



Assistant Professor of Special Education ***(Division of Teacher Education)***

Recruitment Number: F1808

Application Deadline: Review of applications begins *immediately* and will continue until the position is filled.

The Division of Teacher Education seeks a motivated and qualified applicant with experience in Special Education to join the Division as an Assistant Professor. This is a full-time, 9-month, tenure-track position with potential summer session employment. Salary is dependent upon qualifications; excellent benefits package. The College of Education is nationally recognized for its leadership in evidence-based teacher preparation and its efforts to connect teaching and learning. Diverse candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.

Responsibilities:

- The individual hired for this position will teach graduate and undergraduate classes in face-to-face, hybrid, and online modes. The candidate will: supervise field experiences (practicum/internships and student teaching); participate in seeking external funding; and supervise students in completing professional projects, master's theses and other field studies.
- Responsibilities include student advising, program development, and committee work as required by contract. Other responsibilities will be dependent upon preparation and experience.

Required Qualifications:

- Earned doctorate in Special Education or related field. ABD candidates considered, but must have doctorate by start date.
- A minimum of 3 years of successful teaching in a pre-K-12 special education position.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Focus on low incidence/moderate to severe disabilities.
- Evidence of outstanding teaching & scholarly activity as indicated in CV and/or reference letters
- The ability to work effectively in a team and with schools/districts and other related agencies
- Ability to obtain an Oregon special education teaching license

Start Date: September 16, 2019 or earlier if mutually agreeable

Contact Information: Questions regarding this position may be directed to Maria Peterson-Ahmad, Ph.D., Search Committee Chair, at petersonahmadm@wou.edu

For more information about the College of Education, go to www.wou.edu/education. For more information about the WOU Special Education programs, go to <http://www.wou.edu/graduate/ms-ed-special-education/>.

For questions regarding the application process or to submit your application documents, please contact Human Resources at 503-838-8552 or employment@wou.edu.

Required application materials:

- A WOU Faculty Application Form (available at www.wou.edu/facultyapp)
- Letter of interest detailing how expertise and experience is aligned to required and preferred qualifications
- Current curriculum vitae including evidence of scholarly activity
- Names and contact information for three (3) references who can supply letters of recommendation at a later date
- Official copy of transcripts for highest degree

Submit Application Materials to:

F1808, Assistant Professor of Special Education, Western Oregon University,
Human Resources Office
345 N. Monmouth Ave
Monmouth, OR 97361

-OR- E-mail as an attachment to employment@wou.edu -OR- Fax to 503-838-8144.

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