



SCHOOL OF PHYSIOTHERAPY, FACULTY OF HEALTH Probationary Tenure Track Faculty Position (Assistant Professor)

The School of Physiotherapy at Dalhousie University invites applications for a full-time probationary tenure-track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor commencing July 1, 2019. Dalhousie's School of Physiotherapy is one of 10 units within the Faculty of Health, committed to achieving [five strategic directions](#) including engaging in transformational teaching and learning, growth of the research enterprise, fostering citizenship, cultivating partnerships and mobilizing supports for innovation. The Faculty of Health is home to one of the largest number of health professions programs at a Canadian University, including 11 masters level and two doctoral level research training programs (Faculty of Health Research: <https://www.dal.ca/faculty/health/research.html>).

The School of Physiotherapy offers an entry-level Master of Science in Physiotherapy (MScPT) program as well as a thesis-based Master of Science in Rehabilitation Research (MScRRPT) program, both with regional, national and international linkages. Faculty members are eligible to supervise students in the Faculty of Health PhD program and the Interdisciplinary PhD program.

The School of Physiotherapy has an emerging research focus on Physical Activity and Exercise across the lifespan and in special populations, which is well aligned with the School, Faculty and institution's strategic research initiatives. The successful candidate's research program will complement that research direction in addition to expanding our academic program in the area of cardiopulmonary health, with opportunity to collaborate across our broad research areas in Musculoskeletal and Neuroscience/Neurorehabilitation research.

The successful candidate will hold a PhD from a recognized and accredited University, and will demonstrate clear promise of future academic and professional accomplishment. Of particular importance will be the ability to obtain research funding and produce deliverables related to the applicant's area of research focus through teaching and research activities, including knowledge translation. Preference will be given to those applicants with post-doctoral experience, those eligible to hold a license to practice physiotherapy in Nova Scotia and those with experience in cardiopulmonary physiotherapy practice.

Responsibilities will include establishing and operating an influential and sustainable research program, teaching and mentoring in the entry-level and thesis-based programs, and contributing to the academic life of the School, Faculty and University. The successful applicant will understand the issues facing physiotherapy practice and will be committed to excellence in education, research and service both within and outside the Dalhousie community.

Interested applicants are asked to submit (i) a letter of interest; (ii) curriculum vitae; (iii) an outline of research directions and teaching focus; (iv) a completed Self-Identification Questionnaire (available at www.dal.ca/becounted/selfid); and (v) the names, email addresses and physical addresses of three referees. Applications may be directed to:

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Deadline for applications is January 14, 2019. This position is subject to final budgetary approval.

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All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Dalhousie University is committed to fostering a collegial culture grounded in diversity and inclusiveness. The University encourages applications from Aboriginal people, persons with a disability, racially visible persons, women, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and all candidates who would contribute to the diversity of our community.