

## Assistant Professor — Wildlife Ecology

The Department of Biology at Texas State University invites applications for a tenure-track Assistant Professor position specializing in quantitative ecology of terrestrial vertebrates. Faculty in our undergraduate and graduate (master's and Ph.D.) wildlife programs engage in hands-on, field-oriented projects ranging from local to global scales. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an externally funded research program that involves the mentoring of graduate students and complements the strengths of our 50+ member faculty and to teach graduate and undergraduate courses in support of the wildlife program.

This position is subject to the availability of funds.

### Required Qualifications

1. Earned Ph.D. in the biological sciences or related field
2. Postdoctoral experience or equivalent
3. Research emphasis and a record of peer-reviewed publications focused on the ecology of terrestrial vertebrates
4. Ability to teach field-based courses in support of the wildlife program
5. Evidence that research integrates quantitative methods with field-based research

### Preferred Qualifications

1. Record of grant funding to support research
2. Ability to teach experimental design and/or quantitative methods course(s) in support of our graduate programs
3. Experience needed to acquire federal, state, and university-level vertebrate collection/handling permits
4. Research focused on one or more of the following subject areas: spatial ecology, movement ecology, population ecology, or community ecology

### Application Procedures

Only applications submitted through the Texas State University website will be accepted and considered: <https://jobs.hr.txstate.edu/postings/49768>

To ensure full consideration please submit the following by December 1, 2024:

- Cover letter addressing the required and preferred qualifications
- Curriculum Vitae
- Evidence of teaching experience
- Statement of research interests
- Examples of recent publications
- Unofficial transcripts (all in one document)

The selected candidate will be required to provide official transcripts from all degree-granting universities.

### Proposed Start Date:

August 2025

**Full Consideration Date:** 12/01/2024

**Closing Date:** 12/01/2024

**EEO/AA Statement:** Texas State University is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

**Reasonable Accommodation** If you experience accessibility issues or require alternative formatting during the application process due to a disability or underlying condition, we request that you contact [Talent Acquisition](#) for assistance. A representative will respond to you as soon as possible.

**Record Checks and Verifications** Employment with Texas State University is contingent upon the outcome of record checks and verification including, but not limited to, criminal history, driving records, education records, employment verification, reference checks, and employment eligibility verification.

**Eligibility for Employment** Proper documentation of identity and eligibility for employment will be required before the hiring process can be completed.

**Texas State:** Texas State University is home to more than 40,000 students and 2,000 faculty members in the growing Austin-San Antonio corridor. A member of the Doctoral Universities: Higher Research Activity Carnegie classification, the university creates new knowledge, fosters cultural and economic development, and prepares its growing population of diverse students for the endless possibilities that await them as citizens of Texas, the nation, and the world.

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