



## Department Chair

### Department of Construction Management and Industrial Engineering

The Department of Construction Management and Industrial Engineering (CMIE) at Louisiana State University (LSU) invites applications/nominations for the position of Department Chair. The incumbent has the opportunity to carry the title of Contractors Educational Trust Fund (CETF) Chair. The department has undergraduate programs in Construction Management and Industrial Engineering, accredited through the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE) and the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET), respectively, and graduate programs either established or in process in both program areas. The department has 22 faculty members and current enrollment of approximately 550 students, including both undergraduates and graduates. LSU is the Flagship University of the State, has Carnegie Research-1 status, with a current enrollment exceeding 29,000 students.

**Responsibilities:** The Chair of the Department of Construction Management and Industrial Engineering serves as its primary administrator. The Chair is responsible for leadership in supporting and advancing teaching, research and outreach activities of the department faculty and for managing departmental needs, including resources, budgets, and personnel. In addition, the Chair is expected to exhibit a commitment to diversity and take a leadership role in the development efforts tied to external funding and interaction with alumni, industry, and friends of the department. The Chair reports directly to the Dean of the College of Engineering and is the primary liaison between the department and the college.

**Qualifications:** Requires an earned doctorate from an appropriate accredited institution in construction management, industrial engineering, or any other closely related discipline. The ability to maintain the CETF Chair requires noteworthy construction or construction management experience.

**Desired Qualifications:** A record of scholarly accomplishments and teaching effectiveness, demonstrated success in academic administrative processes, including team-building, effective mentorship of faculty and staff, and effective communication capabilities with administration, students, alumni, industry advisory council, other industry partners, and the community is desired. Familiarity with ACCE and/or ABET accreditation processes is highly desirable.

**Application:** Should include a complete CV and list of at least three professional references. An offer of employment is contingent on a satisfactory pre-employment background check. Application deadline is March 1, 2010, or until a suitable candidate is selected. We welcome nominations of potential candidates. Apply online at: [www.lsusystemcareers.lsu.edu](http://www.lsusystemcareers.lsu.edu). Position 000872.

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