



Open Rank Position in Mathematics Education - College of Arts, Sciences & Education

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Job Summary

The Department of Teaching and Learning in the College of Arts, Sciences & Education at Florida International University (FIU) invites applications for a full-time (9 month) Open-Rank position in Mathematics Education. FIU has a close relationship with Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), the fourth largest school district in the nation, providing the largest number of new teachers to the district with 35% of M-DCPS teachers already possessing an FIU degree. Thus, candidates must demonstrate strong ability in developing future teachers of mathematics, as well as working with in-service mathematics teachers. Moreover, advancing STEM education is a core value across FIU, with mathematics education research and evidence-based practice of significant importance to that commitment.

Successful candidates will be expected to establish/maintain a strong research program (external funding, peer-reviewed scholarly work, national/international collaborations, mentoring of undergraduate/graduate researchers), teach/adapt/develop mathematics education courses, and provide service to their department/college in order to contribute to the Department mission in these domains.

Preferred Qualifications:

Earned doctorate in Mathematics Education, or related field with appropriate background in mathematics and mathematics education for teaching mathematics education courses at the undergraduate and graduate levels to individuals from K-20 settings. A minimum of 3 years teaching mathematics in K-12 settings is highly preferred, along with expertise in teaching mathematics in culturally and linguistically diverse settings. Demonstrated commitment to research is expected, and grant procurement commensurate with experience is recommended. Evidence of commitment to work with public schools, other community agencies, as well as other units in the university is valued. Evidence of mentoring graduate students commensurate with experience is valued.

Responsibilities:

Work closely with mathematics education faculty in the Department of Teaching and Learning. Teach undergraduate and graduate mathematics education courses at the elementary and secondary levels, supervise clinical experiences, and mentor graduate students completing research projects, theses and/or dissertations. Support the College, Department, and University commitment to deliver a quality mathematics education program at the elementary and secondary levels to preservice and inservice teachers and professionals within a culturally and linguistically diverse community. Develop and sustain a research agenda relevant to mathematics education and collaborate on the pursuit of external funding to support scholarly activity. Engage in service to the Department, College, and University, as well within the broader mathematics education community.

Application Process

Qualified candidates are encouraged to apply to Job Opening ID 512614 at facultycareers.fiu.edu and attach a cover letter, curriculum vitae, statement of research, and statement of teaching philosophy as a single pdf file. Candidates will be requested to provide names and full contact information for at least three (3) references who will be contacted as determined by the search committee. To receive full consideration, applications and required materials should be received by January 5, 2018. Review will continue until position is filled.

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