



**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**  
**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HUMAN PERFORMANCE AND RECREATION**

**EXERCISE PHYSIOLOGY POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT**

Chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas, Baylor University is the oldest university in Texas and the world's largest Baptist University. Baylor's mission is to educate men and women for worldwide leadership and service by integrating academic excellence and Christian commitment within a caring community. Baylor is actively recruiting new faculty with a strong commitment to the classroom and an equally strong commitment to discovering new knowledge as Baylor aspires to become a top tier research university all while retaining and remaining grounded in our strong Christian mission as described in [Baylor 2012](#).

We invite you to come discover the vision ([www.baylor.edu/vision/](http://www.baylor.edu/vision/)) and excitement at Baylor as we seek applications and nominations for the following **tenure-track** faculty position within the School of Education:

**Position:** Assistant/Associate Professor of Health, Human Performance and Recreation with a specialization in *Exercise Physiology*

**Background:** As part of Baylor University's 2012 Vision to enter into the top tier of American universities, the Department of Health, Human Performance, and Recreation (HHPR) within the School of Education has embarked on a mission to develop one of the country's leading academic and research programs. This includes development of a recently approved doctoral program and Center for Exercise, Nutrition, and Preventive Health Research that includes laboratories in exercise, sport nutrition and biochemistry. The department is seeking a well-trained exercise physiologist to contribute to preparing students for careers in exercise physiology and sport nutrition as well as contributing to a multidisciplinary research team. An electronic copy of this announcement and link to other information about the HHPR department can be found at: [www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr/jobs](http://www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr/jobs)

**Qualifications:** Requirements include an earned doctorate in exercise physiology or a related field; the ability to teach human physiology, exercise physiology (cardiovascular and neuromuscular aspects), and exercise nutrition/metabolism related courses to undergraduate and graduate students; and demonstrated evidence of a research agenda. Preferred qualifications include a strong commitment to mentor and professionally develop undergraduate, masters level, and doctoral level students. Appropriate professional certifications preferred (e.g., ACSM, NSCA, etc.). Experience developing and implementing exercise training/conditioning programs for healthy, athletic, and special populations. A record or potential for conducting research specifically related to the role of exercise and nutrition on metabolism, cardiovascular dynamics, health, and/or performance. Evidence of an ability to function in a variety of laboratory settings, obtain external funding. A record of active membership and involvement in professional organizations. A record of academic training and/or teaching, research, and professional experience that merits the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor at a leading academic institution.

**Responsibilities:** Teach undergraduate and graduate courses related to human physiology, exercise physiology, and metabolism; mentor students at the undergraduate, masters, and doctoral levels; conduct original research and contribute to exercise, sport nutrition, and health related research within the department; seek and obtain extramural funding; conduct and publish research; engage in scholarly activities; establish collaborative partnerships within the department, university, medical community, and public/private sector.

**Salary and Beginning Date:** The salary will be commensurate with qualifications and professional experience. Preference will be given to applicants who are Christians and whose philosophy is compatible with the stated mission of the University to be a world-class institution dedicated to Christian principles and ideals. The review of completed applications will continue until the position is filled. To guarantee consideration, applications must be complete by November 2, 2009. The anticipated date of appointment is August, 2010.

**Application:** Please include a formal letter of application in the credential package **specifically addressing how you meet each of the listed qualifications, duties, and responsibilities included in this job description**. In addition, include a curriculum vitae, a copy of terminal degree transcript, samples of research publications, three letters of recommendation and contact information for five references. Electronic (PDF) copies of all application materials are preferred. Send to: Dr. Deborah Johnston; Department of Health, Human Performance, and Recreation; One Bear Place # 97313, Waco, TX 76798-7313; e-mail: [Deborah\\_Johnston@baylor.edu](mailto:Deborah_Johnston@baylor.edu) ; Phone: 254/710-4020, Fax: 254/710-3527. See [www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr/jobs](http://www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr/jobs) for more information.

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