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Tenure-track position in Interdisciplinary Health Research in Kinesiology Sciences

The Department of Kinesiology and Physical Education (KPE), Faculty of Education, McGill University, invites applications for a tenure-track appointment in interdisciplinary health research related to kinesiology sciences. Academic rank and salary will be determined by the qualifications and experience of the successful candidate. Expected start date August 1, 2018.

McGill University is a world-renowned English-language institution located in the heart of cosmopolitan Montreal and is ranked among the world’s top universities. The Department of Kinesiology and Physical Education offers a B.Ed. in Physical and Health Education, a B.Sc. in Kinesiology, as well as graduate degrees in six areas of specialization (http://www.mcgill.ca/edu-kpe/). We are seeking an individual who will make a significant contribution to the McGill Research Centre for Physical Activity and Health (http://www.mcgill.ca/path/), which has a broad mandate to advance knowledge on the role of physical activity towards health and wellbeing.

The candidates must hold a PhD degree (post-doctoral experience an asset) in kinesiology or a related field. The successful candidate will have a broad training background, a track record of using a variety of research methodologies, and evidence of an emerging and/or outstanding, independent research program in an interdisciplinary health research area relevant to kinesiology sciences. The ideal candidate will have the ability to collaborate with a variety of individuals within and outside our Department and will show potential for funding from two to three of the three Canadian tricouncil agencies (CIHR, NSERC, SSHRC). Within that scope, priority will be given to candidates whose research program focuses on the role of physical activity/exercise towards brain/mental health. The selected candidate will be expected to maintain a successful, externally-funded program of research, teach at the undergraduate and graduate levels in their specific areas of expertise including a graduate course in interdisciplinary health sciences, supervise master’s and doctoral students, and actively engage in service to the department, institution, and scholarly community.

Applicants should submit an electronic dossier to jobs.kpe@mcgill.ca in one (1) PDF file that includes their letter of application addressed to Julie Côté, Departmental Chair, a curriculum vitae, and statements of teaching philosophy and research interests. Each applicant should arrange for the submission of three letters of recommendation to the email above, prior to the December 1st, 2017 application deadline. Please make sure that the email subject header indicates Interdisciplinary Health Tenure Track Position (#R836).

Inquiries about this position can be directed to the chair of this search committee, Dr. Gordon Bloom (gordon.bloom@mcgill.ca).

McGill University is committed to diversity and equity in employment. It welcomes applications from: women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, ethnic minorities, persons of minority sexual orientation or gender identity, visible minorities, and others who may contribute to diversification. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.