



POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Assistant Professor of Health and Physical Education Department of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation

Teachers College, Henderson

Job Description: Assistant Professor of Health and Physical Education, nine-month tenure-track position beginning August 2022. The successful candidate will teach a variety of undergraduate courses in physical education, including physical education methods for elementary, middle level, and high school students, ethics and coaching theory, measurement and evaluation of physical education, and adapted physical education. The candidate is expected to have experience preparing and supervising teacher interns in field/practicum settings and be able to adapt to hybrid or online environments. Additional duties include academic advising, research and scholarship, university service, collaboration, assessment-related activities, promotion of the program and the university, and other duties as assigned by the department chair. Opportunities to teach courses in the Health and Human Performance degree and/or graduate Sport Administration program may be available.

Qualifications: Henderson State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer with a significant commitment to the achievement of excellence and diversity among its faculty, staff, and students. In pursuit of this commitment, candidates will possess an earned doctorate (ABD considered) in physical education, health sciences, or a related field from a regionally accredited institution. Experience in college teaching, advising, and use of instructional technology and innovative teaching strategies is desired. The successful applicant will demonstrate strong interpersonal skills, a commitment to professionalism and collaboration, and excellent organizational and communication skills.

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

University: Henderson State University is located in Arkadelphia, Arkansas, a charming, family-centered community of 11,000 residents situated one hour south of Little Rock, Arkansas on Interstate 30. Nestled in the foothills of the Ouachita Mountains, the community is home to two universities, a strong public school system, a thriving medical community, two recreational rivers, the iconic Lake DeGray, and is approximately 30 miles from historic Hot Springs National Park, one of the great American treasures. Please visit www.hsu.edu, www.arkadelphiaalliance.com or www.arkadelphiaschools.org for more information about Henderson State University and our community.

Department: The HPER department currently serves nearly 300 majors and offers a graduate degree in Sport Administration. Four primary undergraduate degrees include physical education, health/human performance, sport management, and recreation with emphasis areas in natural resources, leisure/hospitality, and tourism/event planning.

Application: A complete application packet will include a letter of interest; current curriculum vitae, including scholarship activities; a statement of teaching philosophy; and contact information for at least three references. Applicants should email documents to the search committee chair as pdf files.

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Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until filled. The applicant selected for the positions will be required to submit to background screenings including criminal background checks pursuant to university policy. New faculty will also be required to provide official transcripts to Human Resources. Under the provisions of the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act, applications are subject to public inspection upon written request.