

The University of Southern Mississippi Department of Mathematics Announces

THE WRIGHT W. & ANNIE REA CROSS ENDOWED CHAIR IN
MATHEMATICS.

The Department of Mathematics invites applications for Wright W. & Annie Rea Cross Endowed Chair in Mathematics. We are seeking an established scholar with a successful record of engaging undergraduates in meaningful research experience. The position will begin August 2008. The faculty member holding the Cross Endowed Chair must be a senior Ph.D. faculty member in mathematics with a demonstrated record of distinguished and sustained research and excellence in teaching. Responsibilities of the individual holding the Cross Endowed Chair include providing leadership for the department's undergraduate research program, recruiting high ability undergraduate students in mathematics to become Cross Scholars, directing undergraduate research projects, and publicizing the program and student accomplishments. The Cross Endowed Chair will be a five year appointment with the possibility of renewal. Concurrently, the Cross Endowed Chair will hold a continuing senior faculty position in the department. Review of applications will begin by December 14, 2007 and will continue until the Cross Endowed Chair is filled. A letter of application, research summary, curriculum vitae, brief statement of professional goals, history of mentoring undergraduate research experiences, and the names and contact information for four references should be sent to the address below. Salary will be competitive with that expected for a distinguished senior mathematics faculty member at a major research university. If you have questions concerning the position, you may email Dr. Myron Henry, Search Committee Chair at myron.henry@usm.edu.

Please mail applications to:
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