



ANNOUNCEMENT OF POSITION VACANCY
Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering
REANNOUNCEMENT/DEADLINE EXTENDED

RESPONSIBILITIES: This position supports the Colorado Mesa University (CMU) Mechanical Engineering Technology (MET) Program and the CMU Mechanical Engineering (ME) Partnership Program with the University of Colorado-Boulder. Both programs offer BS undergraduate degrees. Primary teaching responsibilities include basic lower-level engineering courses (in computer-aided design, statics, mechanics of solids, dynamics) supporting both the MET and ME programs and upper-level engineering courses (in thermo/fluids, energy, and/or controls) that support the MET program. The average teaching load is 12 credit hours per semester. The successful applicant is expected to develop project-based learning curricular materials and laboratory experiences. The incumbent is also expected to contribute to student advising, recruitment, interactions with industry, accreditation, and professional development activities. More information about the engineering programs offered at CMU can be found at: <http://www.coloradomesa.edu/engineering/>.

EDUCATION & EXPERIENCE:

- A Masters in a relevant engineering discipline is required; a PhD in a relevant engineering discipline is preferred. Relevant disciplines include but may not be limited to mechanical, manufacturing, nuclear, biomechanical, and aerospace.
- Relevant teaching experience required;
- Preference given to candidates with industry experience;
- An interest in teaching upper-level courses in thermo/fluids, energy, and/or controls;
- A demonstrated commitment to high-quality undergraduate engineering education;
- An interest in engaging in research activities with undergraduate students.

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: Full-time, tenure-track appointment to begin August, 2016.

SALARY: Commensurate with education and experience. Excellent health and retirement benefits.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Open until filled. Review of complete application packets will begin April 15, 2016.

APPLICATION: To be considered for the position applicants must submit:

- A cover letter and CV outlining your qualifications and experience as they relate to the specific requirements of this position;
- Unofficial transcripts for all degrees completed (official transcripts will be required upon hire);
- Statement of teaching philosophy, teaching interests and experience (including a list of courses you are qualified to teach), and research interests as they relate to undergraduate education;
- The following completed forms:
 - Applicant Authorization to permit Search Committee members to review candidate transcript
 - Applicant Authorization and Release to Conduct Reference and Background Check form
 - Voluntary Affirmative Action form

Mail to:

AP Mechanical Engineering Search Committee
Human Resources, LHH 237
Colorado Mesa University
1100 North Avenue
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501-3122
Phone: 970 248-1820

If you previously applied for this position and want to remain in the pool, please notify Human Resources at 970-248-1820.

Alternatively, electronic applications are accepted at CMUJobs@coloradomesa.edu. If using this method of application, please put the search name in the subject line to ensure that your materials are forwarded to the appropriate search file. Electronic application materials must be submitted as a .pdf or Word document (no size limit). Electronic materials submitted in any other format will not be accepted. Please do not copy and paste application materials into the body of your email; send materials as attachments.

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY: A comprehensive university in Grand Junction, Colorado Mesa University provides exceptional educational opportunities on a state-of-the-art campus. As western Colorado's largest university, CMU serves students on its main campus in Grand Junction, its satellite campus in Montrose, its community college, Western Colorado Community College, and via online offerings.

Colorado Mesa University serves as the primary intellectual and cultural center of western Colorado and promotes the exchange of ideas that are of regional, national and international importance. Founded in 1925, it's a dynamic university enrolling more than 9,500 students at the associate, baccalaureate and graduate levels.

CMU's engineering programs take great pride in providing educational opportunities and tools that help students succeed in today's complex and interconnected world. The focus is on providing a quality academic experience with fundamentals that respond to regional, national, and international employment needs.

Our dedication to providing the highest quality education in a student-centered environment will guide the university into the future.

ABOUT GRAND JUNCTION: Grand Junction, nestled between mountains and high-desert canyons, is home to some of the best outdoor recreation in the country and enjoys 300 days of sunshine a year. West of the Rockies and 30 miles from the Utah border, the moderate climate provides year-round recreation activities, including hiking, biking, golf, fishing and skiing. The city and valley of approximately 144,000 is the economic hub of the region, located midway between Denver and Salt Lake City.

Colorado Mesa University is committed to providing a safe and productive learning and living community. To achieve that goal, we conduct background investigations for all final applicants being considered for employment. Background investigations include reference checks, a criminal history record check, and when appropriate, a financial and/or motor vehicle history. Applicant must be able to verify U.S. employment eligibility. Colorado Mesa University is an Equal Opportunity Employer, committed to a culturally diverse faculty, staff and student body. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.