

## POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

**Title: Assistant Professor of Microbiology in Biomedical Sciences** – The Biomedical Sciences department is pleased to announce it is searching for a new tenure-track faculty member to join our growing department in Fall 2016.

**Qualifications and Education:** Qualified applicants will be committed to both classroom teaching and collaborative research with undergraduate and/or graduate students. The successful applicant must have a Ph.D. in microbiology, immunology, or related field; experience teaching microbiology courses and associated labs is desirable.

**Responsibilities:** Duties include a 9 contact hour teaching load per semester, scholarship and service. While the primary teaching duties for this position will be in microbiology, faculty may be asked to teach across the curriculum, particularly in an area of expertise.

**Salary:** Competitive and commensurate with qualifications. Supplementary startup funds for research are available.

**Department:** The Biomedical Sciences department has been a rapidly expanding unit at Grand Valley State University. Biomedical Sciences has approximately 1,200 undergraduate majors, 41 full time faculty members, a Masters degree program, and offers courses to support other undergraduate majors, the university's general education program, and select graduate programs. Along with our current teaching and research facilities, a new science building has recently been completed to support and expand laboratory opportunities for students and faculty. For more information about our department, see <a href="http://www.gvsu.edu/bms">http://www.gvsu.edu/bms</a>.

How To Apply: A complete application must include: (1) cover letter; (2) teaching statement that addresses relevant teaching experience and philosophy; (3) research statement that addresses how undergraduates and/or graduate students will participate in your research program; (4) curriculum vita; (5) graduate transcripts (unofficial); and (6) three letters of reference. Supplemental materials that can attest to qualifications in teaching and scholarship may also be attached. Apply at <a href="www.gvsujobs.org">www.gvsujobs.org</a>. Letters of reference should be sent directly to <a href="mailto:thomasde@gvsu.edu">thomasde@gvsu.edu</a>.

**Application Deadline Date:** If you have questions about applying online or need assistance, call Human Resources at 616-331-2215. Email questions about the position to: Dr. Derek Thomas, search committee chair (<a href="mailto:thomasde@gvsu.edu">thomasde@gvsu.edu</a>). The review process will begin on October 30, 2015 and will continue until the position is filled.