

MARYLAND, TOWSON 21252.

The Towson University Department of Geography and Environmental Planning seeks a **physical geographer** for Visiting Assistant Professor position for the Spring 2012 semester with the possibility of an additional year. Applicants must be able to teach upper-level undergraduate courses in meteorology and climatology as well as introduction to physical geography, a non-lab science course.

Applicants should submit a letter of interest, C.V., evidence of teaching experience, and the names of three references to:

Dr. Virginia Thompson, Chair
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Founded in 1866, today Towson University is recognized by U.S. News & World Report as one of the top public universities in the Northeast and Mid-Atlantic regions. Towson is nationally recognized for its programs in the liberal arts and sciences, business, education, communications, health sciences, and the fine and performing arts. The University places a strong emphasis on service learning and civic engagement through such activities as internships, practica, clinical placements, course assignments and student events. As the Baltimore area's largest university and Maryland's Metropolitan University, Towson articulates its research and scholarship mission through partnerships that link the University to the economic, educational and cultural life of the state of Maryland and the mid-Atlantic region. Towson enrolls more than 21,000 undergraduate and graduate students in 63 undergraduate majors, 38 master's programs and four doctoral programs. Located on a rolling 328 acres, the striking campus is eight miles north of downtown Baltimore and 45 miles from Washington, D.C. The campus and its surrounding cities provide an excellent environment for teaching and supporting the academic pursuits of the 830 full-time faculty who work here.

Towson University is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and has a strong institutional commitment to diversity. Women, minorities, persons with disabilities, and veterans are encouraged to apply. Review of applications will begin October 31st and continue until the position is filled. While a Ph.D. is preferred, A.B.D candidates will be carefully considered.