QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. or M.D. with research and teaching experience is required. Seeking a broadly trained biologist who is comfortable teaching biology majors and nursing students. Additionally, Otterbein is seeking candidates committed to working with diverse audiences in an integrative, liberal arts setting.

WHEN: Beginning Fall 2014.

RESPONSIBILITIES: Teach A&P and Pathophysiology to nursing students and upper level electives to biology majors. Seeking an outstanding candidate with a commitment to teaching in the liberal arts context and the ability to integrate undergraduate premedical students into an active research program. A strong publication record and evidence of teaching effectiveness will be important in the selection process.

DEPARTMENT: The Department of Biology & Earth Science, composed of eleven full-time and five part-time faculty members, prepares students for careers in biology, plant science, molecular biology, environmental science, earth science, and various medical fields. The department offers majors in Biology, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Environmental Science, Sustainability Studies, and Zoo and Conservation Science and minors in Biology, Earth Science and Environmental Studies.

THE UNIVERSITY: Otterbein University is a private, co-educational, comprehensive liberal arts institution founded in 1847 and affiliated with the United Methodist Church. Otterbein enrolls approximately 3,000 students, including full and part-time undergraduates, adult learners, and students enrolled in The Graduate School. Otterbein offers more than 70 majors, as well as individualized fields of study. Master's degree programs are offered in allied health, business administration, education, educational mathematics and nursing, including courses in its newly-accredited nurse anesthesia program in conjunction with Grant Medical Center. Otterbein’s first doctorate program, doctor of nursing practice (DNP), began classes in spring 2011. Accredited since 1913 by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, Otterbein has consistently placed high among peer institutions in U.S. News & World Report’s “Guide to America's Best Colleges” for over a decade. Otterbein is ranked 17th among 147 schools in its category in the 2014 guide. Otterbein has also been recognized by Washington Monthly as a top school for contributions to the public good and by the President’s Higher Education Community Service Honor Roll for its commitment to community service and service-learning.
WHERE: Otterbein University is located in Westerville, Ohio, a suburb of Columbus that has been ranked the fifth friendliest town in America by Forbes and Nextdoor.com in 2012 and 15th on Money Magazine’s 2009 list of Best Places to Live. Westerville has a population of approximately 36,000 people and combines the beauty and convenience of a medium-sized community with the cultural, educational, and economic benefits of Columbus, the state capital; a thriving and diverse metropolitan area of 1.4 million people. Central Ohio is the fastest growing area in the state with stability provided by a diversified economy.

APPLICATION: Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching philosophy, and three (3) current letters of recommendation to: Dr. Paul Eisenstein, Dean, School of Arts and Sciences, Otterbein University, 1 South Grove Street, Westerville, OH USA 43081. Email submissions: academicjobs@otterbein.edu. For full consideration, applications should be received by December 2, 2013, although applications will be reviewed until the position is filled. To learn more about the School of Arts and Sciences, please visit us at www.otterbein.edu/artsandsciences. Otterbein University is an EEO Employer.