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POSITION OPENING**

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Pennsylvania College of Technology
One College Avenue
Williamsport, PA 17701

Pennsylvania College of Technology is located in Williamsport, a family-oriented community, ideally situated along the Susquehanna River at the foot of Bald Eagle Mountain in North Central Pennsylvania, within 200 miles of New York City, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington D.C. Penn College is Pennsylvania's premier technical college and an affiliate of The Pennsylvania State University. More than 6,500 students are enrolled in Penn College's bachelor and associate degree and certificate majors, which combine hands-on experience with theory and management education.

Full-time Faculty, Forestry

Reports to:

Dean of Natural Resources Management

Duties and Responsibilities:

The faculty will be responsible for educational leadership, student instruction, and student advising in Forest Technology. Specifically, this person will:

- Instruct and evaluate students in the areas of forest utilization, sawmilling, forest mensuration, harvesting, surveying, GPS/GIS, dendrology, forest botany, forest protection, recreation, ecology, silviculture, and wildlife. (Essential)
- Develop, coordinate, and supervise laboratory and field experience activities. (Essential)
- Advise, schedule, and maintain accurate records on students. (Essential)
- Maintain office hours according to contractual guidelines. (Essential)
- Write and update course syllabi; assist with curriculum review, revision, and development. (Essential)
- Engage in professional development and technological upgrading activities. (Essential)
- Contribute to the betterment of the College through School committee participation. (Essential)
- Contribute to the betterment of the College through College-wide committee participation. (Marginal)
- Assist with the preparation of grant proposals and follow-up activities. (Marginal)
- Develop and maintain industry contacts. (Essential)
- Assist students with identifying employment opportunities. (Essential)
- Assist with call back days and program recruitment activities. (Essential)
- Maintain a high degree of confidentiality with regard to any and all information as a direct or indirect result of job responsibilities/job functions. (Essential)
- Perform other appropriate job-related duties as assigned by the Dean. (Marginal)

Qualifications:

Minimum

- *Master's Degree in Forestry or related discipline.
- *Five (5) years of practical work experience in the industry.
- *Competence in oral and written communications.
- *Demonstrated sensitivity to diversity and multicultural issues.
- *Ability to produce targeted outcomes while involving students and supporting the learning process.
- *Sensitivity to the expectations of students, faculty, staff, advisory committee, and supervisor.
- *Demonstrated success in the field of forestry and command of the subject area.
- *Must possess a valid driver's license.
- *Finalists for this position must present a sample lesson.

Minimum (Continued)

- *Candidates for teaching positions must be fluent in the English language (oral and written) - English Fluency in Higher Education Act. (Pennsylvania Senate Bill 539/Act No. 76)
- *Background check will be required on selected candidate.

Desired

- *College/university teaching experience.

Machines, Tools, Equipment:

- *Requisite tools of the trade

Special Job Features:

- *Ability to travel over rough terrain.
- *Ability to lift 60 lbs.
- *Duties may include some regular evening classes.
- *Assignment will be located at the Earth Science Center with field experience in the surrounding community.

Conditions of Employment:

The wages, hours, and terms and conditions of employment for full-time teaching faculty, counselors and librarians (all regular College funded positions and certain grant/contract funded positions) are determined by the negotiated Agreement between Pennsylvania College of Technology and the Penn College Education Association.

Federal law requires all employers to verify the identity and employment eligibility of all new hires and the completion of an Employment Eligibility Verification (Form I-9) by the candidate and the employer. Any offer of employment shall be contingent on the applicant's timely production of required documentation to verify identity and employment eligibility. If you cannot or will not be able to produce the required documentation, we cannot consider your application.

If you are currently receiving an annuity from the State or Public School Employees' Retirement System, employment at Pennsylvania College of Technology may affect your annuity status. If you are currently a member of either the State or Public School Employees' Retirement System you may be required to contribute into the System.

Salary and Academic Rank:

Commensurate with credentials submitted as applied to the College's Faculty Salary System and established criteria for faculty rank. As a point of reference, the salary range for 21 new full-time faculty hired in various disciplines throughout the College for the 2009/2010 academic year is \$42,635 to \$68,260.

Starting Date:

Fall 2010 semester, which starts August 12, 2010

Deadline for Application:

Applicants must submit a completed College Application for Employment AND a letter of interest and resume to: Human Resources, Pennsylvania College of Technology, One College Avenue, Williamsport, PA 17701. Position will remain open until a suitable candidate is identified. Please include title of position on your application form and in your letter of interest. Penn College is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity, and the diversity of its workforce. For further information on this position call (570) 327-4770. Information on additional Penn College employment opportunities can be obtained by calling the Position Openings Hotline at (570) 327-4535 or extension 4535.

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