

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