Job Description

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Job Title: ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
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Category: FACULTY

Description: The Department of Preventive Medicine at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC) seeks a full-time tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor (rank commensurate with credentials and education) for an academic position in Biostatistics. The University of Tennessee Health Science Center (UTHSC) is a major medical and research center located in Memphis, Tennessee, which is a medium size, ethnically diverse, with a low cost of living. Excellent opportunities are available for collaborative research in human genetics, genomics, epidemiological studies, systems biology, biostatistics, molecular biology, and bioinformatics. Minimum qualifications for the position are a PhD in Statistics, Biostatistics, Epidemiology (with dissertation in methodological research) or related area. Candidates with clinical and public health research experience are especially encouraged to apply. Rank will be commensurate with experience. Primary criteria for appointment will be experience, demonstrated ability in research, a relevant publication record in peer-reviewed journals, and evidence of successful teaching. The successful applicant will work closely with a multidisciplinary team of biostatisticians, epidemiologists and clinicians at UTHSC and its affiliates. Responsibilities for this position include: 1) collaboration and consultation with faculty on design and analytic methods for research proposals and current research projects; 2) teaching 1-2 graduate courses per year and to supervise student research; and 3) preparation of grants, reports and manuscripts. Applicants must have a commitment to diversity and equal opportunity. Interested applicants should submit electronically a copy of their curriculum vitae, a cover letter describing research interests and teaching experience, and at least three recommendation letters, one of which is preferred to be from the Ph.D. advisor, to Mehmet Kocak, Ph.D., the Chair of the Biostatistics Faculty Search Committee, Department of Preventive Medicine, the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, at mkocak1@uthsc.edu.

All qualified applicants will receive equal consideration for employment and admissions without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, pregnancy, marital status, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, physical or mental disability, or covered veteran status. Eligibility and other terms and conditions of employment benefits at The University of Tennessee are governed by laws and regulations of the State of Tennessee, and this non-discrimination statement is intended to be consistent with those laws and regulations. In accordance with the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, The University of Tennessee affirmatively states that it does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, or disability in its education programs and activities, and this policy extends to employment by the University. Inquiries and charges of violation of Title VI (race, color, national origin), Title IX (sex), Section 504 (disability), ADA (disability), Age Discrimination in Employment Act (age), sexual orientation, or veteran status should be directed to the Office of Equity and Diversity (OED), 920 Madison Avenue, Suite 420, Memphis, Tennessee 38163, telephone 901-448-7382 (V/TTY available). Requests for accommodation of a disability should be directed to the ADA Coordinator at the Office of Equity and Diversity.