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Professional/Managerial Group

Manager, Human Nutraceutical Research Unit

Human Health and Nutritional Sciences
College of Biological Science

Temporary full-time from June 2016 to July 2017
Temporary absence of the regular incumbent

Hiring #: 2016-0160

Please read the Application Instructions [2] before applying

The Human Nutraceutical Research Unit (HNRU) is an initiative of the Department of Human Health and Nutritional Sciences (HHNS). The HNRU supports the University’s academic programs that focus on human health, by providing educational and research opportunities related to the human efficacy testing of foods and natural health products (NHPs). The HNRU does this, in part, by acting as a contract research organization and conducting nutrition-related clinical trials on behalf of industry clients or collaborative partners.

Reporting to the Chair of HHNS, and working with a faculty management committee, the successful candidate is responsible for operations, project management and significant supervision of students. Responsibilities include: communicating with the Director and the University Research Ethics Board in the design and coordination of food and NHP clinical testing and activities; training and supervising graduate and undergraduate students; counselling and providing advice related to student professional behavior with study participants and attention to accurate data collection; ensuring overall safety, including maintenance and safe operation of a laboratory facility; ensuring strict adherence to ethical principles, biohazard and standard operating procedures; and interacting with external study collaborators such as medical doctors and industry clients.

Requirements of the position include: MSc in nutritional sciences and some related experience to include advanced level research and running human clinical trials, or an equivalent combination of education and experience. Additional requirements include: project management skills; knowledge of Health Canada regulatory affairs (food directorate and natural health product directorate); strong written and oral communication skills; experience with clerical and documentation tasks requiring accurate reporting and attention to detail; proficiency with word processing, internet searching, critical analysis of the scientific literature, database software and statistical analysis; the ability to work both independently and collaboratively; demonstrate ability to apply sound judgment in decision making; organizational skills; and ability to provide routine guidance and supervision to undergraduate and graduate students.

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