Science Education
Assistant Professor
College of Education- University of Florida

The School of Teaching and Learning (http://education.ufl.edu/school-teaching-learning/) in the College of Education at the University of Florida (Gainesville, FL), a comprehensive land-grant research university, invites applications for an Assistant Professor in Science Education to begin in the Fall 2018 semester. This is a 9-month, tenure track position, with the possibility of summer employment. This faculty member will join a cohesive, collaborative, and energetic STEM education research community committed to high quality scholarship, service, and teaching. The University of Florida is strongly committed to the diversity of its workforce. Applicants from diverse backgrounds are strongly encouraged to apply.

Responsibilities:
● Conduct scholarly activities commensurate with the expectations of a tenure-track faculty member at a top-10 public research institution and member of the AAU
● Participate and collaborate with STEM and education faculty
● Pursue external research funding
● Publish in significant, high-impact refereed journals
● Advise, mentor and engage graduate students in research
● Teach (face-to-face and/or online) undergraduate- and graduate-level courses in science education
● Provide service to the program, school, college, university, and profession

Required Qualifications:
● Doctorate in science education or concentration in science education, earned by August 2018
● Evidence of a well-articulated research agenda focusing on high-impact topics important to the profession
● Record of scholarship in the field of science education as demonstrated through publications and presentations at national conferences, commensurate with experience
● Knowledge and use of a variety of research methodologies
● Evidence of potential to propose, secure, and successfully manage externally funded projects

Desired Qualifications:
● Record of P-12 teaching experience in science education
● Demonstrated commitment to collaboration with faculty, students, and schools
● Teaching, research, and/or service experiences with diverse populations
● Teaching experience via distance education and other technology-assisted instruction.
● Record of effectively mentoring graduate students
● Ability to positively contribute to national visibility of a science education program
● Active engagement with and/or leadership in science education professional organizations

Application Procedures:
Applicants will submit materials at http://jobs.ufl.edu. Applicants will need to upload (1) a letter of application addressing qualifications and describing required and desired qualifications, (2) a curriculum vita, and (3) contact information for three references who will be contacted and asked to send a letter of recommendation through the online application system. Applicants should reference requisition 505030, position 00032877. To
ABOUT THE AREA: UF is situated in Gainesville in North Central Florida, a progressive college town that blends big-city cultural and athletic offerings with small-town friendliness and Southern charm, along with excellent schools. Gainesville is often recognized as one of America’s best college towns and is easily

accessible to three major metropolitan areas (Jacksonville, Orlando and Tampa). The National Arbor Day Foundation has recognized Gainesville as a “Tree City USA” every year since 1982. Add the allure of Florida’s famous sunshine, tropical breezes, and abundant wilderness, springs, rivers and seashores nearby, and it is little wonder that top-caliber faculty and students find our College and University to be the perfect balance of premier academics and a fulfilling lifestyle.