MECHANICAL ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT CHAIR

Applications are invited for the position of Professor and Chair of the Mechanical Engineering Department at Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan. The Department offers B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degree programs, and currently consists of approximately 300 undergraduate, 240 MS and 40 PhD students, and a faculty of 18. It houses 3 centers on automotive and low temperature research. In order to accommodate both full-time and part-time students, academic courses are offered during the daytime and in the evenings. Wayne State University is a major urban research university and is a Carnegie doctoral intensive institution. The Detroit Metropolitan area has one of the largest engineering communities in the USA. Sponsored research projects currently total over $2.7 million annually, covering a wide range of topics. Additional information about the College of Engineering and the Mechanical Engineering Department is available at www.eng.wayne.edu

Applicants must hold an earned Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering or a related field and a strong record of scholarly activities, and be eligible for appointment at the rank of full professor in the Mechanical Engineering Department. Demonstrated excellence in research, professional practice, technical leadership, management, and graduate and undergraduate teaching is expected.

Interested candidates should submit a curriculum vitae, a letter of interest detailing personal qualifications and experience as related to this position, and a list of five references with contact information including the full names, addresses, and telephone numbers.

Mail applications to:

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The review of applicants will be done in strict confidence, and will continue until the position is filled. The appointment is anticipated for August 2005.

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