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**Department** School of Hospitality Management

**Institution** Auburn University

Auburn, Alabama

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Application Deadline Open until filled
Position Start Date August 2025

Job Categories Lecturer/Instructor

Senior Lecturer

Academic Field(s) Hospitality/Tourism Management

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**Job Description** 

### **Position Summary**

Auburn University seeks a full-time, 9-month non-tenure track appointment as a lecturer (95% teaching, 5% service), renewable annually based on need, funding, and performance. The position is housed in the Horst Schulze School of Hospitality Management, which is part of the College of Human Sciences and will begin in August 2025. Summer teaching may be available based on need, but it is not guaranteed.

## Responsibilities

The primary teaching responsibilities for this position will be focused on food and beverage classes and their associated laboratory sections. Classes of responsibility will include HOSP 2400, Food Production in Hospitality, and HOSP 4300, Food and Beverage Management. The lecturer will also be responsible for overseeing, managing, grading, and improving multiple sections of laboratory courses that support the student's educational experience. Graduate Teaching Assistants (GTAs) will also be



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provided to assist with laboratory courses.

Additional responsibilities will be working with faculty to ensure that the corresponding laboratory experiences support the learning objectives and goals for those courses. This position will also require a successful applicant to work with the management and leadership team in 1856, a teaching restaurant, which is located within the Tony and Libba Rane Culinary Science Center. The lecture for each of the classes will be one day a week. The number of laboratory sections will be based on need and enrollment in each course. The successful applicant will also help the program meet and exceed the associated learning objectives pursuant to the school's accreditation with the Accreditation Council for Programs in Hospitality Administration (ACPHA).

The lecturer will also assist the program with undergraduate academic advising. The successful applicant will participate in the formation of school policies related to the undergraduate curriculum but will not participate in decisions regarding promotion and tenure, graduate faculty membership, or policies unrelated to the curriculum except as they directly affect the lecturer's role. The lecturer will be dedicated almost entirely to teaching and will not be required to develop, pursue, or maintain an independent research agenda. This assignment will require a high level of dedication to effective teaching. The lecturer will be reviewed annually by the School Head. Based on the College and School guidelines, the lecturer will be eligible for promotion to Senior Lecturer.

### SETTING

The College of Human Sciences provides programs that promote living well through a focus on human health and well-being. Students in the College of Human Sciences receive a world-class education through curriculums focused on igniting creativity to discover sustainable solutions for improving quality of life around the world.

The Horst Schutze School of Hospitality Management is housed in the College of Human Sciences at Auburn University. The school offers bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degree options that include campus-based programming as well as a master's degree distance education options. The Hospitality Management Program's undergraduate enrollment is approximately 385 students. Program faculty are intent on increasing enrollment to approximately 550 students over the next 5 years across all three study options, including Hotel and Restaurant Management, Event Management, and Culinary Science. All programming is delivered in the Tony and Libba Rane Culinary Science Center, which was completed in the summer of 2022. This 142,000-square-foot education center houses six floors of state-of-the-art hospitality teaching classrooms and hands-on learning laboratories. The center has several food production laboratories, a commercial food production kitchen, a student training restaurant (1856 Restaurant), a bakery and coffee roasting facility, a microbrewery, wine and distilled spirits education laboratories, a spa, a rooftop garden, and an event center, and an ultra-luxury training hotel (The



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Laurel). The center also features a very interactive food hall encompassing two business incubation units. Auburn University is a comprehensive, multi-cultural university and land-grant institution located in Auburn, Alabama, enrolling 30,000 students.

See <a href="https://www.humsci.auburn.edu/hosp/">https://www.humsci.auburn.edu/hosp/</a> for more information about the Hospitality Management Program at Auburn University. Auburn University is understanding of and sensitive to the family needs of faculty, including dual-career couples <a href="http://www.auburn.edu/academic/provost/facultyjobs/">http://www.auburn.edu/academic/provost/facultyjobs/</a>.

### **Contact Information**

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