## VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

## **TENURE-TRACK FACULTY POSITION IN STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING**

The Department of Civil Engineering at Valparaiso University, located in Valparaiso, Indiana, invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position in the area of structural engineering beginning in August 2014. All areas within the field of structural engineering will be considered; however, preference will be given to candidates with a demonstrated ability to develop an experimental research program that will utilize the structural engineering laboratory located in the Donald V. Fites Engineering Innovation Center.

The successful candidate will be responsible for teaching undergraduate courses, developing a research program that incorporates undergraduate students, and providing service to the department and profession. Teaching responsibilities could include courses in structural engineering, introductory civil engineering courses, the civil engineering capstone design sequence, and introductory general engineering courses. Candidates should have a strong commitment to teaching excellence and have the ability to communicate effectively with students and colleagues. The candidate shall have the legal authority to work in the USA, shall have completed a Ph.D. in civil engineering or closely related discipline, and will obtain their professional engineering license prior to the conclusion of the tenure track period. Preference will be given to candidates with a BSCE from an ABET-accredited institution.

Valparaiso University (www.valpo.edu) is a private, church-related institution of higher learning distinguished by its Lutheran heritage of scholarship, freedom, and faith. Candidates should be interested in working at a university engaged in issues in Christian higher education in the Lutheran tradition. Additionally, successful candidates will demonstrate a commitment to cultural diversity and the ability to work with individuals or groups from diverse backgrounds.

Review of applicants will begin January 15, 2014 and will continue until the position is filled. Please submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, a statement of teaching philosophy and experience, a statement of research interests and a list of three references to Dr. John Schemmel at John.Schemmel@Valpo.edu or via mail to Dr. John Schemmel, Department of Civil Engineering, Gellersen Center, 1900 Chapel Drive, Valparaiso, Indiana 46383.

Valparaiso University does not unlawfully discriminate and aims to employ persons of various backgrounds and experiences to help constitute a diverse community. Its entire EOE policy can be found at http://www.valpo.edu/equalopportunity/index.php. Employment at Valparaiso University will require a satisfactory criminal background check.