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## **Instructor of Sports Medicine**

### **GENERAL SUMMARY:**

The Exercise Science major within the Department of Sports Medicine, strives to provide students with a high-quality, evidence-based educational and applied experience, in order to facilitate their development as clinical, industrial, athletic and/or recreational, exercise professionals. Exercise Science and Sports Medicine department students are provided with a comprehensive health and exercise science-based curriculum, steeped in basic and applied science coursework, as well as a comprehensive liberal arts component.

This position is a full-time, 9-month, non-tenure, one-year appointment. Faculty responsibilities for this position include teaching undergraduate exercise science/sports medicine courses, pursuing scholarship and assisting with student research projects, and service to the university. In addition to teaching responsibilities, the qualified candidate will be engaged with the development of capstone and experiential learning opportunities.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

Interested candidates must, at minimum, possess a master's degree in exercise science, exercise physiology, kinesiology, biomechanics, or related field. Preference will be given to applicants with teaching experience and to those candidates with ACSM and/or NSCA certification.

### **APPLICATION PROCESS:**

The appointment begins August 15, 2022. All applications will be treated in confidence and must include: 1) a cover letter reflecting candidate's qualifications and interests; 2) a current curriculum vitae; 3) statement of teaching philosophy, and; 4) the names, institutional addresses, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses of at least three professional references. All Applicants must be currently eligible to work in the United States.

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Candidates should submit a letter of interest, a current CV, contact information for at least three references, and transcripts for all undergraduate and graduate work (copies are acceptable at this time), and a teaching philosophy to:

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