



WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY

College of Health Professions

Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Two faculty positions in Communication Sciences and Disorders Wichita State University-an urban-serving research university

College of Health Profession Mission:

Innovation and excellence in education to promote a healthy society

The Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders (CSD) at Wichita State University (WSU) is seeking qualified applicants for two faculty positions. The Department maintains excellent teaching, clinical and research facilities and is an ASHA/CAA accredited program. The Department is in the College of Health Professions and has undergraduate and graduate programs leading to the Bachelor of Arts in CSD, Master of Arts Degree in Speech-Language Pathology, Doctor of Audiology (AuD), and PhD in Communication Sciences and Disorders..

The Department is housed on the beautiful 330-acre main campus which is augmented by the Hughes Metropolitan Complex, where the Speech, Language, Hearing Clinic is located. Since 1895, Wichita State University has served as the center of higher education in south-central Kansas by combining a traditional college experience with the advantages of being located in the state's largest city. WSU holds Carnegie Classification as a Doctoral/Research-Intensive University. Wichita has a population of nearly 400,000 and has been listed in the "Top 10 Best Big Cities" by Money magazine. This culturally rich and diverse community is home to the University of Kansas Medical School-Wichita, and a concentration of medical centers, hospitals, and health-services agencies. The strength of the WSU/CSD partnerships with these clinical sites and the public schools provide faculty and students a wealth of rewarding opportunities for research and clinical endeavors.

Applicants are sought with potential for excellence in the scholarship of research and teaching. Successful candidates will foster further development in educational and research activities pertinent to her/his area of expertise. All areas related to communication sciences and disorders are open and all qualified applicants will be considered. Individuals with interest in the area of speech and language science are strongly encouraged to apply. In addition, particular consideration will be given to individuals with a background/interest in neurogenic disorders, voice, dysphagia, cognitive-communicative disorders, or AAC.

Each of the positions is an open rank, tenure-eligible, nine-month faculty appointment. Rank and salary are highly competitive and commensurate with peer institution levels for rank and position, and in keeping with candidate's experience and credentials.

Required Qualifications:

- Earned PhD in Speech-Language Pathology, Speech or Language Sciences or related discipline (ABD will be considered; PhD required within 12 months of beginning appointment)
- Commitment to a program of scholarly research related to speech and/or language sciences and disorders leading to scholarly activity and publications
- Ability to teach courses in his/her field, with a commitment to promoting student scholarship

Preferred Qualifications:

- CCC-SLP and eligibility for KS state license desirable
- Evidence of publications in refereed journals and/or professional conference presentations
- Record of external funding and/or experience working on externally funded research projects
- Ability to contribute positively to the collegial culture of the Department.
- Interest/expertise in neurogenetics, voice, swallowing, cognitive-communication disorders, language and literacy in adolescents or adults, AAC, motor speech

Responsibilities:

- Teach core courses in graduate and undergraduate programs in the Department
- Direct research projects, theses, and dissertations
- Serve on undergraduate and graduate student committees
- Develop and activate a significant research program in her/his field leading to scholarly activity and publications
- Serve on Departmental, College, and University committees and actively contribute to the University community. Engagement in professional service is expected.

Applicants must submit via email a letter of intent, describing their research and teaching interests, accompanied by their curriculum vitae, and other supporting materials to (johanna.hutmacher@wichita.edu). Three letters of recommendation should be sent by references to: Johanna Hutmacher

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Questions: Contact Dr. Julie Scherz, Chair of the Search Committee, julie.scherz@wichita.edu or 316-978-5344

The Department and College of Health Professions are strongly committed to a culture of diversity. All qualified individuals are encouraged to apply; members of underrepresented populations are especially encouraged to apply. Wichita State University is an equal employment opportunity/affirmative action employer.