

Part-Time Lecturer in Physics & Astronomy Tufts University

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Job Title	Part-Time Lecturer in Physics & Astronomy
Department	School of Arts & Sciences: Physics & Astronomy
Institution	Tufts University Medford, Massachusetts
Date Posted	Jul. 10, 2025
Application Deadline	Open until filled
Position Start Date	Available immediately
Job Categories	Lecturer/Instructor
Academic Field(s)	Physics - General Astronomy and Astrophysics
Job Website	https://apply.interfolio.com/170004
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Job Description	

The Department of Physics and Astronomy is seeking a part-time lecturer to teach two introductory Astronomy (*Wanderers in Space* and *Concepts of the Cosmos*) and up to two major Physics core courses (these will depend on the lecturer's expertise) in the 2025-26 academic year. A course load of at least three classes makes position benefits-eligible. Prior years' syllabi and educational materials will be provided upon hire.

The successful applicant will have the opportunity to strengthen their teaching expertise through interactions with our faculty, the Tufts Center of Enhancement of Learning and Teaching, and will benefit from our strong tradition of excellence in physics education.

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Qualifications

Applicants should have completed a PhD in physics, astronomy, or a related field. Teaching experience is recommended.

Application Instructions

All applications are submitted via Interfolio, at apply.interfolio.com/170004. Applicants should submit a cover letter, CV including details of prior teaching, brief statement of teaching experience and philosophy, and two confidential letters of recommendation focusing on the applicant's teaching experience and skills. Please arrange for the letters of recommendation to be directly uploaded through the Interfolio portal. The cover letter should include a statement describing the candidate's commitment to diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice. The review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. To ensure full consideration, all materials should be submitted by July 21, 2025. Please contact the department chair, Timothy Atherton (email: timothy.atherton@tufts.edu), with any questions.

All offers are contingent on the successful completion of a background check.

EEO/AA Policy

Tufts University, founded in 1852, prioritizes quality teaching, highly competitive basic and applied research, and a commitment to active citizenship locally, regionally, and globally. Tufts University has also committed to becoming an anti-racist institution and prides itself on the continuous improvement of diversity, equity and inclusion work. Current and prospective employees of the university are expected to have and continuously develop skill in, and disposition for, positively engaging with a diverse population of faculty, staff, and students. Tufts University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. See the University's Non-Discrimination statement and policy here <https://oeo.tufts.edu/policies-procedures/non-discrimination/>. If you are an applicant with a disability who is unable to use our online tools to search and apply for jobs, please contact us by calling the Office of Equal Opportunity (OEO) at 617-627-3298 or at oeo@tufts.edu. Applicants can learn more

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Contact Information

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