

Online Lecturer - Experimental Psychology

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Psychological Sciences

Position Description

The Department of Psychological Sciences in the College of Arts & Sciences at Texas Tech University invites applications for a full-time, 12-month Lecturer position in Experimental Psychology to begin as soon as possible, but no later than Fall 2027. Salary is commensurate with that of tenure-track faculty.

The Lecturer will teach two online courses during each of the five 8-week terms scheduled throughout the year (two terms in the fall, two in the spring, and one in the summer). All courses are delivered asynchronously to provide greater flexibility for non-traditional students, who represent a significant portion of the online student population at Texas Tech University.

While appointed to this position, you will accrue vacation and will be required to report leave monthly following [TTU's Operating Policy 70.01](#) and [TTU System Regulation 07.12](#). Since you will accrue vacation, you will follow a staff holiday schedule, which is available here: <https://www.depts.ttu.edu/hr/empbenefits/holidayschedule.php>.

All prospective employees are encouraged to visit [Work at Texas Tech](#) to learn more about becoming a part of our campus community.

About the University

Founded in 1923, Texas Tech University began with a mission to serve the needs of West Texas, but its impact has always reached far beyond. Today, Texas Tech, located in Lubbock (pop. 300,000+), is home to a vibrant community of more than 42,000 students. Texas Tech's 1,800-acre campus showcases Spanish Renaissance architecture and is home to one of the country's largest public art collections. Its 13 colleges include a prestigious School of Law and a distinguished School of Veterinary Medicine. These programs equip students with the skills and knowledge needed to excel in their respective fields. Built on the values of West Texas — hard work, grit and authenticity — the university graduates students who are deeply engaged in service to their communities and well-positioned to succeed in the world. Texas Tech is committed to achieving research and scholarly accomplishments that compare favorably to the member institutions of the Association of American Universities (AAU). For more than 100 years, Texas Tech has been a premier destination for those

seeking a world-class education and a unique, personalized experience as a member of the Red Raider family.

About the College

Texas Tech University Online extends the university's commitment to high-quality education to learners worldwide. Through a wide range of fully online degree programs and courses, Texas Tech Online offers flexible, accessible learning that maintains academic rigor. Online instructors are part of a collaborative community with access to instructional design support, training, and digital tools to enhance student engagement. Faculty teaching online at Texas Tech are valued members of the university and contribute to its mission of teaching, research, and service, regardless of their location.

About the Department/School/Area

Texas Tech University's Department of Psychological Sciences (<http://www.depts.ttu.edu/psy/>) has doctoral programs in Clinical Psychology (APA accredited), Counseling Psychology (APA accredited), Cognition and Cognitive Neuroscience, Human Factors Psychology (HFES accredited), and Social Psychology. We currently have 28 full-time tenured and tenure-track faculty members, 4 full-time teaching-track faculty members, 125+ graduate students, 1,500+ undergraduate majors, our own building with office, laboratory, and classroom space, and a newly renovated Psychology Clinic. Faculty have an excellent track record of applying for and obtaining external research funding. Our research programs encompass departmental, campus, community, and national/international collaborations. We have effective working relationships with faculty across campus, the Texas Tech Neuroimaging Institute, Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, large area hospitals, numerous clinics and psychological-service agencies, and other multidisciplinary groups in the region.

Major/Essential Functions

At Texas Tech University, the Lecturer/Senior Lecturer title designates a full-time, non-tenure-acquiring role with primary duties in teaching organized classes and/or instructional labs. In line with TTU's strategic priorities to engage and empower a dynamic student body, applicants should have experience working with a breadth of student populations at the undergraduate level.

As a faculty member in the Department of Psychological Sciences, you will be expected to develop, offer, and continuously improve our undergraduate Experimental Psychology courses. You will also be expected to become involved in department, college, and university service over time.

Organization

Texas Tech University

Faculty Qualifications

- Doctoral degree in Experimental Psychology or related field (e.g., Cognitive Neuroscience) by the start date
- Training in perception, cognition, cognitive neuroscience, or physiological psychology.

Preferred Qualifications

In addition to the required qualifications, individuals with the following preferred qualifications are strongly encouraged to apply:

- Experience teaching courses in perception, cognition, cognitive neuroscience, or physiological psychology.
- Experience developing online courses, preferably in psychology or related fields;
- Evidence of effective face-to-face and/or online teaching in areas relevant to the position;
- Training in online teaching pedagogy;
- Experience using learning management systems, virtual presentation software, and video recording tools;
- Experience working with a robust student populations, including non-traditional and first-generation students;
- Demonstrated professionalism and collegiality

Duty Point

TTU Online (remote duty point)

Safety Information

Adherence to robust safety practices and compliance with all applicable health and safety regulations are responsibilities of all TTU employees.

Does this position work in a research laboratory?

No

Special Instructions to Applicants

Please include the following documents in your application:

- Curriculum Vitae;
- Cover Letter specifying how you meet the required and preferred qualifications;
- Statement of teaching philosophy;
- Evidence of teaching effectiveness;
- Contact information for three professional references

Questions about this position should be directed to Dr. Alyssa Clements-Hickman, Search Committee Chair at Alyssa.L.Clements@ttu.edu.

Job Type

Full Time

Pay Basis

Monthly

Pay Statement

Compensation is commensurate upon the qualifications of the individual selected and budgetary guidelines of the hiring department, as well as the institutional pay plan.

Travel Required

Up to 25%

Grant Funded?

No

Job Group

NonTenure track

EEO Statement

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, genetic information or status as a protected veteran.

Salary Grade

800

Applications must be received by

10/28/2026