



Position Opening

The Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology, founded in 1908, is a private, two-year technical college located in Boston's South End. The college is proud of its long tradition of educating students who aspire to advance themselves in a technical field. We provide our students with the technical and professional skills that will create a foundation for success, civic responsibility and life-long learning, adhering to the principles put forth by our benefactor, Benjamin Franklin.

Title: Instructor
Reports To: Department Chair
Department: Mathematics and Physics
Status: Full Time Faculty

Position Overview:

The Benjamin Franklin Institute of Technology invites passionate educators to apply for the position of full-time faculty in the Department of Mathematics and Physics. The faculty member will serve predominantly as an instructor for mathematics courses at the developmental level and may be asked to teach math courses through Calculus or Statistics. Some developmental math courses at the college are run using an emporium model, and the instructor should be interested in working with the department to assess and refine this model. Through teaching, participating in institutional initiatives, and pursuing professional development, the faculty member contributes to the mission, outcomes, and strategic plan of the department and the college.

Key Responsibilities:

- Demonstrate effective teaching in lecture-based and emporium –based courses including, preparation, meeting course goals, organization and presentation of material, student involvement, and classroom management.
- Meet all departmental responsibilities as assigned by Chair regarding teaching, assessment, curriculum development, collaboration with other instructors, evaluation, participation in departmental and college-wide meetings and activities, annual reporting.
- Work closely with the Chair of the Department of Academic Development.
- Provide additional academic support to students outside the classroom, through tutoring and one-on-one instruction. Work with students to foster a strong academic and professional foundation, based on accountability, time management and study skills.
- Uphold academic and community standards as outlined in the faculty and student handbooks.
- Effectively collaborate with other BFIT departments (i.e., academic, student affairs, enrollment, library) for the mutual benefit of all.
- (Other duties as required).

Qualifications:

- The successful candidate will have:
 - An earned master's degree from a recognized college or university with major study in the field or related field in which the person is teaching.
 - Two years experience successfully teaching developmental mathematics.
 - Strong analytical, organizational, and communication skills, both written and verbal.
- The preferred candidate will have:
 - Content knowledge of mathematics beyond the developmental curriculum.
 - Experience using technology to engage students in the learning process.
 - Experience working with students from diverse academic, socio-economic and cultural backgrounds.

Type of Appointment (if applicable):

Full-time nine-month faculty appointment, beginning August 28, 2013. Salary range is \$36,000 to \$40,000. Additional compensation is available for tutoring and courses taught during the summer sessions (when available).

Application Process: Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and the names, titles, telephone numbers, and email addresses of two references. Review of applications will begin immediately. All applications should be sent to: James Johanson, Chair, Mathematics and Physics Department, at jjohanson@bfit.edu.

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