Advertisement for the Position of Assistant/Associate Professor, in the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences with specialization in Pharmacy, Pharmaceutics, Pharmacology, Molecular Therapeutics, Taneja College of Pharmacy, University of South Florida, Tampa FL

About USF
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About Taneja College of Pharmacy:
USF Taneja College of Pharmacy is a nationally recognized program located in a Metropolitan city in State of Florida. In our pursuit and attainment of excellence, the USF Taneja College of Pharmacy (USF TCOP) is guided by the mission, vision, and values as it become the pacesetter for pharmacy education in an ever-changing healthcare field. The focus of USF TCOP is excellence. We strive to educate and empower our pharmacy practitioners and professionals to be catalysts for change at all levels of health. In 2011, USF TCOP admitted the first class of students, and today, we are proud of the progress made. From the innovative curriculum, research and educational advances, and dynamic leadership demonstrated by all, the USF Taneja College of Pharmacy is committed to excellence and growth.

Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences (DPS):
DPS is one of the two departments in College of Pharmacy. DPS consists of 15 faculty and is responsible to teach all the basic and pharmaceutical sciences courses to the Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm D) students. The Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences is supervised by Chair and works as primary contact for the faculty and staff in this department. DPS faculty conduct research and work on projects with goal and expectation to publish and pursue extramural research funding. Faculty are expected to maintain extramural funding to conduct research. The USF TCOP initiated the Graduate program and DPS faculty participate in different aspects of this program which offers Master in Pharmaceutical Nanotechnology with future prospects of PhD program in different research areas.

Duties:
The incumbent will serve as an Associate Professor in the DPS with specialization in Pharmacology and Molecular Therapeutics and is expected to develop vigorous, independent, extramurally-funded research programs. He/she will develop courses, and effectively teach students in the area of Pharmaceutical Sciences and related sciences such as Pharmacology, Pharmaceutics, Medicinal Chemistry and remain current in the areas of instruction relevant to the pharmacy curriculum. The successful candidate will maintain a credible research laboratory and supervise post-doctoral, graduate level, Masters students, and/or Pharm D students in the laboratory, supervise and teach new research techniques including the use of appropriate instruments and equipment, and statistical and analytical procedures. Successful candidate will work with Departmental Staff and Administration for maintaining teaching, research and service components as assigned by the Department Chair. Additional responsibilities include but aren’t limited to providing daily supervision and review of student performance and serving as advisor to Pharm D students, pre-doctoral, post-doctoral and research assistants.

Qualifications
Requirements: The incumbent must hold a minimum of a Ph.D. or equivalent degree in pharmacy, pharmacology, pharmaceutics, medicinal chemistry, or related biomedical science; plus, substantial research expertise and experience as reflected by a significant number of scientific publications in critically reviewed scientific journals as appropriate to his/her research. The successful candidate must be academically qualified for a faculty appointment at the level of Associate Professor (with minimum 5 years of Assistant Professor experience) and will report to Chair of Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences. For Assistant Professor Appointment, candidate should be qualified with post-doctoral fellow experience and previous experience working as faculty. The incoming candidate will undergo the recruitment process and will be considered for appointment in accordance with the Departmental requirements and Appointment, Promotion and Tenure guidelines of the USF College of Pharmacy. Research areas and approaches that complement existing departmental strengths include all areas of neuropharmacology, cardiovascular, metabolic diseases, aging, molecular and cellular pharmacology and research into therapeutics that protect from or mitigate the effects of radiation. In addition, experience with current research approaches in
behavioral pharmacology, drug discovery, molecular signaling mechanisms, immune pharmacology or pharmaco-genetics will be welcomed. Nominees for this position shall be required to successfully complete a security background investigation. Failure to meet the background investigation requirements will result in the withdrawal of the position offer or removal from the position.

Applicants should be in US and Preference will be given to U.S. Citizens or permanent residents of USA.

**Instruction to Candidates:** Interested individuals should submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research interests (2-3 pages), also include teaching philosophy and interests (1-2 pages). Provide names and contact information of three references from whom the letters can be obtained, for more information please see online at https://www.usf.edu/work-at-usf/careers/

**Timeline:** The position will be open until filled. Applications will be reviewed on a regular basis by the DPS faculty Search committee along with the Chair of the committee: Dr. Vijaykumar Sutariya Ph.D., RPh., Tenured Associate Professor, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, USF Taneja College of Pharmacy, Tampa, FL. USA.