

The Ohio State University College of Education and Human Ecology Department of Human Nutrition Faculty Position: Nutrition and Dietetics

Position: Assistant or Associate (9-month) tenure-track position in the Department of Human Nutrition

Qualifications: Earned doctorate in nutrition or a related discipline with the credential of Registered Dietitian (R.D.) is required. Evidence of research and teaching excellence in areas related to dietetics, clinical nutrition, community health, or the prevention of chronic disease and able to work effectively with university students is required.

Responsibilities:

- Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in human nutrition
- Conduct and publish peer-reviewed research in top-tier journals
- Obtain external funding to support research
- Supervise the program manager for the Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) and oversee DPD accreditation, student records, and curriculum standards
- Advise and direct masters and doctoral students
- Serve on Department, College and University committees
- Actively engage with the community in areas of research findings and nutrition communication

Salary: Salary is negotiable and commensurate with qualifications.

Review of Dossiers: Review of applications will begin on December 1, 2012 and continue until the position is filled.

Effective Date: August, 2013 or negotiable

Program Area Description: The Department of Human Nutrition is seeking an individual who will develop an independent, externally funded research program, publish in peer-reviewed journals, supervise the program manager of the undergraduate Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) accredited by the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, and have programmatic synergy with members of the Department and related units on campus. Professional experience in dietetics or clinical nutrition and experience in an academic unit which supports a DPD program is preferred.

Department Description: The Department of Human Nutrition includes 13 tenure-track faculty conducting research in numerous areas related to nutrition. The mission of the Department of Human Nutrition is to generate, disseminate, and apply knowledge in the areas of human nutrition and dietetics to improve the health and well-being of individuals, families, and associated organizational systems. Research, teaching and outreach efforts are focused in the areas of nutrient-gene interactions, macro- and micro-nutrient metabolism, diet and disease risk, healthy weight management, sports nutrition, behavior change, food safety, and food security and hunger. The Department has a large undergraduate program and is dedicated to high quality student instruction. Faculty members participate in the Interdisciplinary Ph.D. program in Nutrition across three colleges and in the M.S. degree program in human nutrition. The Dietetic Internship program, like the DPD, is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics.

The College: The College of Education & Human Ecology is home to three departments: Consumer Sciences, Human Development and Family Science, and Human Nutrition and three schools: Educational Policy & Leadership, Physical Activity & Educational Services, and Teaching & Learning. For additional information about the college or department, visit http://ehe.osu.edu.

The University: The Ohio State University is a world-class, land-grant, public research university with more than 57,500 students. Located on a 3,243 acre campus in Columbus, Ohio, the University offers a comprehensive curriculum and boasts diversity in programs, people, and facilities. It is located in Ohio's capital city, with a metropolitan population over 1.5 million residents and offers a wide range of academic and cultural activities.

Application: Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, statements of teaching philosophy and research objectives with identification of potential funding agencies, and the names, address, telephone number, and e-mail address of three references to Dr. Carla Miller, Chair, Search Committee, The Ohio State University, Department of Human Nutrition, 325 Campbell Hall, 1787 Neil Ave., Columbus, OH, 43210. Inquiries are welcome by e-mail at miller.4453@osu.edu or telephone (614-292-1391).

To build a diverse workforce, Ohio State encourages applications from minorities, veterans, women, and individuals with disabilities. EEO/AA employer. Employment requires successful completion of a background check.