DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

TENURE-TRACK FACULTY POSITION

COMPARATIVE BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

The Department of Biomedical Sciences, Ontario Veterinary College (OVC), University of Guelph is seeking applications to fill a tenure-track faculty position in Comparative Biomedical Sciences at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor level depending on qualifications. Applicants must have a PhD degree and must have a minimum of 2 years of postdoctoral experience. The successful candidate will be expected to have potential for developing a strong externally-funded research program, evident by a solid publication record and/or independent, externally funded research and be able to contribute to the department’s existing areas of research strength. The successful candidate will also be able to provide high quality instruction in the first year of the DVM curriculum (with interest/experience in teaching Histology preferred) and in the undergraduate Biomedical Sciences or Neuroscience Major.

The Department of Biomedical Sciences is responsible for delivering professional and specialist undergraduate education, and research training. In addition to courses in the DVM and BSc programs, the Department offers graduate course-based Masters, and thesis-based MSc and PhD programs in each of the departmental discipline fields. A large component of the research agenda within the Department of Biomedical Sciences is in Comparative Biomedical Research with expertise in Reproductive Biology and Development, Cardiovascular Physiology, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Cancer and Cell Biology, Stem cell and Regenerative Medicine and Neuroscience. Several faculty in the Department hold executive roles in the Centre for Cardiovascular Investigations (CCVI) and Institute for Comparative Cancer Investigation (ICCI) and an emerging centre in Stem cell and Regenerative Medicine. There are also extensive opportunities for collaborative studies involving naturally occurring disease process in companion and production animals. Establishment of an independent research program consistent with the research goals of the Department and College is expected. The successful candidate will also be expected to carry out collaborative research and independently acquire sufficient funds to support training of graduate students at the MSc and PhD level.

Guelph is a vibrant community of approximately 131,000 people, located in Southern Ontario, 100 kilometers west of Toronto. For more comprehensive information about the city please refer to the city’s web site at www.guelph.ca.
The University of Guelph [www.uoguelph.ca](http://www.uoguelph.ca) has consistently been ranked one of the top comprehensive universities in Canada. It has been named Canada’s top comprehensive research institution in the annual Top 50 Research Universities ranking. A comprehensive university is one with a significant amount of research activity and a wide range of programs at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Additional collaborative research opportunities are available at three medical schools in the region (University of Toronto, McMaster University, and the University of Western Ontario) and the University of Waterloo’s School of Pharmacy. In 2018, the Ontario Veterinary College was ranked number one in Canada and seventh worldwide, according to a global ranking of veterinary schools. [Quacquarelli Symonds](https://www.QS.com) ranks universities by subject based on three different components: academic reputation, employer reputation and research citations per paper.

The deadline for applications will be [May 30th, 2018](https://www.uoguelph.ca). Interviewing candidates will begin by late June and continue until the end of July or until a successful candidate has been identified. Interested parties should contact Dr. Tarek Saleh, Chair, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Ontario Veterinary College, University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario, N1G 2W1 email in confidence to: [tsaleh@uoguelph.ca](mailto:tsaleh@uoguelph.ca) and provide a letter of application (detailed cover letter with current qualifications and a research plan), current curriculum vitae and the names and contact information for 3 references.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

The University of Guelph acknowledge the Attawandaron people on whose traditional territory the University of Guelph resides and offer our respect to our Anishinaabe, Haudenosaunee and Métis neighbours as we strive to strengthen our relationships with them.

*At the University of Guelph, fostering a culture of inclusion is an institutional imperative. The University invites and encourages applications from all qualified individuals, including from groups that are traditionally underrepresented in employment, who may contribute to further diversification of our institution.*