ADVERTISEMENT FOR FACULTY MEMBERS
DEPARTMENT OF EPIDEMIOLOGY AND BIOSTATISTICS
FACULTY OF PUBLIC HEALTH, KUWAIT UNIVERSITY

Brief Description

1. Applications are invited for appointment as faculty members in the Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics in the newly established Faculty of Public Health at Kuwait University. Candidates may apply for appointment at the rank of Full, Associate, and Assistant Professor.

2. Faculty members are expected to:
   1. Teach undergraduate and graduate courses and supervise and mentor graduate and undergraduate students.
   2. Participate in committees and other activities related to the development of the department and faculty.
   3. Build an independent research programme which leads to publication, presentations and external funding
   4. Provide service to the department, faculty, university and the wider community.

3. Kuwait is an affluent, stable and peaceful country that is ranked sixth worldwide for GDP per head. It has a well developed public and curative health care system. Kuwait University is the major public university and encourages research and has excellent support facilities.

4. The Faculty of Public Health will commence its first academic programmes in 2017 and is actively expanding. Kuwait and the region offer numerous and interesting research possibilities.

Eligibility

1. Applicants should have:
   1. A Ph.D. degree or equivalent in Epidemiology or Biostatistics. Candidates should also have a first degree in a relevant field. The PhD Thesis should be focused on a topic relevant to public health and have a population orientation.
   2. Doctoral degrees with a basic Science or pure Statistics focus (such as a PhD in Statistics, Chemistry, or Microbiology, for example) are not accepted as qualifications for this position.
   3. Qualifications should be from accredited universities with a traditional structure.
   4. A full command of English language is required.
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2. A GPA of 3 or greater from a scale of 4 in the undergraduate degree is required.

3. Applicants for Associate and Full Professor should have had an academic appointment at a University in the field of Epidemiology or Biostatistics at the equivalent academic level to which they are applying.

4. Assistant professors should have at least 3 articles published in indexed journals, none of which are extracted from the PhD thesis. The applicant should be first/sole author.
on at least 1 of these articles, and one should have been published within the year prior to publication.

5. Associate professors should have at least 5 articles published in indexed journals, 3 of which are international journals and the applicant is the first/sole author on these 3 articles.

6. Full professors should have at least 15 articles published in indexed journals, 4 of which are in international journals, and the applicant is first/sole author on 4 of these articles.

**Required materials**

1. Applications are to made online by using the link below. The following information and materials will be required in the application process.
   1. Employment history
   2. Teaching experience with the appropriate evaluations (if available)
   3. Research interests and grants obtained
   4. Consulting experience
   5. Honours and awards
   6. Publications
   7. A recent photograph
   8. At some stage attested copies of all diplomas and transcripts of courses studied will be required
   9. A passport copy
   10. Letters of recommendation
   11. Teaching statement
   12. Research statement
   13. Sample publications

**Application process**

Please click on the link below to start the application process