The School of Meteorology (https://ou.edu/ags/meteorology) at the University of Oklahoma invite applications for an Unranked Renewable Term faculty position focused on teaching. The School is housed within the College of Atmospheric and Geographic Sciences. The Mission of the College of Atmospheric and Geographic Sciences is to offer the following: innovative and multi-disciplinary education, research, and outreach programs in an environment that empowers students, faculty, and staff to seek solutions to grand environmental and humanitarian challenges; to advance technology and propel knowledge that addresses our changing planet; and to develop engaged individuals for rewarding careers in the private sector, academia, government agencies, non-governmental organizations, and entrepreneurship.

To support existing teaching needs and planned curricula developments, we seek an experienced professional to join the School's faculty in a renewable term appointment as Instructor (completed M.S.) or Lecturer (completed Ph.D.). The ideal candidate will have have the following: i) sufficient expertise in the atmospheric sciences to broadly support and expand our undergraduate degree programs and general education coursework, and ii) unique experience(s) in one or more of the following areas - private sector meteorology, emergency management, weather/climate risk, science/forecast communication, aviation meteorology, broadcast meteorology, and/or insurance/reinsurance.

The Committee Chair for this search is Dr. Zachary Lebo, zachary.lebo@ou.edu.

The School of Meteorology is currently composed of 30 faculty and has a long and distinguished history of excellence in various sub-fields of the atmospheric sciences. Our vision is to develop the School into a globally-engaged, student-centered atmospheric science program to advance the Nation's Weather, Water, and Climate enterprise, by leveraging our strengths in research, education, and community engagement.

The University of Oklahoma is a Carnegie-R1 comprehensive public research university known for excellence in teaching, research, and community engagement, serving the educational, cultural, economic and health-care needs of the state, region, and nation from three campuses: Norman, Health Sciences Center in Oklahoma City and the Schusterman Center in Tulsa. The University of Oklahoma enrolls over 30,000 students and has more than 2700 full-time faculty members in 21 colleges. Norman is a vibrant university town of around 130,000 inhabitants with a growing entertainment and art scene. With outstanding schools, amenities, and a low cost of living, Norman is a perennial contender on "best place to live" rankings. Visit http://soonerway.ou.edu and https://www.ou.edu/dam/provost/documents/facultyflipbook.pdf for more information. Within an easy commute, Oklahoma City features a dynamic economy and outstanding cultural venues adding to the region's growing appeal.

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

The University of Oklahoma, in compliance with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, genetic information, gender identity, gender expression, age, religion, disability, political beliefs, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures. This includes, but is not limited to: admissions, employment, financial aid, housing, services in educational programs or activities, or health care services that the University operates or provides.

Why You Belong at the University of Oklahoma

The University of Oklahoma fosters an inclusive culture of respect and civility, belonging, and access, which are essential to our collective pursuit of excellence and our determination to change lives. The unique talents, perspectives, and experiences of our community enrich the learning, and working environment at OU, inspiring us to harness our innovation, creativity, and collaboration for the advancement of people everywhere.

Mission of the University of Oklahoma

The Mission of the University of Oklahoma is to provide the best possible educational experience for our students through excellence in teaching, research and creative activity, and service to the state and society.

Qualifications

Applicants must possess an M.S. or Ph.D. in Meteorology, Atmospheric Science, or a related discipline at the time of appointment and possess a record of experience indicating high potential for teaching excellence at the University of Oklahoma. The candidate will be expected to teach up to 3 courses per semester, to develop and teach courses of programmatic need, to broadly participate in the development of new curricula, and to participate in intramural and extramural service.

Application Instructions

To apply, submit as one single pdf document a comprehensive cover letter (not to exceed 10 pages), current curriculum vitae or resumé, and a list of at least 3 people who can serve as references to the link here: http://apply.interfolio.com/163576. The cover letter may address the candidate's approach to teaching (e.g., past instructional and mentorship experiences, and plans/goals for teaching at the University of Oklahoma including existing and proposed courses), service (e.g., a vision for internal service to the academic unit, the College and the University, and for external service to our scientific community and other stakeholders), and student mentorship.

Screening of applications will begin on March 14, 2025 and continue until the position is filled.