



**USF Faculty Class Specification**

CLASS TITLE: Associate Scholars/Scientist/Engineer

CLASS CODE: 9161

FLSA: Professional

Effective Date: 1/1/1996

**Title: Associate Scholar/Scientist/Engineer**

**Description**

- Responsible to a Chair or other appropriate administrator of a State university.
- Responsible for conducting, participating in, and/or administering research, training, and/or cooperative extension programs/projects.
- Responsible for administering research projects or conducting research for a specific program or project, and writing research papers for publication.
- Responsible for training human resources involved in specific research projects and programs.
- May be involved in teaching and related activities.

**Minimum Qualification**

Doctoral degree from an accredited institution or the highest degree in an appropriate field of specialization with a demonstrated record of academic research achievement, or professional qualifications in the field of specialization above those which would be equivalent to the highest degree.

Must meet university criteria for appointment which is equivalent to that required of the rank of Associate Professor.