

FACULTY POSITION

in

Department of Sports Medicine & Exercise Science

Belhaven University is seeking a faculty member in Sports Medicine & Exercise Science. The position is open-rank and tenure-track. The Sports Medicine & Exercise Science curriculum integrates basic and applied sciences to prepare students for a wide range of careers in the healthcare and wellness industries. The bachelor's degree prepares students for graduate/professional programs and careers in fulfilling vocations such as physical and occupational therapy, athletic training, chiropractic medicine, exercise physiology, strength and conditioning, and personal training.

Belhaven University is an innovative and academically progressive institution built on the timeless principles of scholarship, service, and Biblical truth. "Our Standard is Christ" is the Belhaven identifier because, as an institution, we are committed to honoring the Lord in all we do.

Responsibilities

Candidate responsibilities will include:

- Teaching undergraduate Sports Medicine & Exercise Science courses, which may include Kinesiology, Medical Terminology, Injury Care & Prevention, Exercise Testing & Prescription, and Professional Development.
- Supervising student clinical observational/shadowing experiences.
- Serving as an advisor and mentor regarding student academic plans and career paths.
- Serving as an advisor to the student pre-professional club.

While not required, candidate will be encouraged to conduct externally funded research and/or other scholarly activities, such as journal publications, conference presentations, etc.

Qualifications

A Ph.D. in Kinesiology, Exercise Science, Human Performance, or related discipline is required.

Applicants must be able to articulate a Christian worldview in one's teaching and academic discipline and fully support the University <u>vision</u>, <u>mission</u> and <u>statement of faith</u>. The candidate should contribute to the spiritual and academic fellowship of the University.

How to Apply

A confidential review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

Please submit the following:

- A CV and a cover letter outlining your suitability for this position, including an explanation of your interest in Christian higher education
- A 3 to 4 paragraph statement of how you would integrate the Biblical worldview into your instructional content
- 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.

<u>Follow this link</u> to review Belhaven University's Commitment Statement including our employee expectations. Should you receive a job offer, you will be asked to accept this agreement by signing it.

Employment at Belhaven University is contingent upon the results of an independent background check.

Confidential questions and formal applications may be submitted to: Monica French, Project Manager for Academic Affairs <u>mfrench@belhaven.edu</u>