



Lecturer or Senior Lecturer of Chemistry

The Department of Chemistry at UNT invites applications for two full-time, non-tenure track faculty positions at the rank of Lecturer or Senior Lecturer, to begin in August 2021. Applicants should have a Ph.D. in Chemistry or a related field. Those seeking Senior Lecturer rank should have at least three consecutive years' experience in a full-time college teaching position at the rank of Lecturer or equivalent.

The primary duties for the position will be in our high-enrollment General Chemistry and/or Organic Chemistry courses. These serve as important gateway courses for students in STEM majors and have a major impact on students' ability to attain their educational goals. The changing needs of students and the altered educational landscape in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic have greatly increased the importance of innovative and non-traditional approaches to teaching, including active-learning courses and online course delivery. The new faculty member will play an important role in developing these and other strategies for improving student learning outcomes and student success as our student population becomes ever more diverse and adapts to a changing world. The new faculty members will have opportunities to participate in departmental committees and other university service activities.

The University of North Texas (UNT) is a Carnegie R1 research university and a federally designated Hispanic-Serving Institution and Minority-Serving Institution, with a diverse population of over 40,000 students. UNT is located in Denton, [a cultural hot spot](#) on the northern edge of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex, [one of the fastest growing metropolitan areas in the country](#). The [UNT Chemistry Department](#) is a diverse community of teachers, scholars and students who share a commitment to fulfilling human potential through quality education. The selected candidate will have opportunities to interact with many established programs on campus that focus on aspects of chemistry and science education, including the Teach North Texas (TNT) teacher training program and the Texas Academy of Mathematics & Science (a residential magnet high school for high achievers). Our department has a strong tradition of collaborative and interdisciplinary research that is strongly integrated with the education of undergraduate, Master's, and doctoral students, and is currently revitalizing its historically very active Chemistry Education Ph.D. program. The UNT Chemistry Department is dedicated to creating a climate that values and promotes diversity, equity, and inclusion, and we welcome applications from people of color, women, and LGBTQ+ individuals.

Applicants should submit materials by visiting <http://jobs.untsystem.edu> and searching for posting number [F279P](#) (for Lecturer) or [F280P](#) (for Senior Lecturer). A cover letter, curriculum vitae, a statement of teaching philosophy, and a diversity statement are requested. In addition, please supply names and contact information for three professional references, and arrange for reference letters to be emailed to chemjobs@unt.edu with "Lecturer" or "Senior Lecturer" in the email subject line. Evaluation of applications will begin on December 15, 2020 and will continue until the position has been filled.

For more information, please visit websites for the UNT College of Science <https://cos.unt.edu/> and the Department of Chemistry <https://chemistry.unt.edu/>.

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