

**Assistant Professor of Biology (Secondary Biology Education) (17-60)**

**Tenure-track position** in secondary biology education, starting January 2018. A successful candidate will have a strong commitment to undergraduate teaching in a liberal arts setting. Candidate must have positive public school experience teaching secondary biology and an established record of, or potential for: performance based teaching and instructional application of technology. **Responsibilities include:** teach undergraduate students in science education and other biology courses; supervise field-based experiences; **scholarly activity**; serve on department/university committees; advise students; and participate in professional service. We are seeking individuals with broad experiences and interests who will contribute to the diversity of our department. This position is a 9-month contract.

Francis Marion University is a state-supported, regional, liberal arts university which also has three professional schools; Business, Education, and Health Sciences. The university provides support for research, conference travel, and summer research stipends all on a competitive basis. Francis Marion University is located in sunny Florence, South Carolina; a growing city with a vibrant arts culture. The campus is within easy driving distance of the state capital; Columbia, Myrtle Beach, and other areas of interest, including Charleston, Hilton Head, Greenville-Spartanburg, Atlanta, Georgia, Savannah, Georgia, and Charlotte, North Carolina.

**FMU Requirements:** Earned doctorate in Biology from an accredited institution. A minimum of three years public school teaching experience required. ABD with imminent completion date will be considered. Competence in program assessment and experience working in a Professional Development Schools (PDS) setting preferred.

**Materials Needed:** 1) Letter of interest (referencing position #17-60) outlining your teaching experience and research interests 2) curriculum vitae, 3) FMU Faculty Application, 4) three letters of reference (may be sent separately), and 5 copies of all transcripts (official transcripts will be required of the successful candidate).

**Send Application Packet to:** Dr. Charlene Wages, Vice President for Administration, Francis Marion University, PO Box 100547, Florence, SC 29502-0547.

Minorities and women are strongly encouraged to apply. Position to begin January 2018. Review of applications will begin July 1, 2017 and will continue until position is filled.

[Click here for The Francis Marion University Faculty Application form.](#)

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