

Academic Unit:	Biochemistry
Category of Appointment:	Preliminary (Confirmation-Track)
Rank/Position Title:	Instructor I
Start Date:	September 1, 2020
Closing Date:	April 30, 2020

About the Position:

The Institute of Biochemistry at Carleton University invites applications from qualified candidates for a confirmation-track appointment in Biochemistry at the rank of Instructor I beginning September 1, 2020

The successful applicant is expected to possess excellent communication skills and provide inspiring instruction in Biochemistry courses. The candidate will be responsible for: 1) teaching existing Undergraduate Biochemistry courses, 2) developing Biochemistry courses in their area of expertise, and 3) providing guidance to students in our biochemistry programs. The ideal candidate will be motivated to network with regional educators and researchers in academia, government and industry to enhance Biochemistry teaching and promote the Institute's commitment to experiential learning.

Qualifications:

The successful candidate must have a Ph.D. in Biochemistry, or a related field, with some postdoctoral or other relevant research or teaching experience in Biochemistry. The successful candidate will be dedicated to and have an aptitude for teaching undergraduate courses. Previous teaching history, course development experience, and knowledge of modern evidence-based approaches to teach undergraduate science will be considered assets.

Application Instructions:

Application materials should be sent electronically as one PDF file to BioChem@carleton.ca to the attention of: Chair, Search Committee for Instructor Position in Biochemistry, Institute of Biochemistry, Room 209, Nesbitt Biology Building, 1125 Colonel By Drive, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 5B6 Canada. The closing date for application is April 30, 2019.

The electronic PDF file should include the following: a cover letter, the names and contact information for three referees, a curriculum vitae, a statement of teaching philosophy outlining pedagogical approaches, and a list of Biochemistry courses you would be interested in teaching. Existing course descriptions can be found at:

<https://calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/courses/BIOC/>

<https://calendar.carleton.ca/undergrad/undergradprograms/biochemistry/>

Please indicate in your application if you are a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.

About the Academic Unit:

The Institute of Biochemistry at Carleton University has research and teaching strengths in most areas of biochemistry, cell biology and the molecular life sciences. Our facilities include molecular biology and biochemistry research labs in both the Departments of Biology and Chemistry, plus well-equipped teaching laboratories. Faculty within the Institute of Biochemistry have close research interactions with several government agencies, industries and organizations within the National Capital Region.

Please consult the following web sites for more information about Carleton University and the Institute of Biochemistry: <https://carleton.ca/> and <https://carleton.ca/biochem/>.

About Carleton University:

Carleton University is a dynamic and innovative research and teaching institution with a national and international reputation as a leader in collaborative teaching and learning, research and governance. With over 30,000 students in more than 100 programs of study, we encourage creative risk-taking, discovery, and the generation of transformative knowledge. We are proud to be one of the most accessible campuses in North America. Carleton's Paul Menton Centre for Students with Disabilities has been heralded as the gold standard for disability support services in Canada.

Carleton's location in Ottawa, Ontario provides many opportunities for scholarship and research with numerous and diverse groups and institutions. Canada's capital has a population of almost one million and reflects the country's bilingual and multicultural character. To learn more about our university and the City of Ottawa, please visit www.carleton.ca/about.

Carleton University is committed to fostering diversity within its community as a source of excellence, cultural enrichment, and social strength. We welcome those who would contribute to the further diversification of our university including, but not limited to: women; visible minorities; First Nations, Inuit and Métis peoples; persons with disabilities; and persons of any sexual orientation, gender identity and/or expression. Carleton understands that career paths vary. Legitimate career interruptions will in no way prejudice the assessment process and their impact will be carefully considered.

Applicants selected for an interview are asked to contact the Chair as soon as possible to discuss any accommodation requirements. Arrangements will be made in a timely manner.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. All positions are subject to budgetary approval.