

**TENURE TRACK ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in  
Construction Science  
University of Oklahoma**

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**Job Title** TENURE TRACK ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in Construction Science

**Department** Construction Science Division  
<https://www.ou.edu/admissions/academics/architecture/construction-science>

**Institution** University of Oklahoma  
Norman, Oklahoma

**Date Posted** Oct. 13, 2025

**Application Deadline** Open until filled

**Position Start Date** January 2026

**Job Categories** Assistant Professor

**Academic Field(s)** Construction Engineering/Management

**Job Website** <https://apply.interfolio.com/175139>

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**Job Description**

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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 tenure-track assistant professor 9-month

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position, beginning in August 2026. There is the potential for a January 2026 start for candidates who may be interested. Based in Norman, a lively college town within the Oklahoma City metropolitan area, which was recently ranked the “No. 1 Best Big City to Live In” by *U.S. News & World Report*, the Construction Science Division seeks faculty to help shape the future of construction education and practice. This position is part of OU’s university-wide trajectory to join the nation’s top public research institutions, fueled by growth in faculty excellence, research innovation, and cross-sector partnerships.

**What We’re Looking For:**

The Division seeks to hire a new faculty member to add to our award-winning team and support our growing enrollments. The new faculty member will advance teaching and research excellence in areas such as transportation (heavy civil construction), construction leadership, and/or construction innovation. 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 and research collaborations across the College that include nationally recognized architecture, interior design, landscape architecture, and regional and city planning disciplines.
- Benefit from professional development support from the Haskell & Irene Lemon Endowment and GCA, and
- Contribute to the College’s interdisciplinary Ph.D. in Planning, Design, and Construction degree.

**Our Community:**

The successful applicant will join a tight-knit group of faculty committed to preparing 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 [GCA’s strategic plan](#). The CNS Division continually strives to develop and strengthen industry relationships in a growing metropolitan construction market. More information about our community and program can be found at our website: [cns.ou.edu](https://cns.ou.edu).

**About the Haskell & Irene Lemon Division of Construction Science and the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture**

Established in 1983, the CNS Division boasts a significant endowment that 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

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today through the program's balanced approach towards entrepreneurship and hands-on collaborations. The CNS undergraduate program has been accredited by the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE) since 1990.

The Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture brings together more than 1,100 students across seven disciplines: Architecture, Construction Science, Environmental Design, Interior Design, Landscape Architecture, Regional and City Planning, and Urban Design. The College serves as a hub for interdisciplinary collaboration and public impact, hosting the national Placemaking Conference and supporting community partnerships across Oklahoma. Learn more at [architecture.ou.edu](http://architecture.ou.edu).

**About the University of Oklahoma:**

Founded in 1890, the University of Oklahoma (OU) is a Carnegie R1 Institution with \$416.6 million in annual research expenditures and more than 34,000 students across three campuses in Norman, Oklahoma City, and Tulsa. OU is advancing an ambitious vision to shape the future through discovery, creativity, and innovation, as outlined in the *Lead On, University* Strategic Plan at [ou.edu/leadon/strategic-plan](http://ou.edu/leadon/strategic-plan).

Norman offers the atmosphere of a vibrant college town within the Oklahoma City metropolitan area. The region combines affordability with cultural vitality, strong K–12 schools, and nationally recognized works of architecture and landscape architecture. Home to the 2025 NBA champions and a host site for events during the 2028 Olympics, Oklahoma City reflects a growing international profile. Oklahoma's 39 Native Nations shape a context where faculty and students engage in collaborative work that links design/construction to place, culture, and community.

Visit [ou.edu/facultyrecruitment](http://ou.edu/facultyrecruitment) for more information about what OU and the local communities have to offer.

**Required Qualifications:**

- Ph.D. in construction or a related field. Applicants with ABD status will be considered if the requirements for a Ph.D. will be completed during the first year of employment
- A minimum of three (3) years of relevant professional experience in the design and construction industry
- Demonstrated expertise related to the CNS curriculum and ability to teach courses in more than one construction topic
- Track record of peer-reviewed publications as first or second author
- Potential to develop an externally funded research agenda in support of CNS Division and GCA goals

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**Application Instructions:**

Applications should be submitted online via Interfolio at <https://apply.interfolio.com/175139>

Interested candidates are requested to submit the following materials:

- Cover letter that highlights relevant experiences and accomplishments
- Current curriculum vitae
- Information regarding funded research and/or a sample of a scholarly article (applicant as first or second author)
- Contact information for three (3) professional references

Application review will begin October 27, 2025, and will continue until the position is filled. The first round of interviews is expected to begin on November 10, 2025. Please submit questions by email to Dr. Matthew Reyes ([mdreyes@ou.edu](mailto:mdreyes@ou.edu)).

**EEO/AA Policy**

**Equal Employment Opportunity Statement:**

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.

**Contact Information**

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

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