The Department of Biological and Forensic Sciences at Fayetteville State University (FSU) invites applications for a tenure-track **Assistant/Associate Professor in Forensic Science** position starting fall 2021. A PhD degree and training or experience in Forensic Biology or Forensic Science or closely related disciplines is required. Experience teaching forensic courses at an undergraduate/graduate university and/or community college will be a plus. The successful candidate is expected to teach courses in forensic science and general biology, develop and teach new courses in the FEPAC accredited Forensic Science Program, advise/mentor students, serve in department, college, university committees, and assist in building and maintaining professional relationships with local, regional, and national laboratories and law enforcement agencies. In addition, the candidate is expected to establish an active, externally funded research program in the Forensic Science involving undergraduate students. The Department of Biological and Forensic Sciences is fully equipped with state-of-the-art instruments such as HPLC, GC/MS, real-time PCR, 310 Genetic Analyzer, thermocyclers, comparison microscope, and polarized microscopes. In addition, STEM departments core facilities have a range of equipment including SEM, UV-Vis, an electron microprobe, NMR, FTIR, etc. We offer bachelor degrees in Biology, Forensic Science, and a minor in Biotechnology with ~ 400 majors. The position will be open until filled.

To apply, please submit a cover letter and curriculum vitae through the FSU employment website at [http://www.uncfsu.edu/hr/employment](http://www.uncfsu.edu/hr/employment). Candidate must also send official undergraduate and graduate transcripts, one-page statement of teaching style and philosophy, research interest and plans, and three original recommendation letters from people familiar with candidates work.

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The search will begin immediately, and the position will remain open until filled. To learn more about the position, feel free to contact the Search Committee Chair by telephone at (910) 672-1650 or e-mail at klodhi@uncfsu.edu. You can also visit [http://www.uncfsu.edu](http://www.uncfsu.edu) to learn more about FSU, a member of the University of North Carolina (UNC) system located in Fayetteville, NC. Fayetteville is in the sandhills region of North Carolina, and residents enjoy mild temperatures, four distinct seasons, a low cost of living, and easy access to beautiful Carolina beaches.

*This position is subject to the successful completion of an employment background check. An employment background check includes a criminal background check, employment verification, reference checks, license verification (if applicable) and credit history check (if applicable).*

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