



FACULTY POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
Assistant or Associate Professor
Recreational Therapy

Clemson University's Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management (PRTM) seeks applicants for a nine-month tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor of Recreational Therapy. This position is available starting in August 2022 and is located on the campus of Clemson University in Clemson, South Carolina. The successful candidate must have the ability to teach undergraduate and graduate courses in the recreational therapy emphasis area. The ability to teach courses online is also an asset.

Candidates who demonstrate the potential for interdisciplinary research and scholarship, and outstanding teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels are strongly encouraged to apply. The selected candidate will be expected to demonstrate the potential for a high level of research success and ability to maintain a rigorous, nationally recognized research program, including frequently publishing in scholarly journals and securing external grant funding. We especially seek candidates who complement our existing faculty, who can collaborate in interdisciplinary research efforts within PRTM and across our college, and who can support the partnerships the University has established with local healthcare agencies that provide recreational therapy within the state and across the country.

We seek a faculty member who will continue the RT program's excellence in research and teaching and contribute to further growth and development in these areas. The successful candidate will collaborate with faculty across the PRTM department and University, conduct relevant research, contribute to the undergraduate curriculum, explore opportunities for program development, advise and mentor graduate students through theses and dissertations, engage in departmental, college, and University service, and carry out other departmental duties as required. Further information about PRTM and the RT program is available at:
<https://www.clemson.edu/cbshs/departments/prtm/index.html>

Minimum qualifications:

- Earned doctorate in recreational therapy or related field by time of start
- Current CTRS certification
- Evidence of an established or emerging area of research related to RT representative of an assistant or associate professor rank at a R1 research university
- Evidence of ability to teach at the university level, online and in-person desired
- Evidence of being able to teach to NCTRC and CARTE competencies
- Evidence of related experience in the field
- Experience serving diverse audiences and awareness of student engagement through a diversity, equity, and inclusion lens.

Application Instructions

Review of applications will begin January 31, 2022 and continue until the position is filled. To apply, please follow this link <http://apply.interfolio.com/100697> and upload the following items:

1. cover letter addressing the specified position expectations and qualifications outlined above;

2. teaching statement,
3. research statement,
4. unofficial transcripts,
5. statement addressing your past and/or potential contributions to diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) consistent with Clemson University's [Strategic Plan for Inclusive Excellence](#).
6. two representative publications or writing samples,
7. the names and contact information of three references; and
8. curriculum vitae.

If you have questions, please contact: Dr. Jasmine Townsend. Search Committee Chair, (864) 656-2198, jntowns@clemson.edu.

This institution is using Interfolio's By Committee to conduct this search. Applicants to this position receive a free Dossier account and can upload all application materials, including confidential letters of recommendation.

Clemson University is a selective, public, land-grant university in a college-town setting along a dynamic Southeastern corridor. It is located on the shores of Lake Hartwell in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains. The University is committed to world-class teaching, research and public service in the context of general education, student development and continuing education, and is classified as a Carnegie R1 University. Founded in 1889, Clemson is the land grant institution of South Carolina with more than 22,000 students in over 200 degree programs. The Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management is one of the largest of its type in North America, with 44 full-time faculty and 21 professional staff. We serve approximately 350 undergraduate majors and 150 graduate students, with all of our M.S. and Ph.D. options being delivered both on campus and online.

Clemson University is an AA/EEO employer and does not discriminate against any person or group on the basis of age, color, disability, gender, pregnancy, national origin, race, religion, sexual orientation, veteran status or genetic information. Clemson University is building a culturally diverse faculty and staff committed to working in a multicultural environment and encourages applications from minorities and women.