

Mechanical, Materials and Aerospace Engineering University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL 32816

TWO LECTURER POSITIONS

The *Department of Mechanical, Materials and Aerospace Engineering* (MMAE) of the University of Central Florida (UCF), Orlando, Florida, invites applications for TWO Lecturer positions to start January 2010. Of particular interest are candidates who will support our teaching mission in established Mechanical, Materials, and Aerospace engineering curricula. Minimum qualifications include a Ph.D. degree in Mechanical, Materials, or Aerospace Engineering. Responsibilities of the successful candidates include teaching mainly the undergraduate courses in the broad areas of Mechanical, Materials, and Aerospace Engineering. Prior teaching experience is highly desirable. The positions are non-tenured 9-month academic appointments. A two-year contract can be offered to outstanding candidates. It is anticipated that one of the lecturers will be in the Thermal/Fluids area and the other in the Mechanical Systems/Materials area.

With more than 1,600 undergraduate and 200 graduate students, the Department offers doctoral programs in Mechanical Engineering (ME) and Materials Science and Engineering (MSE), Master's programs in ME, MSE and Aerospace Engineering (AE), and Bachelor's programs in ME and AE (both ABET-accredited). The instructional and research activities are conducted by over 30 tenured/tenure-track faculty members.

The Department offers potential opportunities for professional growth. UCF is near the Kennedy Space Center as well as major facilities of Lockheed-Martin, Siemens Power Corporation, Boeing and Harris Corporations. The Central Florida Research Park is located adjacent to the UCF campus and is home to the nation's largest cluster of government agencies and industries specialized in training and simulation R&D. Located in the heart of the I-4 high tech corridor, UCF has one of the largest enrollments among U.S. universities. For more details regarding the department, visit www.mmae.ucf.edu or e-mail mmae-dept@mail.ucf.edu.

Review of candidates will begin on November 16, 2009 and will continue until the positions are filled. Candidates should submit (a) *curriculum vitae*, (b) *a brief description of teaching philosophy and plans*, (c) *the names and contact information of three referees*, and (d) *an application online at* www.jobswithucf.com/applicants/Central?quickFind=74358

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