Position Available
Director
Center for Integrative Studies in
Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (CISSTEM)

The University of South Alabama invites applications for the Director of its Center for Integrative Studies in STEM. A joint venture among the Colleges of Education, Arts & Sciences, and Engineering, CISSTEM promotes action research and innovative approaches to understanding learning in mathematics and science and the integration of educational practices in the teaching of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

Applicants must have an earned doctorate and be eligible for appointment to the faculty in the College of Education at a rank commensurate with previous experience and qualifications in math and/or science education or one of the STEM disciplines. The successful applicant will have: an outstanding record of scholarly activity, including refereed publications and external funding; teaching and administrative experience at the university or school level; demonstrated ability to work collaboratively across colleges and in partnership with school districts and local business and community organizations; and excellent administrative, organizational, and interpersonal skills.

Primary responsibilities include: providing leadership in the development and implementation of a vision for the Center; managing an active program of research and external funding for the Center; teaching undergraduate and graduate courses; developing innovative programs with post-secondary institutions, schools, and businesses to improve math, science, and engineering education; leading recruitment and mentoring of STEM faculty; and service on department, college, and university committees.

Application procedure: Initial review of applications will begin November 7, 2014 and will continue until the position is filled. Starting date for the appointment is anticipated to be January 1, 2015 but no later than August 15, 2015. To ensure full consideration please submit a letter of application addressed to the qualifications, including a vision statement for the Center, a curriculum vitae, reprints of three publications, and names, office addresses, email addresses, and phone numbers of three professional references. Official transcripts and three current letters of recommendation will be required of individuals invited to campus for an interview. Send all application materials to CISSTEM Search Committee, College of Education, University Commons 3600, University of South Alabama, Mobile, AL 36688-0002. Inquiries should be directed to Dr. Andre Green at telephone (251) 380-2892 or email: green@southalabama.edu.

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