

**Tier 2 Canada Research Chair
In
Medical Health Informatics**
*Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry
The University of Western Ontario*

The University of Western Ontario (Western), one of Canada's leading research intensive universities, seeks applicants for a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair in Medical Health Informatics. In accordance with the regulations set for Tier 2 Canada Research Chairs (www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca), the candidate will be an excellent emerging scientist who has demonstrated research creativity and innovation, and the potential to achieve international recognition in the field of medical health informatics within the next five to ten years. The Candidate must propose an original and innovative research program of high quality which would attract excellent trainees, students and future researchers.

Applicants must hold a Ph.D. (and/or an M.D., D.D.S) or equivalent. The successful candidate will be appointed in a tenure-track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor, or at an Associate Professor level if qualifications and experience warrant. The appointment will be made to the appropriate department suitable to the candidate's background and qualifications with an opportunity(s) for a cross-appointment(s) to an appropriate Clinical or Basic Science Department and/or affiliated research institutes.

The successful candidate will be expected to establish an independent, externally funded, research program. We seek candidates with a strong research record and expertise in medical health informatics. Researchers with expertise in the development and application of databases, electronic health records, and/or information systems to improve human health are encouraged to apply. The position will allow the candidate to take a leadership role in medical health informatics, which has been identified as an emerging area of research strength at The University of Western Ontario.

With full time enrollment of about 32,000, Western graduates students from a range of academic and professional programs. Further information about The University of Western Ontario can be found at <http://www.uwo.ca>. Western's Recruitment & Retention Office is available to assist in the transition of successful applications and their families.

Please send a detailed curriculum vitae, a brief description of current research program, accomplishments, and future plans, copies of representative publication, and the names of three references to:

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Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin May, 2012.

Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. The University of Western Ontario is committed to employment equity and welcomes applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people and persons with disabilities.