



AGRICULTURE SCIENCE INSTRUCTOR – LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION PART-TIME POSITION

JOB DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Otero College is seeking a highly motivated and experienced individual to join the College as an Agriculture Science Instructor. The successful candidate will be responsible for designing and delivering high-quality education content that helps students develop the skills and knowledge in agriculture mechanics.

Under the supervision of the Department Chair of Career and Technical Education, the instructor will:

1. Plan and organize course materials, including syllabi, assignments, and student assessments.
2. Develop and implement effective instructional strategies that engage students and facilitate learning both in person and remote classroom environments.
3. Assess and evaluate student progress through assignments, exams, and other measures of performance and provide timely and constructive feedback to support student learning.
4. Stay current on industry best practices and incorporate them into the curriculum.
5. Collaborate with other faculty and staff to ensure program quality and a comprehensive educational experience for students.
6. Participate in faculty meetings, professional development opportunities, and other college events as needed and able.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Associate's degree or related certificate in Agriculture
- 2-4 years of work experience in the Agricultural field
- Hold or be eligible for a Career and Technical Education Credential

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor's degree in Agricultural Science or a related discipline.
- Experience with educational technology
- Prior teaching experience in secondary agricultural education.
- Experience working with diverse populations
- Educational philosophy in alignment with that of a small rural, comprehensive Community College and enthusiasm for this type of environment and the aspirations of its people.

COMPENSATION:

\$506-\$1,139 per credit hour depending upon teaching experience and number of students in the course

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

For consideration, an applicant file must include:

1. Cover letter addressing the minimum and preferred qualifications.
2. Resume
3. Names and phone numbers of three professional references
4. Copy of unofficial transcripts (Official transcripts requested upon hire) - As part of our commitment to a fair hiring process, we invite you to redact any information from your transcripts that may be confidential/protected under law, including your age, date of birth, or dates of attendance/graduation.

Please submit the application file to:

Kelsey Barbee
Director of Human Resources
Otero College
Via email at Kelsey.Barbee@otero.edu
(719) 384-6824

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Open Until Filled - priority will be given to applications received by April 25, 2025

Applicant must submit to and pass a background check.

*****Please Note: Otero College is not able to provide sponsorship for applicants who do not currently have the legal right to work in the United States or require transfer of a Visa.*****

*****Must be a resident of the State of Colorado or able to relocate to Colorado prior to the first date of employment. *****