

Faculty Search - Assistant or Associate Professor of Biostatistics

Assistant or Associate Professor of Biostatistics at the University of California, Davis School of Medicine Department of Public Health Sciences, Division of Biostatistics

The University of California, Davis, School of Medicine is recruiting for a junior academic position at the Assistant/Associate Professor level (100% FTE)

As an assistant/associate faculty member, the appointee's responsibilities will include collaborative research, independent research and teaching biostatistics, as well as mentoring students. Applicants must possess a doctoral degree in biostatistics or statistics and have experience in teaching biostatistics to biostatistics or statistics and non specialist audiences. An established record of collaborative and independent methodological research is required, including demonstrated experience with the design, analysis and reporting of epidemiologic and medical studies and experience in obtaining grant funding. Experience with cancer research, imaging, clinical trials, translational or health services research is highly desirable. Previous experience in Center or Program Project cores is highly desirable. Demonstrated experience or potential for assuming administrative and leadership roles for biostatistics in a School of Medicine or School of Public Health setting are highly desirable. Preference will be given to candidates with strong written and verbal communication abilities. Candidates must have the ability to work cooperatively and collegially within a diverse environment.

The Department of Public Health Sciences (<http://phs.ucdavis.edu/>) is a major research and teaching Department in the School of Medicine, with 31 full-time faculty members. In addition to epidemiologic research within the Department, Department faculty have active collaboration with many faculty in other departments and centers of the School of Medicine, including the Department of Internal Medicine, the Clinical and Translational Research Center, the Cancer Center, the M.I.N.D. Institute, and the Alzheimer's Disease Center. Collaborations also exist with other faculty on the UC Davis campus, including in the School of Veterinary Medicine, the College of Agriculture and Environmental Sciences, the Center for Health and the Environment, and elsewhere. Areas of active research in the Department include occupational / environmental health, cancer, reproductive and women's health, aging, nutrition, pulmonary disease and injuries/accidents. Department faculty are principal investigators and collaborators on many large cohort studies in addition to work on a wide range of other epidemiologic studies and clinical trials. We offer a Master's in Public Health program on the UC Davis campus. Department faculty also participate in doctoral education through the Graduate Groups in Epidemiology, Biostatistics and Clinical Research and the Graduate Program in Statistics.

This position may, at times, require the incumbent to work with or be in areas where

hazardous materials and/or infectious diseases are present. Specific hazards of the position may include but are not limited to ergonomic stressors involved in computer work.

Candidates should send a cover letter referencing position #PU-05R-10, a CV and the names of five references to Laurel A. Beckett, Ph.D., (labeckett@phs.ucdavis.edu) Professor and Chief, Division of Biostatistics, MS1C, University of California, Davis, CA 95616. To receive full consideration, applications must be received by September 30, 2010. However, applications will be accepted and the position will remain open until filled, through June 30, 2011.

The University of California is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer with a strong institutional commitment to the achievement of diversity among its faculty, staff and students.