



**BALL STATE
UNIVERSITY**



Assistant Lecturer/Assistant Teaching Professor of Biology

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POSITION DESCRIPTION

The Department of Biology has a full-time contract position of Assistant Lecturer or Assistant Teaching Professor of Biology available for the 2022-2023 academic year. Primary responsibilities include teaching Introductory Biology, Anatomy, and Physiology courses.

QUALIFICATIONS

Minimum: Master's degree in the biological sciences or related field from an accredited institution is required for the title of Assistant Lecturer. Effective written and oral communication skills; commitment to excellence in teaching as demonstrated by a teaching statement and/or teaching evaluations.

Preferred: Earned doctorate in the biological sciences from an accredited institution is required for the title of Assistant Teaching Professor; demonstrated teaching ability and/or evidence of scholarly activity, as demonstrated by student evaluations or by publications.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Ball State University offers strong institutional support. Faculty in the Department of Biology have been successful in publishing student-driven research in peer-reviewed journals and obtaining substantial extramural funding from sources including the National Institutes of Health, the National Science Foundation, and the Indiana Department of Natural Resources. Many faculty pursue interdisciplinary collaborations with other Ball State University investigators within the Department of Biology, and the Departments of Chemistry; Geography & Meteorology; Environment, Geology, and Natural Resources; and Math. The successful candidate will join the Departments of Biology and Chemistry in the Foundational Sciences Building, which features newly constructed rodent facilities, imaging suites, collaborative space, a research library, computer labs, and cutting edge teaching and research laboratories.

COLLEGE OF SCIENCES AND HUMANITIES

The College of Sciences and Humanities prepares students to be successful and innovative global citizens who analyze situations, think critically, solve problems, and communicate clearly. We hire teacher-scholars who make our students' success possible. We offer programs in 16 departments in the humanities, social sciences, and computational and natural sciences.

ABOUT BALL STATE UNIVERSITY

Ball State University is located in Muncie, Indiana, on an attractive campus 45 miles northeast of Indianapolis. Ball State enjoys a close relationship with the [City of Muncie](#), and many employees extol the virtues of living in this Midwestern college town of 70,000 people. More information about working at Ball State, and relocating to East Central Indiana, is found [on the University's](#)



[website](#).

Institutionally, Ball State has established ambitious goals for our second century through our strategic plan, [Destination 2040: Our Flight Path](#):

- We pledge to provide a premier educational experience for every student.
- We pledge to partner with the community to improve the lives of our neighbors.
- We are dedicated to having a lifelong presence in the lives of our alumni.

And when we complement these promises with our commitment to our enduring values, we define that which makes our University and its culture distinctive.

Ball State engages students in educational, research, and creative endeavors that empower our graduates to have fulfilling careers and meaningful lives enriched by lifelong learning and service, while we enhance the economic, environmental, and social vitality of our community, our state, and our world. We invite you to be part of our community.

To Apply

[Click Here](#) to apply for this position. In the Applicant Documents section of this application, please provide an inclusive excellence statement describing how you would contribute to the development of a diverse and inclusive learning community at Ball State University through your teaching, research and/or service. Please include examples of your contributions when possible. Word limit 500. Names and contact information for three references will be required on the application. For more information, contact [Dr. Bikram Sharma](#), Assistant Professor of Biology. Visit bsu.edu/jobs for information on all current job openings at Ball State University.