



Dr. Edward D'Antonio accepted the position at the University of South Carolina Beaufort (USCB) in Bluffton, South Carolina because he wanted to start an independent career as a biochemist and to have the opportunity to teach at the undergraduate environment.

His teaching at USCB has been outstanding. Overall, He has taught 7 different courses, including: General Chemistry I and II, Chemistry of Life, Principles of Biochemistry, Forensic Techniques and Data Analysis, Quantitative Analysis, and Seminar in Biochemistry Research and also laboratory courses, including those for: General Chemistry I and II, Principles of Biochemistry, Quantitative Analysis, and Research (see Teaching Binder, Supplementary Information).

Dr. Edward D'Antonio's research focuses on Chagas' Disease, a disease that results in the enlargement of the heart or other organs due to inflammation caused by an infection of *Trypanosoma cruzi* parasites.