

Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders Bowling Green State University

The Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders at Bowling Green State University is seeking two tenure-track faculty members to contribute to the department's forward momentum. Individuals are sought to foster further development in educational, research and clinical training in our undergraduate, master's, and Ph.D. programs. The departmental faculty is engaged in a wide range of teaching (mentoring of Ph.D. students, specialty clinics for in-depth clinical instruction, innovative teaching models, etc.) and research activities (e.g., successful internal and external funding, collaborative research locally, nationally, and internationally, and significant scholarly publication). The department is housed in a recently renovated building with new academic, clinic, and research facilities. The Department and the College of Health & Human Services are committed to providing an environment that promotes collaboration and multiple opportunities for professional excellence. The department has strong ties with BGSU's J. P. Scott Center for Neuroscience, Mind and Behavior (www.bgsu.edu/dept/neuroscience/neuro.htm).

Description:

Both positions are for the rank of Assistant Professor in Communication Sciences and Disorders, Speech-Language Pathology emphasis, available August 2010. Tenure-track, academic year (nine-month) appointment with possible summer employment, if desired.

Qualifications:

Position 1: Earned doctorate in Communication Sciences and Disorders or related field; CCC/SLP and Ohio License (or eligible) preferred. Focus in adult and/or child neurogenic communication disorders, medical speech pathology or closely related area. The successful applicant must either have demonstrated, or be able to show strong potential for, an externally funded research program.

Position 2: Earned doctorate in Speech-Language Pathology or related field; CCC/SLP and Ohio License eligibility required. Area of interest is open; candidates with strong credentials in clinical research will receive first preference. Interest in establishing a specialty clinic and/or research in evidence-based practice highly desirable. The successful applicant must have or show potential for a strong, externally funded research program.

Responsibilities:

Teach undergraduate, master's, and Ph.D. courses in areas of expertise; conduct research in areas of expertise; seek extramural funding; participate in related service, scholarly and clinical activities, as applicable. For position 2, there is an expectation that this individual will have an interest in clinical teaching.

Salary:

Competitive and commensurate with peer institution levels for rank and position and in keeping with candidate experience and credentials.

Benefits:

Competitive package is offered that allows for flexibility in selecting health and dental care with life insurance and retirement benefits. Prescription drug program is included. Educational benefits include full tuition waiver for spouse and dependent children after three years of employment and immediate educational benefits for self.

Application Process:

Submit curriculum vitae and letter of application that includes a description of teaching and research interests, and a personal statement detailing reasons for interest in the position. Also, submit three letters of recommendation. All materials should be sent to:

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Electronic and fax applications accepted for initial file review. Hard copies of materials are required prior to interview. Paper copies of application materials (letter of application, c.v., and letters of recommendation) must be received/postmarked by the application deadline of **December 1, 2009**. Telephone interviews may be conducted with those individuals writing the letters of recommendation. Potential candidates who are interested in learning more about the position are invited to contact Dr. Gabel for further information. Finalists will be required to submit an official transcript indicating highest degree earned.

Bowling Green State University is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer and encourages applications from women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities.

Departmental Information:

The Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders is one of nine departments/programs in the College of Health and Human Services. The Department offers a B.S. in communication sciences and disorders, an M.S. in speech-language pathology, and a Ph.D. in communication sciences and disorders. The master's program received CAA re-accreditation for 2003-2011. CDIS has approximately 150 undergraduate, 45 master's, and 9 doctoral students. It has 13 full-time (10 tenure-track) and 6 part-time faculty. The Department's Speech and Hearing Clinic is a vital part of the program, providing opportunities for students to gain supervised experience in clinical service delivery.

University and Community Information:

Bowling Green State University is the city's largest employer. Approximately 20,000 students (including ~2900 graduate students) attend BGSU with 839 faculty on a 1,338-acre campus in the northeast sector of the city. Bowling Green is a vibrant community with approximately 30,000 residents. The city has a diverse retail and industrial base, and is conveniently located on Interstate 75, 23 miles south of Toledo, 75 miles south of Detroit, 240 miles east of Chicago, 120 miles west of Cleveland, and 115 miles northwest of Columbus. The Bowling Green City School system includes a senior and a junior high school and six elementary schools. The campus and community enjoy a wide variety of cultural events.