The Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry and the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Western University is seeking an innovative scientist of international standing in One Health. One Health is an integrative, systems approach field comprising of medical, sociological, economical, ecological, and animal/wildlife aspects in relation to human health and disease. We invite applications from outstanding investigators with exceptional mentoring records and sustained, high levels of research productivity to apply. Qualified applicants must hold an MD, PhD or MD/PhD and a demonstrated record of outstanding research and publications in the field of One Health.

A successful candidate holding a PhD in a relevant field will be appointed in a probationary (tenure-track)/tenured position at the level of Associate Professor or Full Professor depending on the qualifications, interests, and experience of the successful candidate. Compensation for this position will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The candidate will be appointed in the Department of Pathology in the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry.

A successful candidate holding an M.D. or M.D./PhD will be appointed in a continuing (Clinical Academic) appointment at the level of Associate Professor or Full Professor, depending on the qualifications, interests, and experience. The successful candidate will also be certified or eligible to be certified as a member of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada and be eligible for licensure in the Province of Ontario. Compensation will be based on qualifications and experience. The candidate will be appointed in the Department of Pathology in the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry. Clinical appointment(s) to the London Hospitals will be negotiated as required.

The successful candidate will take a leadership role as the Beryl Ivey Chair in One Health and will take part in the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry Interfaculty Program in Public Health. Disruption of ecosystems is known to be associated with many diseases in humans. The candidate should have demonstrated understanding and appreciation for research in these areas, while maintaining his/her strong research program in particular condition(s) associated with ecosystem disruptions. Candidates should also have a commitment to and demonstrated aptitude for One Health education and will be expected to teach and supervise both at the undergraduate and at the graduate levels. Successful candidates should have the vision and skills required to develop and promote the development of novel research and education in the One Health program and to form effective collaborative partnerships with colleagues from a wide range of scientific disciplines including but not limited to natural and basic sciences, social sciences and clinical sciences.

The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine has 40 full time faculty members, more than 32 full and part time graduate students and 6 staff. It is one of 21 departments in the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry (http://www.schulich.uwo.ca/). The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at Western University is affiliated with London Health Sciences Centre, one of Canada’s largest acute care teaching hospitals and St Joseph’s Health care. The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at London Health Sciences Centre provides a comprehensive range of specialized laboratory testing and clinical consultation to support diagnosis and monitor treatment of patients within London, Southwestern Ontario, nationally and internationally.

Western is one of Canada’s leading research-intensive universities, and Schulich Medicine & Dentistry has a long history of excellence in basic biomedical, applied and clinical research. Western has a full range of academic and professional programs for over 37,000 undergraduate and graduate students. The university campus is in London, with a metropolitan census of approximately 530,000, located midway between Toronto and Detroit. London boasts an international airport, galleries, theatre, music and sporting events and is located close to several lakes and facilities for outdoor activities (www.goodmovelondon.ca). Western’s Recruitment and Retention Office is available to assist in the transition of successful applicants and their families to the university and city.

Consideration of applicants will include an assessment of previous performance and qualifications, including those which go beyond the requirements for the position, and experience. Please send a letter of intent, detailed
curriculum vitae, statements of research and teaching, and the names and contact information of three references to:

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Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin after October 30, 2016. Anticipated start date is January 1, 2017 or as negotiated.

For PhD applicants, please ensure that the form available at the link below is completed and included in your application submission:
http://www.uwo.ca/facultyrelations/faculty/Application-FullTime-Faculty-Position-Form.pdf

For MD and MD/PhD applicants, please ensure that the form available at the link below is completed and included in your application submission:
http://uwo.ca/facultyrelations/physicians/Application_FullTime_Clinical.pdf

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Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized groups/visible minorities, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Brigitte Neale at Brigitte.Neale@Schulich.uwo.ca phone 519-661-2111 ext. 82698.

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