



School of Occupational Therapy

Occupational Therapist Probationary Tenure Track Appointment

Applications are invited for a Probationary Tenure Track position at the Assistant Professor level in the School of Occupational Therapy effective August 1, 2012 or as soon thereafter as possible. This is an academic position that encompasses teaching, research and administration. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The appointment is subject to final budgetary approval.

An occupational therapy qualification with a completed PhD is essential. Eligibility for licensure with the College of Occupational Therapists of Nova Scotia is also essential. The ideal candidate will have professional practice and/or teaching experience in core competencies of occupational therapy practice ie: will be able to teach the knowledge, skills, and professional behaviours of enabling occupation.

The School is committed to social action, innovative teaching and dynamic research in an integrated team environment. Faculty interests and research are focused on four themes: chronic condition management; diversity, inclusion and health inequalities; measuring and documenting everyday outcomes; and aging and continuing care. The successful candidate will be expected to develop and maintain a vibrant research program supported by external research grant funding. A research contribution to at least one of the School's research themes will be expected.

Work at Dalhousie University, one of Canada's oldest universities, founded in 1818. The School of Occupational Therapy is situated in a visionary Faculty of Health Professions of 21 health and social professions. Live in Halifax, a small, historic gem of a city on Canada's east coast. Walk to work if you wish, and enjoy nearby music, theatre, ocean beaches, hiking, camping, fishing, whale watching, good schools and award winning universities.

Inquiries welcome! Please contact the Director at tanya.packer@dal.ca. Applications will be accepted until June 15, 2012. Submit a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching experience, confirmation of eligibility for an occupational therapy license in Nova Scotia and three confidential letters of reference forwarded by the referees to:

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Subject to final budgetary approval. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply, however, Canadian 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.