The School of Fisheries and Ocean Sciences (SFOS) at the University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF) invites applications for the positions of Assistant/Associate Professor of Chemical Oceanography and Assistant/Associate Professor of Geological Oceanography. One of the few Land, Sea and Space Grant universities in the nation, UAF is noted for research expertise of Alaska’s vast ocean resources which include more than half of the nation’s coastline, three-quarters of the continental shelf and the largest fishery in the world. SFOS has 60 faculty and more than 150 graduate students engaged in research in Alaskan waters and throughout the world. Both tenure-track positions will be located at the SFOS Institute of Marine Science in Fairbanks. Campus facilities are well suited to support broad research interests. The Advanced Instrumentation Laboratory includes a Cameca SX-50 Electron Microprobe, Kevex 7000 Energy Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence Spectrometer, Electroscan E2020 Environmental Scanning Electron Microscope and Wavelength Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence Spectrometer, and an inductively-coupled plasma mass spectrometer (ICPMS). The campus also hosts the regionally utilized Alaska Stable Isotope Facility. Fairbanks is the hub for Alaska’s Interior and Arctic and has first-class accommodations and restaurants, museums, some of Alaska’s top-rated visitor attractions, world-renowned concerts and performances, upscale galleries and specialty stores, historic sites, Alaska Native culture, and easy access to the Alaska wilderness.

Candidates should be enthusiastic about teaching and have strong scientific and academic expertise in chemical or geological oceanography with a background in inorganic or organic marine biogeochemical cycling, paleo-oceanography/climatology, or sediment dynamics. The candidate’s interests should include marine processes in the northern North Pacific and/or Arctic oceans. Alaska’s marine ecosystems offer phenomenal opportunities for research and the applicant should be interested in regional interdisciplinary marine research themes. Successful candidates will be expected to develop a vigorous, externally funded, sea-going research program, to teach core and specialty oceanography courses, and to mentor graduate students. SFOS faculty are also expected to provide public service to the nation, state, and local communities by serving on advisory committees and participating in other university and community activities.

Qualified applicants must possess a Ph.D. in chemical or geological oceanography or related fields from an accredited university by the time of hire; must be proficient in English, have university-level teaching ability and must have a strong research and publication record appropriate to their experience and date of degree.

Additional information about the position can be found on the SFOS website at [www.sfos.uaf.edu/employment](http://www.sfos.uaf.edu/employment).

To apply, please go to [https://www.uakjobs.com](https://www.uakjobs.com). You will be asked to attach a statement of interest, a CV, and contact information for three references. If you need assistance, please contact UAF Human Resources at 907-474-7700. For any other questions about the position please contact Dr. Thomas Weingartner, Search Committee Chair, at 907-474-7993. Review of applications will begin November 6, 2006, and continue until the position is filled.

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