Texas Tech University is searching for an assistant professor with teaching and research expertise in biomechanics and/or human performance.

**QUALIFICATIONS**
- An earned doctorate in biomechanics, human performance, or related area
- Demonstrated expertise and a research focus in biomechanics and/or human performance
- Interest in pursuing and experience seeking external funding
- Demonstrated ability to publish in high-quality, peer-reviewed journals
- Experience teaching undergraduate courses preferred

**RESPONSIBILITIES**
- Conduct research and publish in high-quality, peer-reviewed journals
- Obtain external funding
- Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in biomechanics and human performance
- Advise graduate students and mentor undergraduate and graduate students
- Provide service to the department, college, university, community, and professional organizations

**RANK AND SALARY:** Searches are open to assistant professors, with the salary commensurate with qualifications. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply and will be considered.

**EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPOINTMENT:** 9-month, tenure-track appointment will be effective August 24, 2016.

**THE DEPARTMENT AND THE UNIVERSITY:** The department offers B.S. in Kinesiology and a M.S. in Kinesiology. The department is in the process of seeking approval to offer a Ph.D. with new faculty having the opportunity to contribute to the development of this potential degree. The department offers state-of-the-art research equipment and laboratories. The department is one of the largest departments at Texas Tech University and enrolls over 1,200 undergraduate students in kinesiology. Approximately 50 graduate students are enrolled in the master’s degree specializations in exercise physiology (basic; clinical; human performance) and in motor behavior/exercise and sport psychology. The Department also has approximately 300 undergraduate and 30 graduate students earning degrees in sport management. Texas Tech University enrolls over 35,000 students and is located in Lubbock, Texas, a center of cultural, commercial, medical, and professional services. The main campus is located adjacent to the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center with numerous collaborative research opportunities. Texas Tech University is actively pursuing strategic initiatives that will enhance its stature as a national research university. Successful candidates would be expected to contribute to this effort by virtue of their scholarly research and external funding. For further information, see the department’s and university’s websites at [www.depts.ttu.edu/hess](http://www.depts.ttu.edu/hess) and [www.ttu.edu](http://www.ttu.edu) respectively.

**APPLICATION PROCEDURES:** Screening of applicants will begin October 1, 2015, and continue until the position is filled. Applications must be submitted on line at: [http://goo.gl/RJoqYG](http://goo.gl/RJoqYG) and include a cover letter and curriculum vitae. Refer to requisition number 4399BR when applying. A list of three references with current contact information must be sent via email to angela.lumpkin@ttu.edu

For additional information regarding this position contact:
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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, protected veterans, persons with disabilities, and dual-career couples.