NOTICE OF FACULTY VACANCY
Assistant Professor of Bands

POSITION: The Department of Music at the University of Texas at San Antonio seeks qualified applicants for an Assistant Professor of Music (Tenured/Tenure Track) to serve in the role of Associate Director of Bands. Primary responsibilities involve conducting the various bands in the program, working with instrumental faculty in developing the band area, teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in instrumental conducting, providing leadership in recruiting, and advising undergraduate and graduate students. Additional responsibilities may include instrumental music education courses and others depending upon the candidate’s areas of expertise and departmental need.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS: An earned doctorate in music, evidence of successful conducting experience with university bands, demonstrated artistic leadership and collaboration in cultivating and managing a large instrumental band program, and evidence of successful recruiting. Preferred qualifications include public school band directing experience, five years of successful university band conducting, including athletic bands, experience supervising graduate conductors in a wind band setting, evidence of national creative/scholarly contributions to the field, including demonstrated success in regional and/or national music venues.

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC: The Department offers programs leading to the B.M. in music education, performance, composition, and music marketing, and the M.M. in music education, conducting, performance, piano pedagogy and vocal pedagogy. The faculty comprises 55 members who serve a student body of approximately 300 undergraduates and 30 graduate students. The Department occupies a facility that includes a 500-seat Recital Hall, two large rehearsal halls, practice rooms, classrooms, and faculty studios and offices. A recording studio is available for students and faculty at the Downtown Campus. In 2011 the UTSA Spirit of San Antonio marching band performed in shows for the inaugural Roadrunner football season to large crowds in the Alamodome, and helped set the NCAA record for first game attendance.

THE UNIVERSITY: More than 31,000 students are currently enrolled at The University of Texas at San Antonio at two campus locations. UTSA offers more than 50 undergraduate, masters, and doctoral degrees through its six colleges and The Office of Graduate Studies. The Department of Music is part of the College of Liberal and Fine Arts, which includes eleven departments. The Department of Music is housed on the 600-acre Main Campus, located 20 minutes from downtown San Antonio in the South Texas Hill Country. The UTSA Downtown Campus, which opened in July of 1997, includes four buildings, a 300-seat theater, music technology labs, and a recording studio. UTSA competes as a Division I BCS conference member in the Western Athletic Conference (2012), and the Conference USA (2013).

SAN ANTONIO: The seventh largest city in the United States, San Antonio has many multicultural attributes. Best known for its historic and cultural attractions, such as the Spanish Missions National Park, the Riverwalk, and the Alamo, the city is enjoying unprecedented growth with a rapid influx of new residents and businesses. The city's arts institutions include a number of organizations that sponsor concert, recital, opera, and dance series. San Antonio also has several art museums and galleries.

APPLICATIONS: Applicants must submit electronically a letter of application stating the rank for which you are applying, curriculum vitae, and names, addresses, and telephone numbers of at least three people who will act as references. The review of completed applications will begin on October 1, 2012 and will continue until the position is filled. Do not send other supportive materials at this time. Applicants considered for the position will be required to submit conducting audios/videos and support letters at a later date. A.B.D. candidates must complete the degree by August 1, 2013. Applicants who are selected for interviews must be able to show proof that they will be eligible and qualified to work in the United States by time of hire. The appointment is effective Fall 2013. Appointment subject to budgetary approval. Send applications to:

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UTSA is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. Women, minorities, veterans, and individuals with disabilities, are encouraged to apply.