

DIRECTOR, BRESCIA SCHOOL of FOOD and NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES

Applications are invited for the position of Director, Brescia School of Food and Nutritional Sciences (BSFNS), Faculty of Health Sciences. Applicants must hold a tenured appointment at Western, have a PhD, and be a Registered Dietitian. The Director will lead an interdisciplinary group of researchers and educators and will contribute meaningfully to the highly collaborative FHS Leadership Team. Along with demonstrated expertise in research, teaching, and leadership, the ideal candidate will have a track record as an excellent communicator, strategic thinker, with experience in collaboration and team building. The anticipated start date of the appointment is **July 1, 2025**, or as negotiated, and be for a three- to five-year term, renewable.

Western University delivers an academic experience second to none. Western challenges the best and brightest faculty, staff, and students to commit to the highest global standards. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western attracts individuals with a broad worldview, seeking to study, influence, and lead in the international community. Since 1878, The Western Experience has combined academic excellence with life-long opportunities for intellectual, social, and cultural growth in order to better serve our communities.

Interested applicants are invited to submit a complete application package, as a single PDF file, containing the following:

- Cover letter that outlines their interest and qualifications for the role, and a statement on Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Decolonization in relation to their teaching, research, and/or service
- Curriculum vitae
- Brief statement on teaching, research, and leadership accomplishments, and reflections on the future for Food and Nutritional Sciences profession.
- Names and contact information of three academic referees

The application package can be submitted via email to:

Dr. S. Jayne Garland Professor and Dean Faculty of Health Sciences Western University 200L - Arthur & Sonia Labatt Health Sciences Building London, Ontario, Canada N6A 5B9 c/o wechebot@uwo.ca

Application deadline is January 13, 2025. Please quote number HS-280 on all correspondence.

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, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Wanda Chebott, Executive Assistant to the Dean of Health Sciences at <u>wechebot@uwo.ca</u>, 519-661-4239.

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