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Job Title: Program Director/ Associate / Full Professor In Doctor Of Physical Therapy Program, University Of Wisconsin - Milwaukee

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The **University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee**, College of Health Sciences, Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) Program invites nominations and applications for a tenure-track Program Director/ Associate/Full Professor position to begin in Spring 2019 or Fall of 2019, start date negotiable. The primary responsibilities will be **Program Director in the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program**, in addition to research, teaching, and service in the DPT program and the academic department, college, and university.

Minimum Qualifications:

Valid, unrestricted license to practice physical therapy in Wisconsin or license eligible for Wisconsin licensure and transfer of license within 6 months of hire.

Earned academic doctoral degree (PhD, DSc, EdD).

Minimum of six (6) years full-time experience and teaching in higher education with a minimum of three (3) years of full-time experience in a physical therapist education program.

Knowledge of the CAPTE accreditation process with previous experience with the self-study process.

Demonstrated record of scholarly achievement sufficient to be tenured as an associate or full professor rank within the Department of Kinesiology, College of Health Sciences.

Preferred Requirements:

Experience with curriculum outcomes assessment and program evaluation.

Five (5) or more years experience as a practicing physical therapist.

Leader who can enhance education, research, and service missions of the program and department through effective communication and partnership.

Demonstrated record of service to the profession.

Teaching experience with strong teaching evaluations.

Experience working with diverse populations in urban settings.

Experience with residency or fellowship education.

Clinical specialist certification through ABPTS.

Description of the College, Department, and Program:

The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (UWM) is Wisconsin's premier urban research institution with Carnegie-designated R1 status. UWM is a public urban university offering comprehensive liberal arts and professional education at the undergraduate and graduate levels. This university takes pride in its dedicated urban access mission, teaches a more diverse body than any other UW System school, and is deeply committed to academic excellence and diversity in its student body,

faculty and staff. The 93-acre campus is located on Milwaukee's Upper East Side, one of the city's most attractive residential areas on the shore of Lake Michigan, with easy proximity to major league sports, entertainment, culture, and dining.

The City of Milwaukee is a regional center for medical services and research, home to a number of hospitals as well as the Medical College of Wisconsin, Children's Hospital of Wisconsin, and the Zablocki Veterans Administration Medical Center. UWM maintains strong connections with community partners in healthcare research through the Clinical-Translational Sciences Institute (CTSI), which provides opportunities for interdisciplinary and inter-agency collaboration.

Description:

The **Doctor of Physical Therapy Program** in the Department of Kinesiology is situated within the College of Health Sciences, the largest such academic unit in the state. Within UWM, the College collaborates with the College of Nursing and the Zilber School of Public Health for a *UWM Partners in Health* campus initiative to be a regional healthcare leader in education, research, and service. The UWM DPT program is accredited by the Commission on Accreditation in Physical Therapy Education (CAPTE), and in fewer than 10 years existence, this program is rated in the top 25% of DPT programs by *US World and News Report* (2016). For More information, please see <http://uwm.edu/healthsciences/academics/doctoral-physical-therapy/>.

Job Summary/Basic Function:

The successful candidate for position of Director of the Doctor of Physical Therapy Program will be an experienced, innovative, and visionary leader and scholar. This position requires significant academic and scholarly contributions to the DPT program and presents additional opportunities for involvement in the MS and PhD programs in the Department of Kinesiology and the PhD program in the College of Health Sciences.

Special Instructions to Applicants:

Candidates seeking consideration must apply online at: (<http://jobs.uwm.edu/postings/26936>) and submit their materials electronically. Application materials include the following: 1) cover letter, 2) curriculum vitae describing the candidate's educational background, research, publications, work experience, and courses taught, and 3) contact information for three references. Please include contact information such as postal address, e-mail, and telephone numbers. In addition to the above materials, candidates may also include any other supporting documents such as manuscripts, publications, research plans, peer reviews of teaching, or teaching evaluations to help Search and Screen Committee members gain a better understanding of the candidate's qualifications. To complete the application, candidates should forward official transcripts showing the candidate's degrees and any remaining documents not uploaded online to the Search and Screen Committee chair.

These materials should be sent to:

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In instances where the Search and Screen Committee is unable to ascertain from the candidates' application materials whether he/she meets any of the qualifications, they may be evaluated as not meeting such qualifications.

This is a continuous recruitment. Review of applications will begin September 10, 2018. Applications received after September 9, 2018 may not receive consideration. Screening of candidates is ongoing and will continue until a qualified candidate is chosen for this position. The names of those applicants who have not requested in writing that their identities be withheld and the names of all finalists will be released upon request.

Employment will require a criminal background check.

Please visit the UWM website at <http://www.uwm.edu>.

For the UWM Campus Security Report & Policy see www.cleryact.uwm.edu or call the Dean of Students Office at (414) 229-4632 for a paper copy.

UWM is an AA/EO employer: All applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity/expression, disability,

or protected veteran status.
