

California State University, Los Angeles

The Department of Biological Sciences, California State University, Los Angeles, seeks to fill a tenure-track position in Cellular Microbiology beginning Fall, 2016. A Ph.D. or equivalent degree in Microbiology/Molecular Biology or related field from an accredited institution of higher education is required, with a minimum of one year of relevant post-doctoral experience. The applicant must: possess scholarly and professional competence as demonstrated by a strong record of research publications, as well as demonstrated potential for effective teaching with high academic standards using a variety of methodologies; perform cutting edge research in cellular microbiology, with preference given to individuals focusing on virology; be interested in mentoring and working closely with undergraduate and Master's program graduate students both in the classroom and in research; and to be willing to participate actively in course and curriculum development. The applicant must also be able to teach college-level coursework in virology and molecular diagnostics, medical microbiology, and gene manipulation. In addition to teaching lower and upper division undergraduate and Master's program graduate courses in both departments, duties include providing academic advisement to students, participation in curriculum development, and developing a productive, externally funded research program involving undergraduate and Master's students. Preference will be given to individuals with research interests in virology and college level teaching experience in virology and molecular diagnostics. Preference will be given to individuals with demonstrated potential for securing external grant support. Preference will be given to individuals with a Clinical Laboratory Scientist license. Submit electronically, compiled in one single pdf file, a letter of application, curriculum vitae, statement of research plans, statement of teaching philosophy, a copy of unofficial transcripts, and the University's Application for Academic Employment form (http://www.calstatela.edu/univ/hrm/docs/forms/Empl_applic_academic.pdf) to eporter@calstatela.edu. In addition, arrange for three letters of recommendation and official transcripts to be sent to Search Committee – Cellular Microbiologist, Department of Biological Sciences, California State University, Los Angeles, 5151 State University Drive, Los Angeles, CA 90032. The recommenders may send their letters electronically. Review of completed applications will begin September 15, 2015 and continue until position is filled. Position Announcement: http://web.calstatela.edu/academic/position/2014_nss/bio_ttf_cell_micro.php.