

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN EPIGENETICS OF CHRONIC CHILDHOOD DISEASE  
DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY AND MEDICAL GENETICS  
MAX RADY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE, RADY FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES  
ACADEMIC POSITION 24765**

The University of Manitoba, located in the multi-cultural and vibrant city of Winnipeg, is the province of Manitoba's primary research-intensive institution, and offers over 100 degree, diploma and certificate programs to more than 30,000 students from around the world.

The Department of Biochemistry and Medical Genetics, in the Max Rady College of Medicine, Rady Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Manitoba, in collaboration with the Children's Hospital Research Institute of Manitoba (CHRIM), is actively seeking an outstanding individual to fill a new full-time, tenure-track faculty position at the rank of Assistant Professor.

Applicants with strengths in epigenetics and childhood diseases, and expertise in bioinformatics are encouraged to apply to Position Number 24765. Candidates should hold an MD or PhD in a biological discipline with at least 3 years of relevant post-doctoral training. Candidates must show evidence of a history of research excellence, as evidenced by a strong publication record in high impact journals and the potential to secure competitive extramural peer reviewed grants; a history of mentoring; and a history of effective and productive collaboration. The position start date could be as early as February 15, 2018, or as negotiated.

The successful candidate will be expected to develop and maintain an externally-funded research program through strong collaborations with Basic as well as Clinician Scientists within and outside of our Institution. Strong linkage between the candidate's research program and the activities of one or more research groups in CHRIM is required. In addition to leading a strong research program, the Candidate will also actively contribute to undergraduate and graduate student teaching within our Department.

*The University of Manitoba is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from women, racialized persons/persons of colour, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of all sexual orientations and genders, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority.*

Interested candidates should submit the following materials: 1) cover letter, 2) curriculum vitae (including detailed history of student and trainee mentorship as well as teaching activities), 3) a two-page outline of independent research program, and 4) a one-page teaching philosophy that includes subject areas of expertise, and 5) request that reference letters from three referees be sent directly on or before December 8, 2017.

Applications and reference letters should be sent by email to [Philip.Dufresne@umanitoba.ca](mailto:Philip.Dufresne@umanitoba.ca) to the attention of:

Note that Application materials, including letters of reference, will be handled in accordance with the protection of privacy provision of "The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy" (Manitoba). Please note that curriculum vitae may be provided to participating members of the search process. Applications will be accepted until December 8, 2017 or until the position has been filled.

Dr. Kirk McManus  
Chair of the Selection Committee  
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