JOB POSTING

Position: Tristan Lawson Distinguished Fellow in Physician Professional Development in Child Nutrition
Faculty: Temerty Faculty of Medicine
Department: Joannah and Brian Lawson Centre for Child Nutrition
Campus: St. George (downtown Toronto)

Posting Date: July 19, 2022
Closing Date: August 15, 2022

Description:
The Joannah & Brian Lawson Centre for Child Nutrition (Lawson Centre) in the Temerty Faculty of Medicine at the University of Toronto is seeking a highly motivated physician or scientist with an interest in nutrition education for healthcare professionals and continuing professional development. The Distinguished Fellow will work on various aspects of expanding nutrition education for healthcare professionals and trainees, mainly family physicians, including learning materials and events. The Distinguished Fellow will be responsible for developing accredited child nutrition education materials and events supporting nutrition knowledge translation and engaging physicians, nurses, allied health professionals and trainees.

Qualifications include:
• Must hold a medical degree, or PhD in a relevant area
• Either hold or be eligible to hold an academic appointment at the rank of assistant professor or higher
• Experience in nutritional sciences and/or nutrition education in pediatric or family medicine.
• Demonstrated expertise and/or experience in the development and delivery of nutrition education
• Must be a self-starter, with ability to work independently and collaboratively with a team, and demonstrate strong interpersonal and communication
• Must also have strong organizational and problem-solving skills, excellent time management skills to coordinate multiple projects.

Key Duties:
• Serve as a member of the Lawson Centre Nutrition Education steering committee
• Work with the committee, the Faculty’s Continuing Professional Development Office and members of the Lawson Centre to develop child nutrition modules and events.
• Engage physicians through medical associations, colleges, and CME conferences to increase participation in child nutrition continuing professional development activities
• Identify opportunities to engage difficult to reach groups

This is a two-year appointment, with the possibility of extension upon a successful review of the appointment and funding available. Interested individuals should submit a cover letter documenting their interest and qualifications for the project and a detailed CV to the attention of: Dr. Chris Tomlinson, Academic Lead, Child Nutrition Medical Education of the Joannah & Brian Lawson Centre for Child Nutrition, child.nutrition@utoronto.ca

For questions about the position, please contact child.nutrition@utoronto.ca
Remuneration for the appointment as Distinguished Fellow will be commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the successful candidate.

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