The Fariborz Maseeh Department of Mathematics and Statistics at Portland State University is seeking a tenure-line faculty position at the assistant or associate professor level in mathematics education with a starting date of September 16, 2014. Applicants must have a Ph.D. in mathematics education and a strong background in mathematics such as a master's degree in the field with an established research record in mathematics education. Applicants must also demonstrate excellence in teaching mathematics, have a record of working with mathematics education doctoral students, and must provide evidence of successful funding support for their research or support for graduate students.

The new hire will be joining an active Mathematics Education faculty within the Fariborz Maseeh Department of Mathematics and Statistics. Currently, several NSF funded projects related to undergraduate mathematics education, elementary mathematics education, statistics and computer science education, the professional development of math teachers, research in the teaching and learning of advanced mathematics and teacher learning are in progress. Other collaborations are possible with mathematics educator colleagues residing in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction in the School of Education or faculty in our new STEM center.

Duties for this position include teaching mathematics and mathematics education courses, advising students, committee assignments, and directing Mathematics Education doctoral dissertations and masters’ level curriculum projects. Successful candidates will be expected to continue a strong research program in mathematics education that includes the procurement of external funding. The specific area of research interest within mathematics, statistics, or computer science education is open.

There are several programs housed in the department involving mathematics education: (i) Ph.D. in Mathematics Education, (ii) MST/MAT in Mathematics (licensing is through the graduate programs in the School of Education, not the department), (iii) Graduate Certificate in Mathematics for Middle School Teachers, (iv) Secondary Education Option in BS/BA Mathematics, (v) Mathematics Minor for Middle School Teachers.

Qualified applicants are invited to submit an application including (1) a letter of intent; (2) a curriculum vitae; (3) three letters of recommendation, at least one of which addresses teaching; (4) a teaching
statement; and (5) a research plan. Transcripts will be requested from finalists. Applications may be sent electronically to mathed@pdx.edu or mailed to:
Search Committee for Mathematics Education
Fariborz Maseeh Department of Mathematics and Statistics
PO Box 751
Portland OR 97207-0751

Review of files will begin on January 2, 2014 and continue until finalists are identified.

Further information about the department and its programs is available at www.pdx.edu/math. You may also call (503) 725-3621 or send an e-mail to mathdept@pdx.edu.

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