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Faculty Positions



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College of Dental Medicine Medical University of South Carolina

Restorative Dentistry—A full-time, tenure track position at the assistant professor/associate professor level is available in the Department of Restorative Dentistry, Division of Operative Dentistry. Primary responsibility will be teaching pre-clinical and clinical operative procedures to undergraduate dental students. The successful candidate will be expected to have knowledge and experience with esthetic restorative materials. Participation in scholarly activities will be expected. A South Carolina teaching dental license is required and is available to individuals with a current US state dental license. Completion of a postgraduate general dentistry program (AEGD or GPR) is desirable but not required. Participation in dental faculty practice is available for private patient treatment. Salary and academic rank will be commensurate with qualifications. The College of Dental Medicine, Medical University of South Carolina is an EEO/AA employer; minorities and women are encouraged to apply. Apply online at www.musc.edu/hrm.

For further information contact Dr James Rivers, Chair, Department of Restorative Dentistry, College of Dental Medicine, Medical University of South Carolina, 173 Ashley Avenue, Box 250507, Charleston, SC 29425, telephone (843) 792-2341. The Medical University is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer promoting workplace diversity.

University of Maryland Baltimore

The Department of Endodontics, Prosthodontics and Operative Dentistry, University of Maryland, Baltimore is seeking candidates for one full-time faculty position at the assistant or associate professor level. Responsibilities include didactic and clinical teaching in the areas of operative dentistry, dental anatomy and occlusion primarily at the predoctoral level. Participation in the development of departmental

research and other scholarly activities are highly desirable. Requirements for the position include a DDS/DMD degree or foreign equivalent, and the candidate will be required to obtain a Maryland dental license. Preference will be given to candidates with Masters or PhD degrees or other demonstrated research training experience who have demonstrated innovative approaches to curricular development and/or productivity in scholarly activities. An opportunity for intramural practice is available. Salary and academic rank will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The position will be available until filled.

For best consideration qualified applicants should send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae and names and addresses of three references to Dr Howard E Strassler, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Endodontics, Prosthodontics and Operative Dentistry, Baltimore College of Dental Surgery, Dental School, University of Maryland, Baltimore, 666 West Baltimore Street, Room 3-D-02, Baltimore, MD 21201-1586.

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UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA College of Dentistry

Chairperson, Operative Dentistry Gainesville, Florida

The University of Florida College of Dentistry invites nominations and applications for the position of Chairperson, Department of Operative Dentistry. The chair reports directly to the dean and is responsible for all aspects of the teaching, research and service missions of the department. The Department of Operative Dentistry includes the Division of Operative Dentistry and Cariology, as well as the Foreign Trained Dental Program (FTD). There are currently 18 full-time faculty members in the department. The successful candidate must demonstrate dynamic visionary leadership coupled with outstanding communication and administrative skills. The candidate must be able to flourish in a fast-paced and changing environment characterized by a pursuit of excellence in teaching, research and service.

Past experiences must demonstrate strong management, organizational and facilitative skills, along with the ability to work with various groups through effective teamwork. The ideal candidate will possess a commitment to excellence as evidenced by innovation and the ability to lead by example. A dental degree is required. Applicants with advanced training in a specialized operative dentistry program and individuals with general dentistry background with emphasis on clinical experience in operative dentistry will be given preference. A proven track record of research, extramural support and faculty development is desired. Individuals with academic or clinical practice credentials consistent with the rank of associate professor or full professor will be considered. The University of Florida is an Equal Opportunity Employer. The selection process will be conducted in accordance with the provisions of Florida's "Government in the Sunshine" and public records laws.

Applicants should provide a letter of interest, curriculum vitae and three letters of reference. The packet should be sent electronically via email (Microsoft Word attachments preferred) to Dr Ikramuddin Aukhil, Chair, Operative Dentistry Chairperson Search Committee at iaukhil@dental.ufl.edu. Printed documents may be mailed to Dr Ikramuddin Aukhil, University of Florida College of Dentistry, c/o Office of the Dean, PO Box 100405, Gainesville, FL 32610-0405, USA. Dr Aukhil may be reached by phone at (352) 392-4305. Letters of reference should be directed to Dr Aukhil. The search committee will begin reviewing applications on January 27, 2006 and will continue to receive applications until a suitable applicant pool has been identified. It is anticipated that recruitment efforts will allow for a start date as early as May of 2006. The salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

Information about the University of Florida College of Dentistry may be found at <http://www.dental.ufl.edu/> and about the university at <http://www.ufl.edu>.

Université de Montréal Faculté de médecine dentaire

Full-time Faculty Position in Operative Dentistry

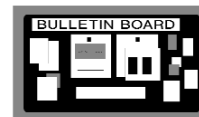
Université de Montréal, Faculté de Médecine dentaire, the largest French-speaking dental school in North America, is presently seeking applicants for a position as a full-time tenure track professor in operative dentistry. Responsibilities include didactic teaching as well as preclinical and/or clinical supervision. The selected candidate will also participate in research projects, continuing education programs and the

administration of the school. A knowledge of French compatible with the above Responsibilities is required. Applicants must have a DDS or DMD degree and be eligible for licensure in Quebec. Applicants should have or agree to obtain a certificate (or the equivalent) and a master degree in operative dentistry or a discipline closely related to restorative dentistry. The position will be available as of June 1, 2006. Curriculum vitae accompanied by two letters of recommendation should be forwarded to:

Dr Patrice Milot, DMD, MS, directeur
Département de restauration
Faculté de médecine dentaire
Université de Montréal
CP 6128, succursale Centreville
Montréal, QC H3C 3J7 Canada

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. The Université de Montréal is involved in a program that promotes equal work opportunities for women as well as for ethnic and visible minorities, aboriginals and the handicapped.

Announcements



Tucker Institute Course

A five-day clinical course in conservative gold castings, mentored by Dr Richard V Tucker, will be held June 19-23, 2006, at the University of Washington Dental School. For course information, please contact Dr Dennis Miya at (206) 244-1618 or dmichi@aol.com.

35th ANNUAL MEETING of the ACADEMY OF OPERATIVE DENTISTRY 22-24 February 2006, Fairmont Hotel, Chicago, IL

This is a personal invitation to join your friends, colleagues and fellow members at the Academy of Operative Dentistry's 35th Annual Meeting in beautiful downtown Chicago. Once again, we have an outstanding essay program, informative table clinics and entertaining social events that will please everyone.

SCIENTIFIC SESSION: Thursday's program begins with Dr Gregory Kinzer and Dr Vincent Kokich, Jr, with a two-hour presentation on "Interdisciplinary Management of Anterior Esthetic Dilemmas." Dr Jacques Nor will follow with this year's Buonocore Memorial Lecture, "Tooth Tissue Engineering and Molecular Biology in Restorative Dentistry." Thursday's luncheon will honor Dr William Douglas

with the Hollenback Memorial Prize. Thursday afternoon features Dr Gerard Chiche presenting "Long-Distance Communication: Setting High Esthetic Standards for the Dental Team," followed by Dr Van Haywood with an informative presentation on bleaching titled "White Teeth or Little White Lies." The afternoon concludes with Dr Terry Donovan and Dr Richard Simonsen presenting highlights of the exemplary clinical dentistry of Dr Richard V Tucker with "A Pictorial Retrospective of Clinical Dentistry."

Dr Jeffrey Okeson leads off Friday morning with "Occlusion, Temporomandibular Disorders and Restorative Dentistry." Dr James Dunn follows with an essay on "Digital Dental Photography," and the essay programs conclude with Dr W Bruce Howerton, Jr speaking on "Three-Dimensional Imaging in Dentistry." The Friday luncheon will be held in the Mid-America Club and will feature presentation of the Academy's Award of Excellence to Dr Joel M Wagoner. The 2005 annual session will conclude with Friday afternoon's table clinics. This year, more than 30 clinicians will offer concise, focused presentations that provide a wealth of "pearls" for us to take back to our offices.

COMPANION PROGRAM: The Companion Activities Program is particularly exciting this year. On Thursday, Arnie Bernstein, author of *Hollywood on Lake Michigan*, will provide a group tour of the Windy City to see why Chicago has become a favorite filming location for many current movies including "The Breakup," "Batman Begins," "Il Mare" and "Stranger Than Fiction." The Illinois Film Office estimates that filming of these movies in and around Chicago resulted in \$68 million in revenues in 2005. The tour will be followed by a luncheon at Osteria Via Stato, a fantastic concept Italian restaurant by Rich Melman.

This year, Friday is being left open as a day for shopping, sightseeing and visiting with friends and family.

RECEPTION: Finally, our Gala Reception on Thursday evening will once again provide a wonderful, once-a-year, platform for socializing with all our friends and colleagues from across the country and around the world.

Please do not miss this fantastic opportunity for education, information exchange and fun. See you in Chicago in February. For more meeting information, contact Dr Gregory Smith, PO Box 14996, Gainesville, FL 32604-2996, USA; Fax: (352) 371-4882; e-mail: greg679@cox.net.

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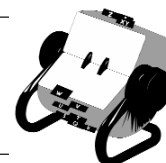
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