



BRADLEY University

College of Education & Health Sciences
Department of Teacher Education

The College of Education and Health Sciences at Bradley University announces a tenure-track position at the rank of assistant professor in the Department of Teacher Education.

Bradley University is a top-ranked, prestigious, private university in Peoria, Illinois, offering 5,400 undergraduate and graduate students the opportunities, choices and resources of a larger university and the personal attention and exceptional learning experience of a smaller university. Bradley offers a comprehensive array of undergraduate and graduate academic programs in business, communications, education, engineering, fine arts, health sciences, liberal arts and sciences, and technology. The University is located on an 85-acre campus in Peoria, the largest metropolitan area in Central Illinois.

Qualified applicants should have background and teaching experience with P-12 students in **science education**. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to: teaching undergraduate courses as well as scholarship and service. Additionally, responsibilities may include supervision of candidates in their field experiences. Teaching experience in P-12 is required. The starting date for the position is August 2017.

An earned doctorate in Curriculum and Instruction with a science education focus, or a closely related field, is required. Science teaching experience is required, preferably in grades 5-8 (middle school). Experience also teaching elementary and secondary grades is preferred.

Candidates should submit a letter of interest; curriculum vita; one official transcript; and complete contact information for at least three references. Applications, nominations and expressions of interest must be submitted electronically to: Dr. Kevin D. Finson, Chair, Science Education, Search Committee (finson@fsmail.bradley.edu).

All application materials should be in PDF format except for official transcripts, which must be sent from the applicant's graduating institution directly to the committee chair at the above email address (for electronic transcripts). Paper transcripts will also be accepted if sent directly from the applicant's graduating institution to: Dr. Kevin D. Finson, Chair, Science Education Search Committee, Department of Teacher Education, Westlake 245, 1501 W. Bradley Avenue, Peoria, IL 61625.

Review of applications will begin January 31, 2017 and will continue until the position is filled. Employment with Bradley University is contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a criminal background check.

The department offers undergraduate programs in Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, Middle School Education, High School Education, K-12 Education, and Special Education (Learning Behavior Specialist I). Currently, approximately 450 students are enrolled in these programs. The department offers a graduate program in Curriculum and Instruction. All programs have State of Illinois Approval and NCATE accreditation as well as national recognition by respective specialized professional associations. The College of Education and Health Sciences is also a member of CAEP. For additional information about Bradley University and the Department of Teacher Education visit: <http://www.bradley.edu> and www.bradley.edu/academics/ehs/teachereducation.shtml.

Bradley University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. The administration, faculty and staff are committed to attracting qualified candidates from underrepresented groups.