

Assistant Professor in Earth Surface Processes

The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga Geology program invites applicants for an assistant professor tenure-track appointment to begin August 2010. We seek a Ph.D. geologist with research interests in low-temperature aqueous geochemistry, hydrology, clay mineralogy or soil science. The successful candidate will be committed to undergraduate teaching, demonstrate familiarity with modern research and geotechnical tools and techniques, and possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills. Teaching responsibilities will include introductory geology, upper-level courses in areas of expertise, and supervision of undergraduate research. Send curriculum vitae, transcripts, a statement of teaching philosophy and research interests, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Habte G. Churnet, Head, Department of Physics, Geology, and Astronomy # 6556, 615 McCallie Avenue, The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, Chattanooga, TN 37403. Review of application materials will begin January 15, 2010 and will continue until the position is filled.

The University of Tennessee at Chattanooga is a metropolitan university of over 10,000 students offering baccalaureate degrees in 44 fields, master's in 22, and doctorates in three. Founded as a private university in 1886, it became a primary campus of the University of Tennessee in 1969. Its 100-acre campus is located near downtown Chattanooga, in the center of a very scenic metropolitan area of more than 450,000 people. Chattanooga is a mid-sized city that has been featured in US News and World Report and Parade as one of America's most livable cities. This family-friendly city has gained international attention for its downtown and riverfront development, public and private partnerships, excellent quality of life and reasonable living costs. The university's private endowment, currently valued at more than \$100 million, enables UTC to maintain academic excellence beyond that funded by state appropriations.

UTC is an EEO/AA/Title VI and IX/Section 504/ADA/ADEA institution