

Glenn Murphy Professorships for Visiting Faculty



IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY College of Engineering

The College of Engineering Glenn Murphy Professorship Program is intended to invite outstanding faculty affiliated with another academic institution to spend up to an academic semester in the College of Engineering at Iowa State University to create a diverse scholarly community who will help enhance the research and graduate education missions of the college. The Professorship will include a Visiting Faculty Appointment and provide a stipend and funds for travel support. Departments will provide office space for the duration of the professorship and can provide as is appropriate and at their discretion, a nominal amount for project related expenses.

Glenn Murphy Visiting Professors are expected to be on campus the majority duration of the professorship and will be hosted primarily in one department in the college of engineering. They are expected to make contributions to the research and scholarship enterprise of the college of engineering, which can include **1)** engaging in research and scholarship activities in collaboration with faculty in the College of Engineering and/or across campus; **2)** engaging the campus community via seminars and workshops; and **3)** engaging in selected service activities in the host departments. These fellowships are primarily intended to be awarded to faculty at the rank of associate or full professor (or equivalent).

Application Process

Applications for the Glenn Murphy Professorship can only be submitted to the Dean's office by the department chairs. If you are interested in this opportunity, your first step is to connect with the pertinent department chair to ensure alignment with the department portfolio. If the chair determines to submit a nomination, it will include the following items:

- A nominating cover letter by the Department Chair outlining how the nominee meets the criteria for the professorship. The letter must address how the candidate's record of scholarship and proposed project will enhance the department and college's research and graduate education missions.
- CV of the nominee
- A project proposal statement (3 pages or less) from the nominee on a specific project or projects that they will work on as well as specific faculty that they will collaborate within the college and across campus

Criteria for Selection

- Synergy of research expertise with the strategic areas of the College of Engineering
- Record of scholarly accomplishment and as a university citizen, commensurate with rank
- Strength of project proposal and potential for enhancing the research and graduate education missions of the college
- Contributions of the candidate to creating a diverse community of scholars in the college of engineering

Direct any questions
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