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POSN Number TBD

DRAKE UNIVERSITY
FACULTY JOB DESCRIPTION

NAME:	VACANT	COLLEGE/SCHOOL:	ARTS & SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT:	BIOLOGY	TITLE:	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGY

TO APPLY: Submit CV, names and e-mail addresses of three references, philosophical statement on teaching and research, publication sample, evidence of teaching effectiveness, and transcripts to:
Dr. Thomas Rosburg, Associate Professor and Chair of Biology,
Drake University
2507 University Avenue
Des Moines, IA 50311.
E-mail inquires and electronic submissions to:
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ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Teaching responsibilities include one-semester courses with labs in courses such as Introduction to Botany, Plant Physiology, Plant Anatomy, a one-year sequence of courses in Ethnobotany, as well as Science Education for the School of Education. Ability to obtain external funding to support an independent research program that provides mentoring opportunities to undergraduates. Demonstrated service to the Biology Department, the College of Arts and Science, Drake University, and the botanical profession. A commitment to exceptional teaching and undergraduate research in an interdisciplinary setting is expected, along with a potential for obtaining external funding.

Comments: Review of applications begins December 1, 2009 and will continue until the position is filled.

The above assignments are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this job. They are not intended to be an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and skills required.

ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS

EDUCATION:	PH.D.
EXPERIENCE:	TEACHING AND RESEARCH
OTHER ESSENTIAL TRAINING AND SKILLS:	Qualifications include a Ph.D. in Plant Systematics, Tropical Ecology, Plant Physiology, or related area, with teaching and post-doctoral experience preferred.