Assistant/Associate/Full Professor (Hypertension and Kidney Research Center)

Dept Number/Name: 0-6137-037 / Heart Institute

College Division: USFHealth-College of Medicine

Salary Plan: Faculty

Job Code/Title: Open Rank

Hiring Salary/Salary Range: Negotiable

Position Number: 00049883

ORGANIZATIONAL SUMMARY:
The newly established Hypertension and Kidney Research Center, under the leadership of Dr. Alexander Starushchenko, is located in a new state-of-the-art USF Health Heart Institute opened in 2020 in downtown Tampa, housing several floors of basic research and translational laboratory space, state-of-the-art equipment, and outstanding core facilities. There are also multiple opportunities to collaborate with researchers at the main Campus and James A. Haley Veterans' Hospital. The University of South Florida, as recognized by U.S. News & World Report's national university rankings, has emerged as the nation's fastest-rising university over the past decade. Tampa Bay area is also recognized as one of the fast-growing and attractive metropolitan areas where residents can enjoy work-life balance.

POSITION SUMMARY:
We are interested in investigators who work on all themes of cardiovascular biology and medicine, including but not limited to hypertension, renal physiology, chronic kidney disease, diabetic nephropathy, and cardiovascular disease. Qualified candidates are expected to have already established, or have the potential to develop, a nationally recognized, competitively funded research program. Successful candidates will be offered institutional salary support commensurate with experience and highly competitive start-up packages that promote success. Based on qualifications, the home department may be Molecular Pharmacology & Physiology, Molecular Medicine, Internal Medicine, Biomedical Engineering, or another relevant department at USF. We encourage applications from those studying basic and translational mechanisms of hypertension and various kidney diseases. We are specifically interested in candidates whose research approaches involve innovative in vivo and ex vivo approaches. Candidates should have a Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent degree in a relevant field and have proven success in conducting research, as demonstrated by impactful publications and grant funding. Qualified applicants should submit a single PDF that includes a i) cover letter, ii) curriculum vitae, iii) a brief research plan (limit to 3 pages or less), iv) and the names and contact information of three references. Review of applications will proceed continuously until the position is filled.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- **TEACHING DUTIES (10%)**: Provide didactic and bench side teaching of medical students, graduate students, and post-doctoral fellows and provide college-wide seminars. If seasoned investigator, participate in mentoring of junior faculty.
- **RESEARCH DUTIES (85%)**: Perform basic and translational research related to hypertension and renal diseases. Publish in peer-reviewed journals, and continue to maintain NIH and other grants. Help with the development of the Hypertension and Kidney Research Center.
- **ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES (5%)**: Serve in governance, service, and community outreach tasks.
- Responsible to a Chair or other appropriate higher level administrator of a State university. Responsible for teaching, research, service, and related administrative activities. Responsible for academic advising and related activities. May represent the university, college/school, or department/unit on university and/or Statewide committees
POSITION QUALIFICATIONS:

MINIMUM:

- MD, PhD, MD/PhD degree from an accredited institution or the highest degree appropriate in the field of specialization with a demonstrated record of achievement in teaching, academic research, and service.
- Must meet university criteria for appointment to the rank of Assistant, Associate, or Full Professor.
- For Associate or Full Professor - Normally will have produced creative work, professional writing or research in refereed and other professional journals, and be a recognized authority in the field of specialization.

PREFERRED:

- It is preferred that the candidate have More than one NIH grant, Department of Defense grant, etc. on all themes of cardiovascular biology and medicine, including but not limited to hypertension, renal physiology, chronic kidney disease, diabetic nephropathy, and cardiovascular disease.

USF Health
Information for Applicants
This position is subject to a Level 1 criminal background check.

Job Opening Number: 31646

Posting Date: 08/16/2022

Posting End Date: Open Until Filled

How To Apply
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Apply online by completing the required information and attaching your cover letter and resume. Please include your experience as it relates to the qualifications stated above. YOUR COVER LETTER AND RESUME, PLUS ANY OTHER REQUESTED MATERIAL, MUST BE IN ONE ATTACHMENT. Only online applications are accepted for this position.

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Equal Employment Opportunity
USF is an equal opportunity, equal access academic institution that embraces diversity in the workplace. The University of South Florida does not discriminate on the basis of sex and prohibits sexual harassment. Any person may report sex discrimination, including sexual harassment (whether or not the person reporting is the person alleged to be the victim of conduct that could constitute sex discrimination or sexual harassment), in person, by mail, by telephone, or by electronic mail, using the contact information listed for the Title IX Coordinator. Reports may be made at any time either online or directly to the University’s Title IX Coordinator.

Work Location
Campus map and location overview:
USF - Health
USF - Tampa Campus

About USF
The University of South Florida is a high-impact global research university dedicated to student success. Over the past 10 years, no other public university in the country has risen faster in U.S. News and World Report’s national university rankings than USF. Serving more than 50,000 students on campuses in Tampa, St. Petersburg and Sarasota-Manatee, USF is designated as a Preeminent State Research University by the Florida Board of Governors, placing it in the most elite category among the state’s 12 public universities. USF is a member of the American Athletic Conference.

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region. At USF you will find opportunities to excel in a rich academic environment that fosters the development and advancement of our employees. We believe in creating a talented, engaged and driven workforce through on-going development and career opportunities. We also offer a first class benefit package that includes medical, dental and life insurance plans, retirement plan options, tuition program and generous leave programs and more.

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