

Dalhousie University
Faculty of Health Professions
School of Health and Human Performance

KINESIOLOGY Position – Non-communicable Chronic Disease

Applications are invited for a full-time three-year limited-term appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor in Kinesiology in the School of Health and Human Performance commencing August 1, 2012.

The primary responsibilities will include teaching and supervising undergraduate and graduate students, maintaining a vibrant program of grant-supported research and publication, and contributing to the academic/collegial life of the School and broader community. The successful candidate will have a completed doctoral degree in kinesiology, or other related area. As well, he or she will demonstrate successful undergraduate and graduate teaching experience and a strong record of evidence-based research in the area of prevention, treatment, or rehabilitation of non-communicable chronic disease. Preference will be given to candidates with post-doctoral experience in one or more of these areas. Protected research time is a component of assigned faculty workload. Excellent opportunities exist for collaboration within the School of Health and Human Performance, the Faculty of Health Professions, and other areas at Dalhousie including Medicine, Community Health and Epidemiology, Rehabilitation, and Biomedical Engineering.

Applicants should submit a cover letter stating qualifications and abilities, a statement of research and teaching interests, a curriculum vitae, and arrange to have three reference letters sent under separate cover to: Dr. Fred McGinn, Director, School of Health and Human Performance, Dalhousie University, 6230 South Street, PO Box 15000 Halifax, NS B3H 4R2, fax (902) 494-5120, email: fred.mcginn@dal.ca. Please reference 'Non-communicable Chronic Disease position'. Web site address: www.hahp.healthprofessions.dal.ca. The official closing date for applications is March 16, 2012.

The School of Health and Human Performance at Dalhousie University is part of the Faculty of Health Professions, whose mission is to enhance health and social well-being through entry-level and advanced professional learning opportunities, practice innovation, and leadership in research and scholarship. In addition to the School of Health and Human Performance, the Faculty includes the Schools of Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Nursing, Health Administration, Human Communication Disorders, and Social Work, the College of Pharmacy, the QEII/Dalhousie School of Health Sciences, and the Clinical Vision Science program. The School of Health and Human Performance offers programs leading to Bachelor of Science and Master Degrees in Kinesiology, Health Promotion, Leisure Studies, Therapeutic Recreation, and Recreation Management. Dalhousie University is located in Halifax, a small, historic, and culturally active city located in a province with substantial lifestyle advantages such as music, theatre, festivals, beaches, whale-watching, hiking, and camping.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Dalhousie University is an Employment Equity/Affirmative Action employer. The University encourages applications from qualified Aboriginal people, persons with a disability, racially visible persons and women.

This position is subject to budgetary approval.