

Baylor University

Faculty Position Announcement

Discover the vision (<http://www.baylor.edu/profuturis/>) and excitement at Baylor as we seek applications and nominations for the following **tenure-track** faculty position in the Department of the Health, Human Performance, and Recreation (HHPR) within the College of Health and Human Sciences.

Position: Tenure-Track Assistant/Associate Professor of Public Health/Epidemiology

Date of Appointment: August 2015

Background: Baylor University is a private Christian university and a nationally ranked research institution, consistently listed with highest honors among *The Chronicle of Higher Education's* "Great Colleges to Work For." Chartered in 1845 by the Republic of Texas through the efforts of Baptist pioneers, Baylor is the oldest continually operating university in Texas. The university provides a vibrant campus community for over 15,000 students from all 50 states and more than 80 countries by blending interdisciplinary research with an international reputation for educational excellence and a faculty commitment to teaching and scholarship. Baylor is actively recruiting new faculty with a strong commitment to the classroom and an equally strong commitment to discovering new knowledge as we pursue our bold vision, *Pro Futuris* (www.baylor.edu/profuturis/).

The Baylor Master of Public Health (MPH) Program (www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr/mph), CEPH-accredited in 2013, currently includes a concentration in *community health*, a bachelor's/master's joint degree in this concentration, and an emphasis area in *global health*; and will soon expand to include other public health concentrations. The individual who fills this position will join a strong core of public health faculty that is engaged in cross-disciplinary partnerships in our Department of HHPR (www.baylor.edu/soe/hhpr), the College of Health and Human Sciences (www.baylor.edu/chhs/), and with other health-related disciplines at Baylor University (www.baylor.edu).

Qualifications: Earned doctorate in epidemiology *or related field with evidence of epidemiology training*; experience or the ability to teach graduate and undergraduate courses in epidemiology; a record of or strong potential for obtaining external funding and conducting *epidemiology-focused* public health research; a record of or strong potential for partnering with a wide base of public health partners and mentoring public health students.

Responsibilities: It is expected that the successful applicant will teach graduate and undergraduate courses in epidemiology and related courses, engage in the programmatic work and activities of the MPH Program, pursue an active epidemiology-based research agenda, secure appropriate external funding, and provide service to the university and the public health profession.

Salary and Review Date: Salary is commensurate with professional experience and qualifications. Applicants whose philosophy is compatible with the stated mission of the University to be a world-class institution dedicated to Christian principles and ideals will be given consideration. To guarantee consideration, applications must be complete by November 7, 2014. The review of **completed** applications will continue until the position is filled.

Application: The application package must include a formal letter of application (*specifically addressing how you meet the qualifications and can fulfill responsibilities described in this position announcement*), three letters of recommendation, a list of names and contact information of three references, your full curriculum vitae, copies of degree transcripts, and samples of research publications. *Electronic (PDF) copies of all application materials are preferred.* Send to: Dr. Eva Doyle, Search Committee Chair, at Eva_Doyle@baylor.edu. Mailing address: MPH Program, One Bear Place #97313, Waco, TX 76798-7313; Phone: 254/710-4023, Fax: 254/710-3527.

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