

Director of Instructional & Research Labs
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| Job Title | Director of Instructional & Research Labs |
| Department | Physics |
| Institution | Auburn University Auburn, Alabama |
| Date Posted | May 30, 2025 |
| Application Deadline | Open until filled |
| Position Start Date | Available immediately |
| Job Categories | Director/Manager |
| Academic Field(s) | Research |
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Job Summary

The Department of Physics at Auburn University is excited to begin the search for a Director of instructional and Research Labs. This position oversees all operation, leadership, direction, and administration of the laboratories in accordance with university and governmental regulations.

Essential Functions

- Monitors and reports on the physics instructional facilities, including all undergraduate teaching laboratories in Leach Science Center (LSC), the Astronomy Terrace (LSC) and the Academic Classroom and Laboratory Complex (ACLC) physics demonstration facility.

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- Administers the undergraduate laboratories to include the coordination of teaching assistant assignments and supervision of all Physics Graduate Teaching Assistants.
- Maintains all instructional support equipment including those for (1) undergraduate teaching laboratories, (2) LSC Astronomy Terrace, and (3) ACLC Demonstration facility. Identifies and prioritizes laboratory equipment purchases.
- Manages instructional support budget associated with three equipment areas above along with instructional computers (~100 individual PCs)
- Works with AU Physics office staff to schedule laboratory sections associated with 1000+ level physics courses.
- Oversees safety procedures and training associated with undergraduate instruction.
- Coordinates equipment use for department activities pertaining to graduate and undergraduate outreach.
- Teaches laboratory sections when needed.

Why Work at Auburn?

- **Life-Changing Impact:** Our work changes lives through research, instruction, and outreach, making a lasting impact on our students, our communities, and the world.
- **Culture of Excellence:** We are committed to leveraging our strengths, resources, collaboration, and innovation as a top employer in higher education.
- **We're Here for You:** Auburn offers generous benefits, educational opportunities, and a culture of support and work/life balance.
- **Sweet Home Alabama:** The Auburn/Opelika area offers southern charm, vibrant downtown scenes, top-ranked schools, and easy access to Atlanta, Birmingham, and the Gulf of Mexico beaches.
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Contact Information

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