



## SCHULICH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY Probationary (Tenure-Track) Assistant/Associate Professor Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics and Department of Surgery

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**Position Profile**: The Departments of Epidemiology and Biostatistics and Surgery invites applications for a fulltime probationary (tenure-track) faculty position at the rank of Assistant Professor or Associate Professor, or a full-time (tenured) faculty position at the rank of Associate Professor, depending upon experience and qualifications at the time of appointment.

**Qualifications**: The successful candidate must have a PhD in epidemiology or a related discipline, evidence of research productivity (peer-reviewed publications), and a strong commitment to excellence in teaching. The successful candidate will have proven ability to obtain internal and external peer-reviewed grants to support independent research in clinical epidemiology, patient outcomes, clinical research methods and trials, and musculoskeletal conditions. Furthermore, the candidate must have excellent interpersonal and communication skills and be able to work effectively to promote and contribute to collaborative interdisciplinary initiatives.

Academic Expectations: The successful candidate will be expected to teach at the undergraduate, graduate and post-graduate levels. Responsibilities of this position will also include supervision of undergraduate, graduate, and post-graduate research students. Active participation in research projects, interdisciplinary collaboration on research grants, and serving on committees within the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics and Surgery will also be expected. Applicants considered at the rank of Associate Professor must have demonstrated the ability to publish in the highest quality academic and subspecialty outlets and be a recognized expert in their field of research. The successful candidate will play an important role in the development of a new master's program in clinical epidemiology led by the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics .

**Compensation Details:** Compensation for this position will be an academic salary commensurate with qualifications and experience.

**The City**: The University campus is in London, Ontario, Canada 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 (<u>www.goodmovelondon.ca</u>). Western's Recruitment and Retention Office is available to assist in the transition of successful applicants and their families to the university and city.

**The University**: 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. With annual research funding exceeding \$220 million, and an international reputation for success, Western ranks as one of Canada's top research-intensive universities. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western also provides an exceptional employment experience, offering competitive salaries, a wide range of employment opportunities and one of Canada's most beautiful campuses.

The Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics has 99 faculty members including core, cross-appointed and adjunct members, and offers an Honors Specialization, Major and Minor Module at the undergraduate level as well as a PhD program and a thesis-based MSc program. Information on the Department of Epidemiology and

Biostatistics' research programs, including clusters of substantive expertise and methodological approaches and disciplines, is available at: <u>http://www.schulich.uwo.ca/epibio/research/research\_clusters/index.html</u>

The Department of Surgery has over 100 surgeons and scientists, one basic science graduate degree program, and seven Royal College academic training programs; enrolling over 160 trainees at various levels. Information on the Department of Surgery's education programs and research excellence is available at: <a href="https://www.schulich.uwo.ca/surgery/">https://www.schulich.uwo.ca/surgery/</a>.

The Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry provides an outstanding educational experience within a research intensive environment where tomorrow's physicians, dentists and health researchers learn to be socially responsible leaders in the advancement of human health. Western University is a research-intensive university with full-time enrolment of about 34,000 students with a full range of academic and professional programs.

**To apply**: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin after April 19, 2021 with an anticipated start date of July 1, 2021 or as negotiated. Interested candidates should send a letter of research interests and teaching experience, a curriculum vitae, the names and addresses of three academic references, and also complete, sign and include the form at the following link: https://www.uwo.ca/facultyrelations/pdf/full-time-application-form.pdf to:

Addressed to:

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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, Indigenous peoples, 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 Diana Lee Tai Fuy at <u>Diana.Lee@schulich.uwo.ca</u> or 519-661-2111 ext. 82797.

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