



POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Position: Full-Time Faculty (Chemistry)
Department: Mathematics and Physical Sciences
Reports To: Dean, College of Arts and Sciences

Madonna University invites applications for a full-time (9 month) faculty position, beginning in August 2023.

Madonna University is a Franciscan, Catholic co-educational liberal arts university located in Livonia, Michigan, a western suburb of the metropolitan Detroit area. The growing student body of over 2,000 students is an exciting and diverse mix of traditional and non-traditional students representing all ages and ethnicities. Teaching is of primary importance and faculty are expected to actively participate in university governance, academic affairs and scholarship.

The Department of Mathematics and Physical Sciences provides foundational science instruction in chemistry, earth and space sciences, environmental science, mathematics, natural science, and physics for several majors across the University. We have five full-time faculty members who are supported by qualified and committed adjuncts. Our programs are distinctive and our faculty are committed to student success. Housed in the College of Arts and Sciences, the Department enjoys collaborative relationships with colleagues throughout the University. Modern labs are located in an award-winning green-building.

Responsibilities include a primary focus on teaching, including lecture and laboratory courses such as General Chemistry, Quantitative Analysis, Advanced Inorganic Chemistry, Physical Chemistry, and Instrumental Analysis, ongoing scholarly activity, engaging in student-centered research projects; coordinating curriculum review, student recruitment and advising; conducting regular inventory of chemicals for laboratory instruction, procuring chemistry lab equipment and supplies within the program's budget, supervising chemistry student lab assistants, assisting with lab safety for students and faculty, coordinating disposal of chemical waste and hazards, assisting in the implementation of review sessions for chemistry education majors and minors; conducting program assessment and evaluation; serving as the faculty mentor for the newly created Chemistry club, and actively participating in University governance and academic life.

Qualifications include an earned Ph.D. in Chemistry from an accredited school; evidence of successful teaching at the University level; evidence of scientific publications, a commitment to working collaboratively within the Madonna University community; and strong interpersonal communication skills. Candidates with successful experience teaching and performing administrative duties at the University level will be a valued asset.

The successful candidate will articulate a commitment to the University's mission, a collaborative and collegial workplace culture, the character and goals of a liberal arts university with a Catholic perspective and will contribute to a collective vision for advancing the Mathematics and Physical Sciences Department and professions through a student-centered philosophy of science education.

Rank and Salary are at the Assistant or Associate Professor level and are commensurate with academic qualifications and experience. Excellent benefits. Free and close parking.

Review of applications will begin as applications are received and continue until the position is filled. Interested applicants should submit a letter of intent describing qualifications and teaching philosophy, curriculum vitae and contact information of three references to:

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Madonna University is a Catholic institution founded by the Felician Sisters, and guided by the values of St. Francis. Candidates must be committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship, and service, and support the Mission of the University. We are an equal opportunity employer committed to a culturally diverse workforce. Candidates must be legally authorized to work in the United States. Verification of employment eligibility will be required at the time of hire. Thank you for your interest in employment opportunities at Madonna University.