Three positions: Lecturer with Potential for Security of Employment

College of Biological Sciences
University of California Davis

The College of Biological Sciences invites applications for three full-time positions in the Lecturer with Potential for Security of Employment (LPSOE) series. Faculty in LPSOE positions are members of the academic senate and are eligible for promotion to Lecturer with Security of Employment (LSOE), the equivalent of tenure for ladder rank faculty. We are targeting the following areas of focus within three different academic departments: The Department of Molecular and Cellular Biology (MCB); The Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics (MMG); and the Department of Neurobiology, Physiology, and Behavior (NPB).

- Biochemistry and molecular biology (MCB)
- Microbial Biology (MMG)
- Physiology, cell biology, cell signaling and anatomy (NPB)

Applicants may apply to more than one area of focus. Successful applicants will be responsible for teaching, curricular development, evaluation of teaching effectiveness, and assessment of existing courses and of our undergraduate major programs of study. They will also be expected to play a leadership role in the scholarship of teaching and learning, working with other faculty to develop, implement and assess new pedagogical initiatives, as well as developing new courses. Qualified applicants must have a Ph.D., preferably with postdoctoral training in one or more of the above fields. Other preferred qualifications include documented success in some or all of the following areas: teaching large undergraduate classes; use of evidence based teaching practices; use of modern instructional technology; ability to identify and develop effective teaching strategies for diverse student populations; conducting science education research.

Applicants should submit materials online at https://recruit.ucdavis.edu/apply/JPF00418. These materials must include: a cover letter, including which area(s) of focus to be considered, curriculum vitae, description of research experience (2 pages) and statement of instructional experience and teaching philosophy (up to 3 pages). Applicants should also arrange to have three referees submit supporting letters online at the above website. Closing Date: Open until filled, but all application materials, including letters of recommendation, must be received by December 1, 2014, to be assured full consideration. The University of California is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.