

The UNIVERSITY of OKLAHOMA. Health Sciences Center

Hudson College of Public Health

FACULTY POSITION IN BIOSTATISTICS Associate/Full Professor

The Department of Biostatistics and Epidemiology in the Hudson College of Public Health, University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center (OUHSC), is recruiting a tenure-track faculty position in biostatistics at the rank of Associate or Full Professor. Individuals with clinical and translational biostatistical research, biostatistical consulting experience and mentoring proficiency are especially encouraged to apply. Responsibilities include maintaining an active research program, teaching graduate-level courses in biostatistics, mentoring masters and doctoral students, and participating in professional service. The successful candidate will serve as the Director of the Biostatistical, Epidemiology and Research Design (BERD) Core of the Oklahoma Shared Clinical & Translational Resources (OSCTR). The mission of the BERD Core is to enable OSCTR investigators and partner institutions to design, perform, and report rigorous, reproducible, and innovative studies that can be applied to improve disease understanding, health and health outcomes in Oklahoma and other IDeA states. The BERD comprises a Consultative and Collaborative Support Unit, the Clinical Epidemiology Unit, and a Novel Methodologies Unit.

Candidates must hold a doctoral degree in biostatistics, statistics, or related field. Candidates must also demonstrate a record of scholarly achievement appropriate for a senior career level, including a record of publications in peer-reviewed journals, extramurally funded research as a principal or co-investigator, current funding or strong potential to secure external funding, the ability to collaborate across disciplines, and a positive team spirit. Salary is based on experience and credentials. All OUHSC faculty also participate in an incentive pay program based on research productivity. New faculty will also have the opportunity to assist in designing and establishing interdisciplinary and collaborative research initiatives with various departments and centers across the campus, including the Oklahoma Clinical and Translational Science Institute, Peggy and Charles Stephenson Cancer Center, the Harold Hamm Diabetes Center, and other health institutions in the region.

The Department of Biostatistics and Epidemiology is one of four departments in the CEPH-accredited Hudson College of Public Health. The department currently mentors approximately 60 students in MPH, MS, and PhD programs and performs active research in the analysis of longitudinal and other correlated data, survival analysis methods, clinical trials methodologies, health disparities, tobacco control, communicable diseases, trauma-related health outcomes, environmental exposures and reproductive outcomes and cancer prevention and control.

Oklahoma City is the anchor of a rapidly growing, multicultural metropolitan area with a population of 1.3 million, over 300 days of sunshine annually, very affordable cost of living, excellent schools and a wide array of cultural amenities (<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rVc4pgBGO28</u>). The OUHSC is the hub of the Oklahoma Health Center, which includes 25 public and private health institutions. Located near the vibrant and growing downtown area of Oklahoma City, it is one of only a few academic medical centers in the nation with seven schools of health in contiguous space (Public Health, Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Pharmacy, Allied Health, and Graduate College). The Oklahoma State Department of Health is also located on the campus.

Individuals interested in applying should send a letter outlining qualifications and research and teaching interests, current curriculum vitae, a preferred email address for confidential correspondence, and the names and contact information of three references. The search is confidential, and applicants will be contacted prior to requesting letters of reference. All materials should be emailed in a single pdf file to laura-beebe@ouhsc.edu.

Review of candidates will begin immediately. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. OUHSC is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action institution which includes protected veterans and individuals with disabilities.