The Department of Special Education at The University of Texas at Austin, College of Education invites applications for an open rank faculty position. We are seeking to recruit a nationally recognized scholar with an active and externally funded research program. Those considered for appointment at the Full or Associate Professor level will have an active portfolio of externally funded research. Those considered for appointment at the Assistant Professor level must demonstrate strong potential for developing an externally funded program of research. An endowed chair or professorship may also be considered for a suitably qualified applicant at the Full Professor level. Appointments at the Associate or Full Professor level will be awarded with tenure.

The successful candidate should hold a doctorate in special education or related field. The candidate’s research should focus on issues of assessment and/or intervention with elementary- and/or secondary-aged students with disabilities. Requirements include experience preparing practitioners in evidence-based educational practices and experience working with diverse students, families, and schools.

The Department of Special Education is nationally ranked and provides strong faculty support. The faculty are highly collaborative and committed to excellence in research, teaching, and leadership training. Affiliation with the Meadows Center for Preventing Educational Risk is also negotiable (www.meadowscenter.org).

Candidates should submit an application letter, curriculum vitae, three samples of scholarly writing, and contact information for three people from whom letters of reference may be requested. Review of applications will begin in October 2015, and continue until the position is filled. Questions regarding this position should be directed to Marcia Barnes, Search Committee Chair, at marcia.barnes@austin.utexas.edu.

Application materials should be submitted to: Open Rank Professor Search Committee, Department of Special Education, The University of Texas at Austin, George I. Sanchez Building, 1 University Station, Mailcode: D5300, Austin, Texas 78712 (or specialeducation@austin.utexas.edu).

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