



Department of Aviation Sciences
College of Aviation

Position Announcement
Assistant/Associate Professor

Position Summary: The Department of Aviation Sciences, College of Aviation, Western Michigan University in Battle Creek, Michigan, invites applications for a full-time Assistant/Associate Professor, tenure track in Aviation Sciences.

Responsibilities: The successful candidate will teach undergraduate aviation courses primarily in the FAR Part 147 maintenance program, and/or upper division coursework, in the Aviation Maintenance Technology baccalaureate program. He/she may also teach classes related to aircraft systems for the FAR Part 141 flight program. The position also requires seeking and conducting funded research and publishing industry relevant peer reviewed articles and other material. Also required is; participation in professional development activities; maintaining relevant relationships with the aviation industry; committee work and service to the college, University and community and program development and refinement activities. Candidates must possess a strong commitment to the principles of diversity and participate cooperatively and effectively with his/her peers as part of the overall college community. The appointment will be a tenure track appointment leading toward tenure after 6 years probation.

Required Qualifications: Master's degree; FAA Airframe and Powerplant Mechanic Certification; significant related work experience.

Preferred Qualifications: Earned doctorate; teaching experience; FAA flight certification; record of peer reviewed publications/presentations; record of grant or contract proposal submission and funding; and research experience.

Applications: Screening will begin November 15, 2010 and continue until the position is filled. Please visit <http://www.wmich.edu/hr/careers-at-wmu.html> and click on "Search job postings" under Faculty and Staff Positions to apply for this post.

The Department of Aviation Sciences has three degree programs: 1) Aviation Flight Science, 2) Aviation Science and Administration, and 3) Aviation Maintenance Technology. Additional information is available on the College of Aviation website: www.wmich.edu/aviation.

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