

Youngstown

STATE UNIVERSITY

FACULTY

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Youngstown State University is a state-assisted, urban institution of higher education which primarily, but not exclusively, serves the students of northeastern Ohio and western Pennsylvania.

The University has an enrollment of approximately 13,200 (head-count) in a wide variety of programs ranging from 2-year associate degrees to the Doctor of Education degree.

Schools and colleges of Youngstown State University include:

- College of Business Administration
- College of Education
- College of Fine and Performing Arts
- College of Health and Human Services
- College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences
- College of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics
- School of Graduate Studies and Research

The campus, located north of downtown Youngstown, is compact and carefully designed, with most of the major structures being new or recently renovated. The Physical Plant is valued at approximately \$320 million.

The city of Youngstown is located between Cleveland and Pittsburgh. The Youngstown-Warren area has a population in excess of 500,000 and offers the usual amenities of urban living but few of the problems of the big city. All types of housing are available within a 30-minute drive of the campus, and housing costs in the Youngstown area are significantly lower than in most metropolitan areas.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY invites applications for the faculty position described below.

DEPARTMENT: Chemistry

COLLEGE: College of Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics (STEM)

RANK: Assistant Professor

SALARY: Commensurate with qualifications and experience

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. in Chemistry, Biochemistry or closely allied field with postdoctoral experience preferred.

DATE AVAILABLE: August 18, 2008

OTHER INFORMATION RELEVANT TO THIS POSITION:

Successful candidates will be expected to establish a vigorous externally funded research program involving undergraduate and graduate (M.S.) students. Research specialization will complement current faculty interests in the Chemistry and Biological Sciences Departments; will lie near the interface of bioorganic chemistry, biochemistry, and physical/structural methods; and will support teaching in core courses in both Biochemistry and Organic Chemistry in addition to the candidate's research specialty. The YSU Chemistry Department is one of the largest MS-granting departments in the United States and is home to excellent NMR, X-Ray Diffraction, and other instrumentation facilities (<http://www.as.ysu.edu/chem/scic/index.html>). This is a tenure-track position.

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: Applications received by February 1, 2008 will receive full consideration; however, review of applications will continue until position is filled.

Applications must include: (1) cover letter, (2) curriculum vita, (3) copy of transcript(s)* documenting academic qualifications for this position, (4) statements of research plans and teaching philosophy, and (5) three letters of reference to:

BioMolecular Chemistry Search Chairperson
 Department of Chemistry
 Youngstown State University
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 Youngstown OH 44555-0001
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**NOTE: Youngstown State University recognizes only credits and degrees awarded by regionally accredited post-secondary institutions in the United States or by equivalent foreign institutions; accredited institutions can be found at <http://www.chea.org>. Exceptions may be approved by the Provost. As a term and condition of appointment, an official transcript must be received by Human Resources prior to a contract being issued. Position finalists will be required to complete a formal application and to submit three letters of reference prior to an on-campus interview. The selected candidate will also be required to sign a release for an employment background check and credential verification.*

YSU IS AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER COMMITTED TO INCREASING THE DIVERSITY OF ITS FACULTY, STAFF AND STUDENTS.

Information regarding campus safety at YSU, mandated by the Clery Act, is available at the following YSU web site: <http://www.ysu.edu/righttk.pdf> or you may request a copy of "Your Right to Know" from the Office of Human Resources, 3rd Floor, Jones Hall, 330-941-3122.