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Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, invites applications for the position of

Associate Dean for Research for the Rutgers School of Health Related Professions

Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey, invites nominations and applications for the position of Associate Dean for Research in its School of Health Related Professions (SHRP). Rutgers SHRP is the largest school of health professions in the nation, offering degrees in over 40 health profession specialties. The school's programs include one of the top ranked physician assistant programs in the nation, two physical therapy programs, programs in nutrition and dietetics, psychiatric rehabilitation and counseling professions, dental hygiene, medical imaging sciences, health informatics, health care management, and clinical laboratory sciences. The Rutgers SHRP seeks a dynamic leader to facilitate research at the school. The successful applicant should hold a doctoral degree with experience and knowledge in translational, applied, or clinical research, a strong track record of extramural funding, a history of working successfully with interdisciplinary teams, and a demonstrated ability to foster the research career of others.

The Associate Dean for Research provides leadership direction for growth of the school's research programs and is expected to maintain an active, externally funded research program as a Principal Investigator. The Associate Dean reports to the Dean of SHRP and will be part of the leadership team.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- Provide leadership to research programs at SHRP and advice and counsel to the dean on matters related to research activity
- Promote research within and between the SHRP and other schools, departments, institutes and institution
- Develop and implement research policies and guidelines within the SHRP
- Foster and seek extramural funding for SHRP research initiatives
- Work with the Dean to develop short- and long-range strategic research plans
- Assist the Dean and Chairs in operationalizing research plans
- Work with partner organizations and other Schools and Institutes to promote development of the research program
- Lead strategic planning specific to building a school wide research infrastructure, and subsequent ones within departments
- Serve as a liaison on Rutgers research initiatives and planning University wide
- Advise the Dean on space and resource allocation as they relate to research
- Mentor faculty in strategies for building programs of funded research and dissemination of information
- Mentor junior faculty in developing research agendas and mid-career faculty in focusing and enhancing research agendas
- Manage the daily operations of the Office of Research
- Determine the capacity, resources, limitations, and barriers to the development, submission, and ongoing management of research grants
- Develop collaborative and inter-professional research network and initiatives within SHRP and the Rutgers community
- Promote and represent SHRP regionally, nationally, and internationally, through attendance and engagement in scientific conferences and media
- Serve as a knowledgeable resource person to colleagues, students, and community

Qualifications: To successfully perform this job, the individual must qualify for the rank of professor and show evidence through previous work experience of an ability to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. A PhD or terminal degree in the health sciences is required. Candidate must have a track record of a sustainable research program with a substantial federal funding history. A proven ability to mentor junior faculty must be evident on the *curriculum vitae* through collaborative works, such as senior authored publications. The successful applicant will demonstrate experience working in or collaborating with health professionals on funded research, pilot work, and in publications.

How to Apply: Please submit a cover letter and *curriculum vitae* via e-mail to Ms. Rosalyn Williams-Dance at williar9@shrp.rutgers.edu.