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Job Title Open Rank Professor of Construction Science - RT

**Department** College of Architecture

https://www.ou.edu/admissions/academics/architecture/constructionscience

Institution University of Oklahoma Norman, Oklahoma

Date Posted Apr. 15, 2025

Application Deadline Open until filled Position Start Date Aug. 1, 2025

> Job Categories Core Faculty Assistant Professor Associate Professor

> > Professor

Academic Field(s) Construction Engineering/Management Architectural (Building & Construction)

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Job Description

There is a new opening for a RANKED RENEWABLE TERM FACULTY in Construction Science available at the University of Oklahoma

The description is as follows:



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### **Position Description**

• The Haskell & Irene Lemon Construction Science (CNS) Division at the University of Oklahoma's (OU) Gibbs College of Architecture (GCA) invites applications for a **ranked renewable term faculty** position beginning in August 2025. The successful applicant will join a tight-knit group of faculty who share the mission to prepare students to be leaders in the construction industry by fostering a student-centered, collaborative learning environment that benefits local, state, national, and international communities through innovative teaching, research, and service in support of the GCA strategic plan. Applicants should have a demonstrated background in and be prepared to teach in multiple subject areas, such as Mechanical, Electrical, & Plumbing Systems, Surveying, Project Management, Planning & Scheduling, and/or Pre-construction.

The Division's significant endowment supports strong leadership, a cadre of passionate and impactful faculty, and a pattern of student success in regional, national, and international competitions. The GCA's history in helping develop the design+build movement continues today through the program's approach to entrepreneurship and hands-on collaborations. The CNS undergraduate program has been accredited by the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE) since 1990. Go to <a href="http://cns.ou.edu">http://cns.ou.edu</a> for more information about the program.

The CNS Division continually strives to develop and strengthen industry relationships in a growing metropolitan construction market. The successful candidate will have the opportunity to help shape the future direction of the Division. The position offers the following notable opportunities:

- Work with inspired leadership and nationally recognized faculty committed to creative and innovative approaches to construction education.
- Develop teaching collaborations across the College, that include nationally ranked architecture, interior design, landscape architecture, and regional and city planning disciplines.
- Benefit from professional development support from the Haskell & Irene Lemon Endowment and GCA.

## **Our Culture of Excellence**

The Gibbs College of Architecture at the University of Oklahoma, whose Construction Science program was launched in 1983, educates more than 1,000 students through undergraduate, master's, and doctoral programs across seven academic programs that include: Architecture, Construction Science, Environmental Design, Interior Design, Landscape Architecture, Urban Design and Regional and City



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Planning. For more information about college programs, please visit gibbs.ou.edu.

### About the University of Oklahoma

Established in 1890, the University of Oklahoma (OU) is a Carnegie R1 Institution (Very High Research Activity) known for its excellence in teaching, research, and community engagement, including its service to the educational, cultural, economic, and healthcare needs of the state, region, and nation from three campuses located in Norman, Oklahoma City, and Tulsa. OU enrolls over 30,000 students and has more than 2,700 full-time faculty members in 21 colleges. In 2014, OU became the first public institution ever to rank #1 nationally in the recruitment of National Merit Scholars; today, it is home to over 600 National Merit Scholars. Its 277-acre Research Campus in Norman was named the No.1 research campus in the nation by the Association of Research Parks in 2013; in 2017, *Architectural Digest* named OU's Bizzell Library among the 18 most stunning university libraries in the world. Learn more about OU's aims and purpose in our "Lead On" strategic plan (2020).

Norman, Oklahoma, is a culturally vibrant town located just south of Oklahoma City. With outstanding schools, amenities, and a low cost of living, Norman is a perennial contender in the "Best Places to Live" rankings. Oklahoma City was recently named one of the "50 Best Places to Travel" by *Travel* + *Leisure* magazine. Visit <u>ou.edu/facultyrecruitment</u> for more information about what OU and the local communities have to offer.

#### Qualifications

#### **Required qualifications:**

- A Master's degree in Construction, Architecture, or a closely related field.
- Minimum of 5 years' professional experience in the construction industry, at the time employment begins.

#### **Application Instructions**

Applications should be submitted online via Interfolio at http://apply.interfolio.com/166273

Interested candidates are requested to submit the following materials:

- Cover letter that highlights relevant experiences and accomplishments
- Current curriculum vita
- Contact information of three (3) professional references



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All application materials may be submitted online through the Interfolio website at: http://apply.interfolio.com/166273

Priority review of applications will occur May 1, 2025, and will continue until the position is filled. The anticipated start is August 2025. Please submit questions by email to Dr. Ben Bigelow ( <u>bigelow@ou.edu</u>)

### Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

The University of Oklahoma, in compliance with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations, does not discriminate based on race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, genetic information, gender identity, gender expression, age, religion, disability, political beliefs, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures. This includes, but is not limited to admissions, employment, financial aid, housing, services in educational programs or activities, or health care services that the University operates or provides.

## **EEO/AA Policy**

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement: The University of Oklahoma is an EO/Affirmative Action institution (http://www.ou.edu/eoo/). Women, minorities, protected veterans, and individuals with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply. The University of Oklahoma, in compliance with all applicable federal and state laws and regulations does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, genetic information, gender identity, gender expression, age, religion, disability, political beliefs, or status as a veteran in any of its policies, practices, or procedures. This includes, but is not limited to: admissions, employment, financial aid, housing, services in educational programs or activities, or health care services that the University operates or provides. Land Acknowledgement: The University of Oklahoma is on the traditional lands of the Caddo Nation and the Wichita & amp; Affiliated Tribes. This land was also once part of the Muscogee Creek and Seminole nations. It also served as a hunting ground, trade exchange point, and migration route for the Apache, Cheyenne, Comanche, Kiowa, and Osage nations. Today, 39 federally recognized Tribal nations dwell in what is now the State of Oklahoma as a result of settler colonial policies designed to confine and forcefully assimilate Indigenous peoples. Read our full land acknowledgement (link).



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#### **Contact Information**

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

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