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Post-Doctoral Fellowship In the Epidemiology of Migration and Health

Dr. Marcelo Urquia at the Manitoba Centre for Health Policy (MCHP), University of Manitoba invites applications for a post-doctoral fellowship in the Epidemiology of Migration and Health. The successful applicant will join a Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR)-funded large multidisciplinary team of accomplished researchers, clinicians, policy makers and community partners in Manitoba, Ontario and rest of Canada, with an interest in studying the health and wellbeing of immigrants to Canada (and other vulnerable populations) using a global gender-based framework. The research approach involves the analysis of large and rich linked health and social administrative databases housed at MCHP in Winnipeg, the Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences (IC/ES) in Toronto, Ontario, and the Statistics Canada Research Data Centre. The postdoctoral fellow will be based at MCHP and work under the primary supervision of the Principal Investigator, Dr. Marcelo Urquia, who holds appointments at both MCHP and IC/ES.

The ideal candidate will have the experience and expertise to take advantage of the opportunity to access novel and rich data to build a highly productive applied research portfolio. The fellow will be able to attend seminars, colloquia, and other regularly scheduled research activities at the partner institutions, and present in domestic and international conferences.

Term:

The full-time temporary position is for one (1) year, with the possibility of extension for up to two (2) additional years subject to satisfactory performance evaluations.

Salary:

Competitive salary equaling or exceeding CIHR fellowship stipends, plus benefits. Actual salary will depend on the candidate's experience, qualifications and progress in years 2 and 3.

Minimum qualifications:

- PhD, ScD, DrPH, or an equivalent doctoral degree in epidemiology, biostatistics, public health, social and behavioral sciences (e.g., sociology, psychology), or related fields
- Experience conducting statistical analyses with large databases using SAS

Preferred qualifications:

- Track record of research productivity
- Track record of, or strong potential for, independent funding
- Knowledge of one or more of the following: measurement of health inequities, gender-based health approaches, reproductive health, maternal and child health, longitudinal data analysis

Duties:

- Conduct data analyses at MCHP and at the Statistics Canada Research Data Centre, in Winnipeg, and ICES, Toronto.
- Lead and co-author manuscripts for peer-reviewed journals
- Critically contribute to the team efforts
- Actively participate in knowledge-transfer activities
- Help with the supervision of undergraduate and graduate students
- Perform limited administrative tasks
- Apply to external funding sources as eligible

To apply:

Please send your application to Dr. Marcelo Urquia (marcelo_urquia@cpe.umanitoba.ca) as a single PDF file.

Application materials include i) a one-page cover letter describing career goals, research interests, and reasons for applying; ii) your CV and graduate degree transcripts; iii) a reprint of your most significant first-author publication, iv) contact information for three (3) references, and v) proof of proficiency in English for candidates whose original language is not English, if applicable.

Review of applications will begin on December 1, 2018. Expected start date is shortly thereafter, although flexible. Position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.

All applications are welcome but only potential candidates will be contacted.

The University of Manitoba is strongly committed to equity and diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from women, members of racialized communities, Indigenous persons, 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.

Please note that curriculum vitas may be provided to participating members of the search process. Application materials, including letters of reference, will be handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Manitoba).