

***Plant Ecologist Position  
at the University of North Texas***

**Description:** The University of North Texas (UNT; [www.unt.edu](http://www.unt.edu)) has embarked on a major, multi-year initiative to hire faculty in priority areas, add professional staff and make infrastructure improvements to expand its scientific research. In this context, UNT seeks a Senior Level Plant Ecologist (full professor) with actively funded research in areas such as bryology (taxonomy, biogeography and/or ecology), plant-animal interactions (seed dispersal, pollination, phenology), plant conservation, and global environmental change.

The position will be an integral part of the new interdisciplinary program in Sub-Antarctic Biocultural Research and Conservation ([www.chile.unt.edu](http://www.chile.unt.edu)), which has a focus on the interrelationship of ecology and culture in the temperate and sub-Antarctic ecoregion of southern Chile. The selected individual will become part of the Sub-Antarctic Ecosystems and Biocultural Conservation cluster (<http://subantarctic.unt.edu>) team at UNT that will include a multi-year hiring process to further enhance research activities in the science and practice of ecology and conservation. The position will be expected to support the instructional goals of the university at both the graduate and undergraduate levels. The Program at UNT is coordinated by the Departments of Biological Sciences and Philosophy & Religion Studies with ongoing initiatives linked throughout the university and an intense collaboration with scientists at the Chilean Institute of Ecology and Biodiversity ([www.ieb-chile.cl](http://www.ieb-chile.cl)) and the nascent Chilean Long-Term Socio-Ecological Research Network ([www.ieb-chile.cl/ltser](http://www.ieb-chile.cl/ltser)).

Candidates must have a Ph.D. in ecology or related field and have academic credentials appropriate for the rank of full professor. Preference will be given to candidates with substantial external funding in plant ecology, and those whose research is easily applicable to the sub-Antarctic region.

**For posting details and how to apply, visit:**  
**<https://facultyjobs.unt.edu> (search for “subantarctic”)**

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Search Committee Chairs

About UNT: The University of North Texas (UNT) has about 36,000 students registered in 97 bachelors, 82 masters and 35 doctoral degree programs and more than 7,700 students at the graduate level. UNT is strategically located in Denton, Texas, which is in the northern part of the Dallas/Fort Worth metropolitan area. This area has more than six million people, with significant economic growth, numerous industrial establishments, and excellent school districts. UNT is investing heavily in its growth as a major public research university and a key goal in its 5-year strategic plan is to provide superior graduate education, scholarship and artistic endeavors on par with the nation's elite research universities.

UNT is an ADA/EOE/AA institution committed to diversity in its educational programs.