

Assistant Professor - Tenure Stream

Job Posting: September 15th 2011

Description:

The Department of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy, University of Toronto invites applications for a tenure-stream appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor. The start date will be January 1, 2012.

We seek candidates with scholarship in enabling occupational transitions, community and workplace integration, or aging. The successful candidate's scholarship will situate occupation as a key determinant of health and wellbeing. Programs of research in primary and home care, brain and behaviour, inclusive strategies for marginalized populations, effective and cost effective practices, and new models of occupational therapy service delivery are of particular interest. Evidence of excellence in teaching and research is required.

The successful candidate will align their externally funded research program with brain injuries, mental health or chronic disease prevention and management. Teaching and supervision will be in both the MScOT program in the Department of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy, and the doctoral stream of the Graduate Department of Rehabilitation Science. The successful candidate will have completed a post-doctoral fellowship or equivalent. All other scholarship being equal, an occupational therapist will be preferred. Salary to be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

The Department enjoys partnerships with many cognate departments and community organizations, and is affiliated with 9 Academic Health Science Centres and 20 teaching hospitals. The Department was recently recognized by external evaluators as one of the top three MScOT programs in North America. The University of Toronto offers the opportunity to teach, conduct research and live in one of the most culturally diverse cities in the world.

Please submit your application online at <https://utoronto.taleo.net/careersection/10050/jobdetail.ftl>. Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, a statement outlining current and future research interests, examples of publications, and materials relevant to teaching experience. We encourage applicants to combine PDF or MS WORD documents in one or two files. Applicants should also ask three referees to email letters directly to ot.chair@utoronto.ca. Closing date for this position is November 13, 2011.

The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

For more information about the Department of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy, please visit our home page at <http://www.ot.utoronto.ca>.