CALL FOR TENURE-TRACK FACULTY APPOINTMENT
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES

The Department of Chemistry in the Faculty of Natural Sciences at the University of Puerto Rico, Río Piedras Campus, is seeking candidates for a tenure-track faculty position in the areas of Materials Chemistry and/or Polymer Chemistry. Candidates should have experience and a research plan in areas such as the development of lithium and non-lithium batteries (or their components), or emerging technologies like wearable technology sensing. The position is set to begin on August 1, 2025.

Requirements: Applicants must have a Ph.D. or equivalent degree in Chemistry or a related discipline from an accredited university whose degrees are recognized by the University of Puerto Rico; teaching experience at undergraduate and graduate levels; research experience in their area of specialty; commitment to excellence in teaching; demonstrated knowledge in the use of educational technologies; and proficiency in English and Spanish.

Responsibilities: Conduct research and publish in peer-reviewed journals in their area of expertise. Supervise theses, dissertations, and professional practices. Develop proposals for external funding. Teach at undergraduate and graduate levels in daytime, evening, and weekend schedules, both online and in-person. Actively participate in committees and in departmental and university life, as well as fulfill all faculty responsibilities outlined in the UPR General Regulations.

Application Process: Applicants must submit: 1) a letter of intent describing their academic philosophy including their vision on what constitutes good performance in research and chemistry education; 2) updated curriculum vitae; 3) official academic credentials for all degrees; 4) evidence of their research, publications, and creative work; including most relevant publications, or links to Researcher ID, ORCID, and Google Scholar; 5) research plan (3 pages); 6) student and peer evaluations if available; 7) three letters of recommendation.

Interested individuals should send the required documents to the following address:

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Applications will be accepted until December 31, 2024.

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