

Job Advertisement: Faculty Position in Environmental Science

Institution: Juniata College

Location: Huntingdon, Pennsylvania

Position: Assistant Professor of Environmental Science

Start Date: Fall 2025 (preferred) or Spring 2026

Application Deadline: Open until filled

About Juniata College:

Juniata College is a nationally recognized liberal arts institution dedicated to fostering a diverse and inclusive community of scholars. Our commitment to undergraduate education and personalized learning drives our mission to inspire students to become engaged global citizens. Located in the picturesque town of Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, Juniata College offers a dynamic and supportive academic environment.

Position Overview:

Juniata College invites applications for a tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor in the Department of Environmental Science. We are looking to hire a faculty member with a Ph.D. in Environmental Science, Ecology, Natural Resource Management or a related field. Knowledge of wetland ecology and environmental regulation is a plus. The start date is flexible, with a preferred start date of August 2025.

Responsibilities:

- Develop and teach undergraduate and graduate courses in candidates areas of expertise.
- Establish a robust research program that involves undergraduate students, and the possibility of master's students, and contributes to the field of environmental science.
- Engage in departmental and college-wide service activities, including curriculum development and student advising.
- Collaborate with local and regional organizations on environmental issues and contribute to community outreach efforts.

Qualifications:

- Ph.D. in Environmental Science, Ecology, Natural Resource Management or a related field.
- Demonstrated potential for excellence in teaching and research.
- Commitment to fostering an inclusive academic environment and working effectively with a diverse student body.
- Ability to integrate undergraduate research into teaching and mentoring.

Application Instructions:

Interested candidates should submit the following application materials:

1. A cover letter outlining your research interests, teaching philosophy, and fit for the position.
2. A current curriculum vitae.
3. A statement of research interests and plans, including how you plan to involve undergraduate students in your research.
4. A statement of teaching philosophy, with a focus on pedagogical approaches and strategies for engaging a diverse student population.
5. Contact information for three professional references.

Applications should be submitted through the Juniata College online application system at Juniata College Careers. For inquiries about the position, please contact Uma Ramakrishnan at ramakrishnan@juniata.edu.

Juniata College is an Equal Opportunity Employer:

Juniata College is committed to creating a diverse environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or protected veteran status.

Join Us:

Be part of a vibrant academic community where you can make a meaningful impact on students' lives and contribute to advancements in environmental science. Apply today to join Juniata College as we continue to lead and innovate in liberal arts education.

We look forward to receiving your application!