The University of North Texas Department of Biomedical Engineering Endowed Engineering Professorship

The University of North Texas (UNT) invites applications for the Endowed Engineering Professorship in the Department of Biomedical Engineering (BMEN). We are looking for candidates with research accomplishments in one or more of the following areas: biomaterials, tissue engineering, biomechanics, or neuro-engineering.

The Department of Biomedical Engineering, established in 2014, is the newest department in the College of Engineering at UNT. It offers the BS and MS degrees, and also offers PhD degrees as biomedical concentrations in Materials Science and Engineering and Mechanical and Energy Engineering.

The candidate for the Endowed Engineering Professorship in Biomedical Engineering is expected to teach BME undergraduate and graduate courses, develop a strong research program funded by external sources, support and mentor graduate students, and provide service to the University and the profession. Minimum qualifications include an earned doctorate in biomedical engineering or a closely related field, a sustained record of providing mentoring to junior faculty, advising graduate students, providing service to the University and profession, securing external funding for research activities, as well as current, active research grants. The candidate's record should enable her or him or her to obtain tenure at the Full Professor level.

This being the first hire for the BMEN department, we are looking for a candidate who has an entrepreneurial spirit, is willing to build a research group around his or her research interests, and help establish and grow a new department and degree programs.

The University is offering substantial support in existing and planned-for facilities, equipment, start-up funding, and future additional faculty support. The aspiration is to make BMEn one of the top departments at the University of North Texas, and the Endowed Professor will play a major role in this.

Application Procedure:

All applicants must apply online to: https://facultyjobs.unt.edu. Submit nominations and questions regarding the position (system identification number 6001173) to Dr. Rick Reidy (maria.puig@unt.edu).

Application Deadline:

The committee will begin its review of applications on November 1, 2015 and continue to accept and review applications until the position are filled.

The University:

As the nation's 24th largest public university and the largest, most comprehensive in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, UNT is dedicated to providing an excellent educational experience to its 36,000 students while powering the North Texas region, state and nation through innovative education and research. A student-focused public research university with an emphasis on sustainability, UNT graduated 8,700 students last year from its 12 colleges and schools and offers 98 bachelor's, 82 master's and 36 doctoral degree programs, many nationally and internationally recognized. UNT's ultimate mission is to give a green light to greatness by helping its students, region, state and nation excel. UNT is strategically located in Denton, Texas, a vibrant city with a lively arts and music culture, at the northern end of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex. The DFW area has more than six million people, with significant economic growth, numerous industrial establishments, and excellent school districts.

The University of North Texas is an AA/ADA/EOE committed to diversity in its educational programs.