

Kelowna, British Columbia Posting No. C000957

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Position Title:

College Professor - Physics and Astronomy

Competition Number: C000957

Division/Portfolio: Science, Technology and Health

Department/Program: Physics & Astronomy

Campus/Centre: Kelowna

Position Summary:

The role and responsibilities of a faculty member focus on the activities related to teachers, academics and scholars. They include but are not limited to an awareness of current scholarship and continuing mastery in one's field, instructional and professional duties, professional development, and service. In addition, duties and responsibilities may include scholarly activity.

Education and Experience:

The minimum qualification is a Master's degree, or an equivalent level credential as appropriate for the discipline. Independent, post-secondary or public school work experience directly related to the duty assignment. Graduate level training that enables sole responsibility for teaching undergraduate students in the area directly related to the teaching assignment. Experience demonstrating a learner-centered teaching philosophy is desired. An active profile in scholarship, research and creative activity is preferred.

Skills and Abilities:

Designs and teaches a course with regard for learning outcomes

Teaches in a variety of modes, including lecture, discussion, active student involvement and laboratory work as appropriate

Interested in use of appropriate technological aids in instruction

Open to feedback from others on ways to improve teaching and related activities

Knowledgeable about the subject matter of the teaching area and able to teach the subject matter at a post-secondary level

Maintains currency and vitality in one's discipline through professional activities, professional development and/or scholarship

Interested in course and program development

Collegial and willing to work constructively with others

Comfortable in a computerized environment and with programs relevant to instruction and academic discipline



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Preferred Qualifications:

The Physics & Astronomy department is seeking part-time to full-time term College Professors. The successful candidate will be expected to teach lectures and laboratories for 1st and 2nd year Physics courses.

The ideal candidate will have an exceptional teaching record with a demonstrated learner-centered teaching philosophy. An active profile in scholarship, research, and creative activity will be considered an asset. The successful applicant will be an important member of a Physics & Astronomy department that is committed to excelling in meeting the needs of students, and will help Okanagan College realize the promise of a world-class college.

Appointment Type:

Faculty - Full-time Term

Appointment Start Date: 08/19/2019

Appointment End Date: 04/29/2020

Schedule:

- Fall semester term dates
- Full time: August 19 December 20, 2019
- Part time: August 26 December 20, 2019
- Winter semester term dates
- Full time: January 2 April 29, 2020
- Part time: January 2 April 29, 2020

The position is based in Kelowna. However, travel to teach courses on other campuses may be required.

Annual Salary/Hourly Rate:

Salary placement is dependent upon qualifications and experience.

Special Instructions to Applicants:

For inquiries of an academic nature, please contact Robert Stutz of the Physics & Astronomy Department at rstutz@okanagan.bc.ca

Posting Opening Date

02/26/2019

Posting Closing Date 04/28/2019

APPLICATIONS:

To apply for this position, please go to the following website: <u>https://www.employmentopportunities.okanagan.bc.ca</u> and complete an on-line application.