



Occupational Injury Prevention (Open Track)

This exciting open-track position is with a growing, nationally recognized Occupational Injury Prevention (OIP) program and includes responsibilities in areas of research, teaching, and administration with significant innovative potential. In addition to classroom and/or distance-based teaching, student guidance and research, this may also involve up to 25% administration and service activities for successful applicant at a more senior-level appointment.

Job Summary:

Serve as a core faculty member in the OIP program in the NIOSH-supported Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health (RMCOEH), Department of Family and Preventive Medicine at the University of Utah; the RMCOEH is an internationally recognized leader in occupational injury and illness research and training. Develop/maintain an independently funded research program. Other tasks include: teach up to 2 OIP graduate courses per year; recruit, mentor and guide assigned students in the Master of Science in Occupational Health (MSOH) and Ph.D. in Occupational and Environmental Health (OEH) degree programs.

Technical Responsibilities:

Develop and conduct a funded research program in an OIP-related field of expertise. Provide guidance for OIP students on planning and conducting research projects, and guide them on how to analyze, evaluate, and report OIP data to a wide range of shareholders and interested groups. Collaborate with or otherwise assist other OIP and occupational health faculty (Ergonomics, Industrial Hygiene, Occupational Medicine, and Safety) with technical assistance or expert advice on studies and/or research projects.

Supervisory Responsibilities:

Position requires provision of curricular guidance to OIP students as their Research Committee Chair, supervise student research, and coordinate with a Technical Writer to assure timely and accurate completion of project manuscripts/theses or dissertations as applicable.

An advanced rank requires supervision and mentoring of junior faculty, interfacing with faculty in other University of Utah departments and programs, and assuming more administrative responsibilities as needed.

Qualifications:

A Ph.D. in Occupational and/or Environmental Health, Occupational Safety, Occupational Injury Epidemiology, or a related field is required. For advanced rank, five or more years of experience in OIP is required. In addition, a history of external research funding is desirable.

Link to the online application: <http://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/76027>

Additional information on the position may be obtained by contacting:

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Candidates should submit a cover letter and curriculum vitae, along with the completed application. The online application is available at:

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Please contact Matthew Thiese at matthew.thiese@hsc.utah.edu or 801-587-3322 with any questions regarding this posting.

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