



Professor of Educational Practice
Department of Physics & Astronomy
University of Utah

The Department of Physics & Astronomy at the University of Utah invites applications for two career-line (non tenure-track) faculty members at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor (Lecturer). We seek long-term colleagues who will join our talented group of instructional faculty and be fully integrated into our department. The position requires a graduate degree in physics or a related area.

Excellent communication, organization, and leadership skills are expected. The two positions are each envisioned as 12-month appointments with standard teaching responsibilities for six departmental courses per year. Some departmental teaching responsibilities could be replaced by activities such as teaching physics at a public charter high school, and/or collaborating with other faculty and staff on projects such as curriculum reform, developing and managing new online courses and helping to support and train peer mentors and teaching assistants.

This is an exciting time in the Department of Physics & Astronomy. The University is experiencing enrollment increases, resulting in a more diverse student body. Funding for a new building has been allocated and architectural planning is underway. The Center for Science and Math Education (<https://csme.utah.edu/>) leads several student success efforts, including college-wide learning assistant and internship programs and a comprehensive partnership with Salt Lake Community College, the University's main transfer partner. Recent admission into the Association of American Universities (AAU) solidifies the University's status as a top-tier research-intensive institution with a strong focus on equitable education for all students.

Details: These salaried (exempt) appointments within the career-line track do not include the possibility of tenure, but are otherwise similar to tenure track appointments with various ranks (assistant, associate, and full professor), the eligibility to apply for external funding, service on committees (including in leadership roles) and the participation in departmental governance. The initial appointment is expected to start on July 1, 2022, will be for two years, and is renewable thereafter. Career-line faculty are reviewed informally on an annual basis, like their tenure-track colleagues. Career-line faculty can be promoted to higher ranks within the career-line track.

Application process and timeline: Using this link (<https://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/119369>) please upload (i) a cover letter describing your interest in this particular opportunity; (ii) your complete academic curriculum vitae; and (iii) a statement describing your educational philosophy and experience; (iv) a statement describing your activities and contributions to equity and inclusion; Please also arrange for three (3) letters of reference to be submitted by the deadline.

The review of applications will commence on December 1, 2021 and the posting will close on December 31, 2021. If you have questions about this search, please direct them to the chair of the search committee, Prof. Jordan Gerton (jgerton@physics.utah.edu).

Located in metropolitan Salt Lake City, a vibrant metropolitan area in the foothills of the Wasatch Mountains with a diverse, multicultural population, and numerous cultural and family-oriented activities, the University of Utah is the state's flagship research institution and emphasizes exceptional scholarship, quality teaching, and professional service. The university serves over 32,000 students from across the U.S. and the world with over 72 major subjects at the undergraduate level and more than 90 major fields of study at the graduate level, including law, dentistry, and medicine. Known for its proximity to exceptional outdoor recreation opportunities, such as world-class skiing, hiking, biking, camping, climbing, and breathtaking national and state parks, and for a diverse and growing economy, the University of Utah encourages an

active, holistic lifestyle, innovation and collaborative thinking to engage students, faculty, and business leaders.

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Individuals from historically underrepresented groups, such as minorities, women, qualified persons with disabilities and protected veterans are encouraged to apply. Veterans' preference is extended to qualified applicants, upon request and consistent with University policy and Utah state law. Upon request, reasonable accommodations in the application process will be provided to individuals with disabilities.

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To request a reasonable accommodation for a disability or if you or someone you know has experienced discrimination or sexual misconduct including sexual harassment, you may contact the Director/Title IX Coordinator in the Office of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action:

Director/ Title IX Coordinator
Office of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action (OEO/AA)
135 Park Building
Salt Lake City, UT 84112
801-581-8365
oeo@utah.edu

Online reports may be submitted at oeo.utah.edu.

For more information: <https://www.utah.edu/nondiscrimination/>.

To inquire about this posting, email: employment@utah.edu **or call 801-581-2300.**



Faculty Positions in Theoretical High Energy and Condensed Matter Physics

As part of a multi-year strategic hiring plan, the Department of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Utah invites applications from outstanding candidates for three tenure-track positions at the rank of Assistant Professor in theoretical high energy or condensed matter physics. Exceptional candidates for a higher rank will also be considered. We are interested in, but not limited to, expanding in the areas of quantum condensed matter and highly entangled systems, high energy physics phenomenology, or formal aspects of theoretical physics that span the two disciplines. We seek candidates who also show promise as effective educators and mentors, and who will contribute positively to a diverse and inclusive environment within the department and at the University of Utah. The expected start date is August 1, 2022.

Applicants must have a Ph.D. in Physics/Astronomy or a closely related field, a demonstrated record of accomplishment and innovation, and dedication to teaching and mentoring.

For full consideration, complete applications must be received by November 15, 2021.

Applications must include a cover letter summarizing the applicant's interest in the position; curriculum vitae; a statement of research interests and plans; a statement of teaching philosophy; a statement describing past activities and prospective contributions to advancing equity, diversity, and inclusion; and at least three letters of recommendation. Application materials should be submitted using this link:

<https://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/122059>.

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