

**THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**

The Department of Chemistry invites applications for a probationary (tenure-track) faculty position at the rank of Assistant Professor in Inorganic Chemistry with an anticipated start date of July 1, 2012. Candidates with an innovative research proposal in synthetic inorganic chemistry or at the interface of inorganic chemistry and biology are especially encouraged to apply. The successful candidate will be expected to establish an independent, externally funded research program, and to develop and teach innovative courses in chemistry at the undergraduate and graduate levels. The Department of Chemistry (www.uwo.ca/chem) is a large research-intensive department with strong programs in many areas of chemistry and with several interdisciplinary links to research groups in other departments in the Faculties of Science and Engineering and the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry.

Interested candidates should send two hard copies of their application package which includes an up-to-date curriculum vitae, a teaching philosophy and a statement of teaching interests, a description of research accomplishments, and a 5 page research proposal with an appropriate budget, together with the names, mailing and e-mail addresses and telephone numbers of three referees to:

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The deadline for receipt of two printed copies of the full application is November 30, 2011. Applications sent by e-mail will not be considered.

Positions are subject to budgetary approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Western Ontario is committed to employment equity and welcomes applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people and persons with disabilities.