



Assistant Professor, Biochemistry

The Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry at the University of Northern Iowa invites applications for a tenure-track appointment in Biochemistry at the rank of Assistant Professor. The department has approximately 130 students majoring in chemistry or biochemistry and offers ACS-certified BS degrees, as well as three BA degrees, in both disciplines. The successful candidate will be capable of teaching biochemistry and core chemistry courses. The department is interested in candidates with research interests in experimental biochemistry that complement current research areas in the department. For additional information about the department, visit <https://chemistry.uni.edu>.

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Required qualifications include a Ph.D. in chemistry, biochemistry, or closely related field. Additional requirements include a commitment to development of an active research program involving undergraduate students and leading to publications; a willingness to seek outside funding; and demonstrated written and oral communication skills. Successful candidate must be able to teach classes in biochemistry and core chemistry courses. Preference will be given to candidates with post-doctoral experience.

Applications received by Nov. 17, 2017, will receive full consideration. To apply, visit <http://jobs.uni.edu/>. Inquiries may be sent to search chair Ira Simet, Ira.Simet@uni.edu or 319-273-2130. Pre-employment background checks required. Official graduate transcripts for the successful candidate will be required. Applicants must submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, unofficial copies of undergraduate and graduate transcripts, a statement of teaching philosophy, a statement of research plans including plans for involvement of undergraduates, and the names and contact information of three references.

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