Assistant/Associate Professor of Biology - Quantitative Ecologist

Harbor Branch (HBOI)

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Position Summary:
FAU Harbor Branch (HBOI) and the Department of Biological Sciences (DBS), seek candidates for a joint appointment at the rank of Assistant/Associate Professor with a strong research background in quantitative ecology. Candidates using a diversity of quantitative techniques with empirically generated data are preferred, but the research can include observational, experimental, modeling and/or molecular approaches.

We welcome applications from candidates with interests complementary to existing programmatic strengths in marine or freshwater wetland ecology that can take advantage of local aquatic ecosystems. Areas of research interest include, but are not limited to, population ecology, community ecology, food-web dynamics, movement ecology, ecosystem energetics, fisheries and/or physical-biological coupling.

The candidate will have a strong quantitative research background and establish a highly productive and impactful research program. The candidate will teach a graduate-level Biostatistics course every year plus a second graduate or undergraduate course of their interest that helps meet programmatic needs.

As part of FAU's overall strategic plan "Race to Excellence," Florida Atlantic University has identified Ocean and Environmental Science & Technology as an area of research strength. Research under this umbrella is coordinated at HBOI and seeks close collaboration with research programs on the Jupiter, Boca Raton, Davie, Dania Beach, and Fort Lauderdale campuses. We seek candidates who will enjoy, and by nature maintain, the collaborative and interdisciplinary cultures established by the scientists and engineers at HBOI and faculty of the DBS. The successful candidate will foster innovation and excellence across FAU, and with local, national, and international partners and will be an active member of FAU graduate programs in Integrative Biology, Marine Science and Oceanography, and Environmental Science. More information can be found at http://fau.edu/hboi and http://biology.fau.edu

This position includes a generous start up package and new lab and office space. The candidate will have their primary office and research laboratory at HBOI, located in Fort Pierce, Florida, with an additional office in DBS, on the main FAU campus in Boca Raton. The successful candidate will hold a tenure track appointment in the DBS.
**Minimum Qualifications:**
Must possess an earned doctorate from an accredited institution in ecology, biology, environmental science, marine biology or a closely related discipline at the time of application.

Post-doctoral experience is preferred.

It is preferred that candidates have a strong publication record commensurate with their experience, demonstrated potential for establishing programs of extramurally funded research, and clear promise of excellent instructional capacity.

Candidates at the assistant professor level are expected to establish a strong independent research program, while candidates at the associate professor level are expected to be engaged in strong on-going sponsored research activities.

**Salary:**
Commensurate with Experience

**College or Department:**
College of Science

**Location:**
Harbor Branch (HBOI)

**Work Days and Hours:**
N/A

**Application Deadline:**
2020-01-09-08:00

**Special Instructions to Applicant:**
This position is open until filled and may close without prior notice.

All applicants must apply electronically to the currently posted position on the Office of Human Resources’ job website (https://fau.edu/jobs) by completing the required employment application for this recruitment and submitting the related documents.

The site permits the attachment of required/requested documentation. In addition to completing the online application, please upload the following: a cover letter, curriculum vitae, statements of research and teaching experience and philosophy, contact information for three references including email addresses and phone numbers and copies of official transcripts scanned into an electronic format.

Informal inquiries can be addressed to: Dr. John Baldwin, Chair of the Search Committee,(jbaldwin@fau.edu).

Review of applications will begin January 10, 2020 and will continue until the position is filled.

PLEASE NOTE: A maximum of five (5) documents may be attached to your application. If more than five (5) documents are required for submission, please combine additional documents into one attachment to not exceed the maximum permitted.

Degrees from outside the United States must be validated by an organization belonging to the National Association of Credential Evaluation Service (NACES), with an indication of the documents the evaluation was prepared from (official transcripts, diplomas, dissertation abstracts). The evaluation should be scanned and electronically attached to one’s application as with other US-based transcripts.
Prior to appointment, the candidate must submit official, sealed transcripts from all institutions where graduate coursework was attempted, whether or not a degree was obtained, as well as an original NACES evaluation, if applicable. Transcripts must be issued to Florida Atlantic University not to you as the student.

A background check will be required for the candidate selected for this position. This position is subject to funding.

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In order to be considered for a position, you must apply through this job website. For more information on how to apply for a position, please review the applicable Applicant Tutorial. To contact Recruitment Services, send an e-mail to jobs@fau.edu.

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