



MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, Tennessee STEM Education Center (TSEC)

MTSU seeks candidates who are committed to excellence and innovative teaching and robust research activity. We also seek to attract a culturally and academically diverse faculty who value working with a diverse student body.

Required Education: An earned doctorate in STEM, STEM education discipline, or related field by appointment date.

Other Desirable:

Candidates who possess any of the following will receive special consideration:

- Undergraduate or graduate degree in chemistry and or expertise chemistry education research at the postsecondary level
- Exemplary written and oral communication skills
- Experience in writing proposals for external funding to support research and outreach efforts
- Experience mentoring and supervising junior researchers, such as graduate or undergraduate research assistants.
- Able to interact effectively with internal and external stakeholders and partners.
- Organizational and time management abilities.

Salary and Benefits

Salary commensurate with education and experience. Additionally, MTSU provides its employees with a comprehensive benefits package that includes the following:

- Health, dental vision and life insurance as well as several other optional benefits plans.
- Retirement savings programs that includes your choice of two plans as well as three compensation saving plans; mandatory 5% employee program
- An Employee Assistance Program
- Educational Assistance Programs
- Sick leave

Direct Link to Application: <https://mtsujobs.mtsu.edu/postings/8630>

Job Open Date: 8/26/2019

Job Review Date for Optimal Consideration 09/10/2019

Is this position Grant Funded? Yes

In order to successfully apply, applicants are required to include a cover letter explaining relevant background and interest in one or more of the TSEC research projects, detailed curriculum vitae, and two (2) writing samples where the applicant is the primary author (including but not limited to: manuscripts, dissertation chapters, conference papers, book chapters, monographs, and research proposals). Both samples are to be attached as "Other Document." ADDITIONALLY, application must provide unofficial transcripts at the time of application. Transcripts should all be included as Other Document 2"

Below you will find the details for the position including any supplementary documentation and questions you should review before applying for the opening.

Please see Special Instructions for more details.

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Special Instruction to Applicants

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As a part of application submitted, applicants will be required to provide names and contact information for three PROFESSIONAL recommenders (external to MTSU preferred) during your application to the posting. If you are approved for the candidate pool, our online hiring system will automatically generate solicitation for these letters using contact information you provided.

The letters of recommendation and should be returned via the link provided in the solicitation email. Letters must be current and specific to the job posting and may not be provided from a general dossier

Additional Information:

Application received by posted Review date will receive full consideration. However, applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Proof of U.S. citizenship or eligibility for U.S. employment will be required prior to employment (Immigration Control Act of 1986) Clery Act crime statistics for MTSU available at <http://www.mtsu.edu/police/does/2018> Annual Security Report.pdf or by contacting MTSU Public Safety at (615) 898-2424

MTSU is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer that values diversity in all its forms. Women, minorities, individuals with disabilities and protected veterans are encouraged to apply.

MTSU is a Tobacco & Drug Free Campus.

Pre-Employment information

This position requires a criminal background check. Therefore, you may be required to provide information about your criminal history in order to be considered for this position.

Job Category: Faculty –Temp
Job Type: Full Time

Academic Resources

Letters of 3-5 professional recommendation (not personal) letters will be submitted via the uniquely assigned link and per the instructions included in the solicitation email automatically generated if/ when the recommendation are required. Generic Letters stored on a third party site will not be accepted.

Special Instructions to Reference Provider:

Letters Should be addressed to Dr. Gregory Rushton, TSEC Director, at tsec@mtsu.edu