

BELHAVEN UNIVERSITY

FACULTY POSITION

Department of Mathematics and Computer Science

Tenure Track Assistant Professor/ Associate Professor in Computer Science

The Department of Mathematics and Computer Science (MCS) at Belhaven University is seeking a candidate for a Tenure Track Assistant Professor/Associate Professor position in computer science. The position requires a Ph.D. in Computer Science or a related field. Qualified candidates must demonstrate a commitment to excellence in undergraduate education. The position is open to all areas of scholarly interest, but special consideration will be given to candidates with a background in data science or cybersecurity who may engage undergraduate students in research projects.

Responsibilities include teaching introductory and advanced undergraduate computer science courses with flexibility in course assignments, fostering career development in students, and generally supporting community within the department. A successful candidate must articulate a Christian worldview in one's teaching and academic discipline and fully support the University Vision, Mission, and Statement of Faith as set forth at:

<http://www.belhaven.edu/Belhaven/mission.htm>.

Belhaven University's Math & Computer Science Department

The MCS Department has close to 80 majors and is in Belhaven's Division of Science & Mathematics. There is generous support from the university's administration and a healthy community of colleagues within the STEM disciplines.

Belhaven's Division of Science & Mathematics is comprised of a large proportion of female students as well as minority and first-generation college students. We are members of the Association of Computing and Machinery, the Mathematical Association of America, and Association of Christians in Mathematical Services.

We encourage students to engage in professional development such as internships, attending conferences, interacting with professionals, and site visits.

The MCS Department offers both BS and BA degrees in mathematics, a BS in actuarial sciences, a BS in computer science, and a BS in computer information systems. In addition to these degrees, we offer a double major in mathematics and engineering through partnerships with the University of Mississippi and Mississippi State University. In this program, students receive a mathematics degree from Belhaven and an engineering degree of their chosen partner institution over a five-year period.

Belhaven's MCS Department is also a chief sponsor of Belhaven's Maker Campus, a collection of maker labs throughout Belhaven's campus featuring 3D printing, electronics projects, CNC machining, coding, and other formative technologies in collaboration with the Department of Art and Design.

How to Apply

Persons possibly interested in applying may begin with a confidential phone conversation with the Department Chair. A confidential review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Please submit the following: a CV, a cover letter outlining your suitability for this position including an explanation of your interest in Christian higher education, and a 3 to 4 paragraph statement of how you would integrate the Biblical worldview into all instructional content, and a brief account (750 words or less) of your spiritual pilgrimage including the time and circumstances surrounding your becoming a believer in Christ and your current relationship with Christ.

[Go to this link](#) to review Belhaven University's Commitment Statement including our employee expectations.

Compensation and rank are commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Confidential questions and nominations may be submitted to:

Dr. Bradford Smith Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs

c/o Kim Campbell, Director of Academic Administration kcampbell@belhaven.edu