

**JOINT TENURE TRACK ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR
IN BIOSTATISTICS AND EPIDEMIOLOGY
DIVISIONS OF BIOSTATISTICS, EPIDEMIOLOGY AND COMMUNITY HEALTH
UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

The University of Minnesota Division of Biostatistics, and the Division of Epidemiology and Community Health at the School of Public Health, invite applications for an Assistant/Associate Professor tenure-track faculty appointment in the area of applied biostatistics and/or quantitative epidemiologic methods. We seek a person to work independently and collaboratively with faculty from both Biostatistics and Epidemiology on biostatistical methods and applications pertaining to clinical and observational epidemiologic research, and new approaches toward teaching these methods within the epidemiology and biostatistics curriculum. This will be a joint academic appointment in the Divisions of Biostatistics and Epidemiology, and the review process for promotion and tenure will be an integration of expectations from both Divisions.

The Division of Biostatistics includes 29 graduate faculty, 81 staff members, and 69 graduate students in the MS, MPH, and Ph.D degree programs. The Division houses statistical coordinating centers for several large national and international clinical trials networks, and Division faculty participate extensively in collaborative studies with investigators in NIH-sponsored clinical and translational research, genomics and proteomics, and epidemiologic studies.

The Division of Epidemiology and Community Health has 50 primary faculty, 100 staff members, and over 300 graduate students in 4 MPH degree programs, an MS program in clinical research, and a Ph.D. program in epidemiology. Division of Epidemiology faculty receive more than \$30 million annually in sponsored research grants.

Requirements for this position include 1) a doctorate in Biostatistics, Statistics, or Epidemiology and/or other related fields with an emphasis in statistics, 2) experience in statistical and methodological issues associated with clinical trials and observational research projects, 3) independent and collaborative publications in peer-reviewed journals, 4) teaching experience, particularly at the graduate level, and 5) demonstrated ability to successfully collaborate with other research investigators.

Primary research responsibilities include collaborating in the plan and design of analytical methods for epidemiologic clinical and observational studies, participating in writing grant applications, developing novel applied statistical methods, independent and collaborative analysis of data from research projects, and publication of research findings. Teaching responsibilities may include applied biostatistics and/or advanced epidemiologic methods courses. Advising masters, doctoral and post-doctoral students is also expected. Salary will be competitive and commensurate with qualifications and background.

Applications received before February 1, 2008, will be considered for a first round of interviews. However we will continue to accept applications until the position is filled.

Applicants should apply on-line using the following quicklink: employment.umn.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=67370, and attach a cover letter, CV and list of at least 3 references (address the cover letter to Dr. Melanie Wall, Search Committee Chair). **Please reference job # 151823.** For questions, contact Kathy Ramel (ramel@epi.umn.edu) or Sally Olander (brown198@umn.edu). This search will remain open until the position is filled.

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