

**ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY  
COLLEGE OF SCIENCES AND MATHEMATICS  
DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES  
SCHOLAR IN RESIDENCE**

The Department of Biological Sciences is offering Scholar in Residence position in Biology to an individual who, in the judgment of a review panel:

- demonstrates outstanding academic achievement.
- remains committed to a career in teaching and a rigorous research program at the university level.
- demonstrates use of diversity as a resource for enriching the education of students.

**Eligible Fields**

Awards will be made for scholars in any discipline in the Biological Sciences.

**Arkansas State University**

Arkansas State University, located in Jonesboro, Arkansas, enjoys a reputation as a quality institution of higher education and is recognized for offering special services to the people of the Arkansas Delta. It is the only comprehensive public university located in this region. Dedicated to teaching, research and service, the university provides students with the broad educational foundations that help develop critical thinking and analytical skills, decision-making capabilities, and communication skills.

**Department of Biological Sciences**

This growing department addresses biological issues ranging from local to global, from molecular to organismal levels. Much of our research is approached from an interdisciplinary perspective through collaborative projects. Our Department has recently increased almost exponentially the number of publications and grant money generated. We are also initiating projects including a new Biodiversity Center and collaborative efforts with the Arkansas Biosciences Institute. For more information see: <http://biology.astate.edu/>

**Stipend and Benefits**

- Competitive annual stipend
- Research stipend to be provide as a start-up package
- Health benefits
- Assistance with securing affordable on-campus housing

**Conditions of Fellowships**

- Teach a maximum of three courses in the Department of Biological Sciences each year.
- Mentor minority students through participation in the McNair Scholars program and undergraduate and graduate research mentoring

**How to Apply**

Submit the following materials:

- Cover letter outlining: academic background, commitment to teaching and mentoring students of ethnic groups normally underrepresented in the natural sciences
- Academic vitae
- Three letters of reference
- Letter from academic advisor verifying ABD status

**Application Deadline February 1 2007; Award notification: April 16, 2007**

Mail application materials to: Dr. Aldemaro Romero, Chair  
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