Canada 150 Research Chair Positions

Western University invites applications from exceptional scholars and researchers, from all disciplines, for the Canada 150 Research Chairs Program. To be eligible, researchers and scholars must be living and working outside Canada. This includes Canadian expatriates wishing to re-locate to Canada. For more information about the Canada 150 Research Chairs Program, please refer to the program’s website. 
http://www.canada150.chairs-chaires.gc.ca/

The Chairs will be appointed to full-time academic positions at the rank of Associate Professor (probationary/tenure-track) or Associate Professor or Professor (tenured) in the relevant academic unit commencing no later than December 31, 2018. Salary and rank will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. Appointments are subject to approval of the Canada 150 Research Chairs Program.

Western ranks as one of Canada’s top research-intensive universities. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western also provides an exceptional employment experience, offering competitive salaries, a wide range of employment opportunities and one of Canada’s most beautiful campuses. General information about the University can be found at http://www.uwo.ca/. Western’s Office of Faculty Recruitment and Retention is available to assist in the transition of the successful applicant and family (http://www.uwo.ca/facultyrelations/recruitment_retention/index.html).

Successful candidates will hold a Ph.D. or equivalent and be outstanding and innovative researchers whose academic accomplishments are recognized for having made a major impact in their field as evidenced by, for example, publications in top tier international journals and/or presses; interdisciplinary and innovative scholarship and success in attracting and maintaining research funding. Successful candidates will also have a superior record of training and developing highly qualified research personnel such as graduate students and postdoctoral fellows.

Western University understands alternate career paths and/or career interruptions can impact research achievements. Candidates are encouraged to explain in their application, circumstances of how different career paths and/or career interruptions may have impacted them.

Applications should include a cover letter, CV, statement of research and contact information of three referees and be submitted electronically to:

Dr. Janice Deakin, Provost and Vice-President (Academic) 
Western University
provostvpa@uwo.ca

Review of applications will begin on August 4, 2017.

Western is committed to employment equity, diversity and inclusion in the workplace and welcomes applications from all individuals including women, members of racialized groups/visible minorities, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Heather Skilling at hskillin@uwo.ca