The University of Texas at Austin Marine Science Institute

Multiple Faculty Hires in Marine Science

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The **Marine Science Institute**, established in 1941, is experiencing exciting growth in its nationally and internationally recognized research programs. Hence, **The University of Texas at Austin** invites applications for multiple faculty positions in the Department of Marine Science. We seek innovative and productive scientists at the forefront of their discipline who are addressing critical issues in marine science to join this expanding program. The positions, to be filled at any faculty rank, will be in the areas of:

Microbial Ecology

Nutrient Cycling

Fish Physiology

Fisheries Ecology

The positions are located at the Marine Science Institute in Port Aransas, Texas, which offers close proximity to a variety of unique estuarine and coastal habitats as well as excellent <u>shoreside facilities</u> for experimental work. Recent additions to our infrastructure include a newly completed \$21.3 million dollar building as a partnership between The University of Texas at Austin, NOAA and the Texas General Land Office, that expands the research capacity of the Marine Science Institute. This building houses the <u>Mission-Aransas National Estuarine Research Reserve</u>, a Library, and 12,000 square feet of space for faculty offices and state-of-the-art research laboratories. New additions also include, a <u>Wetlands</u> <u>Education Center</u>, and a <u>Bay Education Center</u>. Successful applicants will have the freedom to follow independent and collaborative research interests, and will be provided with 9 months of state-funded salary support for research (75%) and teaching (25%).

The University of Texas Marine Science Institute is responsive to needs of dual career couples and committed to building a multi-cultural work force. We strongly encourage women and racial/ethnic/gender minorities to apply. Applications should include a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, teaching statement, and a research statement electronically to <u>facsearch@utlists.utexas.edu</u>or mailed to: Faculty Search Committee, The University of Texas at Austin, Marine Science Institute, 750 Channel View Dr., Port Aransas, Texas 78373-5015. Review of applications will begin **December 1, 2011**. Finalists will be asked for three (3) letters of reference. For more details go to <u>http://www.utmsi.utexas.edu/facsearch</u>.

The University of Texas at Austin is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Background check conducted on applicant selected.