Tenure-Track Faculty Position in Soft Matter

The Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry at Texas Tech University invites applications for a tenure track faculty position at the Assistant Professor level; other ranks will be considered if appropriate. Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree in Chemistry or a closely related field with research interests in experimental soft matter, preferably with postdoctoral experience. Successful candidates will be expected to develop a nationally recognized and externally funded research program, develop departmental and multidisciplinary collaborations, teach existing graduate and undergraduate courses in general and physical chemistry, develop new courses, and perform internal and professional service at a level commensurate with rank. The successful candidate for this position will be part of a major multi-disciplinary initiative at TTU that was launched this year to expand and enhance current research capabilities in the field of soft matter. The Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry is among the top academic units at TTU in terms of research funding, publications and graduate education. Texas Tech University is classified as a doctoral research-extensive university by the Carnegie Foundation; it has an enrollment of more than 35,000 students, and is one of the major, state-supported, multidisciplinary universities of the Southwest.

All applications must be submitted online. Online application can be made at http://www.texastech.edu/careers/ for faculty requisition number 2160BR or use direct link - http://jobs.brassring.com/TGWebHost/jobdetails.aspx?partnerid=25898&siteid=5281&areq=2160BR . Applications must include a curriculum vitae, statements of proposed research, and teaching philosophy. Applicants must also arrange to have three confidential letters of recommendation sent on their behalf to the chair of the search committee, Dr. Edward L. Quitevis, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, Texas Tech University, Box 41061, Lubbock, TX 79409-1061 (edward.quitevis@ttu.edu). Evaluation of applications will start on December 1, 2014, and continue until the position is filled.

As an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer, Texas Tech University is dedicated to the goal of building a culturally diverse faculty committed to teaching and working in a multicultural environment. We actively encourage applications from all those who can contribute, through their research, teaching, and/or service, to the diversity and excellence of the academic community at Texas Tech University. The university welcomes applications from minorities, women, veterans, persons with disabilities, and dual-career couples.