Assistant/Associate Professor of Geotechnical Engineering

The Department of Civil Engineering at Auburn University invites applications for an Assistant or Associate Professor (tenure-track faculty) position in Geotechnical Engineering beginning Fall 2021. Candidates should have research and teaching interests that complement those of the existing faculty including, but not limited to, coastal geotechnics, unsaturated soil mechanics, rock mechanics, underground construction, sustainable geotechnics, geosynthetics, soil improvement, and other emerging areas of geotechnical engineering. The selected faculty member is expected to teach undergraduate and graduate courses in geotechnical engineering, develop an externally funded research program, supervise doctoral and master’s students, and publish in refereed journals. The selected candidate is expected to engage in service activities with professional organizations and the university.

Applicants must hold a doctoral degree in civil engineering or a closely related field at the time of employment and meet eligibility requirements to work in the U.S. on the date appointment is scheduled to begin, and must communicate effectively in English.

Desirable qualifications include: research and teaching experiences in geotechnical engineering; postdoctoral and/or industry experience; and professional engineering registration or the ability to pursue licensure as a Professional Engineer.

Auburn University is a land-grant, Carnegie R1 institution located in east-central Alabama with an enrollment of 30,000. The Department of Civil Engineering has 27 faculty, approximately 600 undergraduates, and 120 graduate students, and offers B.C.E., M.S., M.C.E., and Ph.D. degrees. The Samuel Ginn College of Engineering at Auburn is comprised of ten departments and will open a new Advanced Structural Engineering Laboratory in the fall of 2020.

Review of application materials will begin November 15, 2020 and continue until the position is filled. A link to the posting and application can be found at:

http://www.auemployment.com/postings/19741

Applications should include a combined statement of research and teaching interests (no more than three pages) along with a cover letter, curriculum vitae, graduate and undergraduate transcripts (unofficial transcripts accepted; official transcripts required of finalists) and contact information for three references. Candidates should specifically address future research plans and how those complement existing faculty members in their statement.

Auburn University is understanding of and sensitive to the family needs of faculty, including dual career couples. See “Guidelines for Dual Career Services.”

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