



**Department of Medical Imaging, Western University
St. Joseph's Health Care London, London Health Sciences Centre
and London X-Ray Associates**

ACADEMIC POSITION: Musculoskeletal Radiologist (Diagnostic)

Academic and Clinical Environment: The City Wide Department of Medical Imaging (www.schulich.uwo.ca/medimaging) has clinical activities based at St Joseph's Health Care London (www.sjhc.london.on.ca) and at London Health Sciences Centre (LHSC) (www.lhsc.on.ca); with research activities based in the Lawson Research Institute (www.lawsonresearch.ca) and at the Robarts Research Institute (www.robarts.ca). The academic training program is Royal College accredited and provides medical imaging education at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels.

The faculty consists of 55 Radiologists, 7 Nuclear Medicine physicians and 10 Imaging Scientists providing a subspecialty imaging program to a catchment population of approximately 1.5M people. The Department provides regional diagnostic imaging and interventional programs and has strong relationships with community hospital partners.

The Department is undergoing academic transformation and is hiring a new faculty position for a radiologist with expertise in Musculoskeletal Imaging. The successful candidate will have the opportunity to engage in a blended academic practice that spans the academic - community hospital continuum.

Position Profile: The successful candidate will be appointed in a full-time limited term Clinical Academic appointment at the rank of Assistant or Associate Professor in the Department of Medical Imaging at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry. **In addition, the successful candidate will provide clinical services for London X-Ray Associates ("LXA") and take an active role in the Citywide Musculoskeletal Imaging Subspecialty Division and must be dedicated to outstanding quality in clinical operations, demonstrate leadership, teaching and research abilities.** The successful candidate will have completed a Fellowship in Musculoskeletal Imaging and must have an interest in academic and community radiology. The academic component of this position is predominately located at St. Joseph's Health Care London and the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, with some academic/clinical service also provided at London Health Sciences Centre. The community practice includes several community hospitals and Independent Health Facilities (IHF) operated by LXA. One day of protected academic time to support research and teaching is provided.

The citywide **Musculoskeletal Imaging Division** provides a full complement of diagnostic and interventional MSK procedures and is comprised of 9 radiologists based at St. Joseph's Health Care London and London Health Sciences Centre.

Duties: The successful candidate will be expected to:

- provide a full range of diagnostic services required of a Musculoskeletal Radiologist including X-ray, Ultrasound, CT and MRI;
- participate in image guided MSK procedures such as diagnostic/therapeutic injections and biopsies;
- Participate in general radiology on-call.
- Participate in general radiology in LXA clinics and community hospitals outside London.

The successful candidate must be interested in pursuing a strong academic career and will be expected to actively participate in the Department of Medical Imaging's academic, research and education initiatives including teaching and supervision of undergraduate, and postgraduate trainees and fellows.

Qualifications: The successful candidate must have the following:

- An MD or equivalent and be eligible for licensure by the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario.
- Applicants should be Board certified in Diagnostic Radiology by either the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada or in the jurisdiction where they trained (if not in Canada).
- Successful completion of a Fellowship in Musculoskeletal Imaging prior to starting in the role.
- Demonstrate strong commitment to patient care, teaching and research, with the ability to provide a full range of diagnostic clinical services required of an MSK Radiologist. Must have interest in academic and community radiology, and previous experience in this environment is a distinct advantage.
- Consideration of applicants will include an assessment of previous performance and experience, as well as qualifications that surpass the requirements for the position.

The successful candidate will be a self-starter, a team player and willing to participate in all aspects of academic MSK imaging. This includes participation in a multidisciplinary environment, and provision of on call services as required by the Chair/Chief of the academic department and of the community practice served by London X-Ray Associates.

Compensation Details: Remuneration will include fee for service and alternative funding plan revenue.

The City: London, Ontario. London is Canada's 11th largest city with a population of almost 420,000, serving a catchment area of roughly 1.5 million. London is situated in southwestern Ontario, within a short driving distance of Toronto and Detroit. The region has a diverse economy and excellent educational opportunities. It is a safe and diverse city and its numerous parks, trails, recreational, cultural and sporting opportunities make it an attractive place to live. <https://www.ledc.com/why-london>

The University: With annual research funding exceeding \$220 million, and an international reputation for success, 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.

St. Joseph's Health Care London: St. Joseph's Health Care London is primarily an ambulatory care centre and provides patient care that complements the acute care hospitals of LHSC. Current clinical imaging equipment includes two 1.5T MRI, one 320 slice CT, modern ultrasound, and new state of the art mammography equipment including digital tomography and contrast dual energy mammography. The Department is upgrading to state-of-the-art paired 3T and 1.5T MRI, and has just installed state of the art X-ray equipment. Research imaging equipment includes a 256 slice CT, and a 3T PET/MR. There is a PET/CT serving clinical and research functions.

London X-Ray Associates: LXA is proud to have served London Ontario and region for over 92 years. We have a long history of teaching and providing diagnostic medical imaging services in the academic medical imaging department, 13 community hospitals and 5 Independent Health Facilities clinics in southwestern Ontario. We are a collegial group of radiologists, technologists and administrative professionals who are dedicated to serving patients, physicians and hospitals in the communities where we work. We strive to be the best at what we do. We see our responsibility as both humbling and inspiring. Respect is the cornerstone of fostering our people-centric culture.

For further information: Interested candidates are invited to contact the Site Director at St. Joseph's, for information on St. Joseph's Health Care London, the Chair-Chief, to discuss the Divisional structure and responsibilities, Department strategy and direction, and the Musculoskeletal Imaging Division Head, for more information on MSK divisional work and responsibilities.

- **Chair/Chief, Department of Medical Imaging, Western University, St. Joseph's Health Care London and London Health Sciences Centre, Dr. Narinder Paul, narinder.paul@lhsc.on.ca**
- **Site Director for Medical Imaging at St Joseph's Health Care London: Dr. Justin Amann, justin.amann@sjhc.london.on.ca**
- **Musculoskeletal Imaging Division Head: Dr. David Wang, david.wang@sjhc.london.on.ca**

To apply: Applications will be accepted until this position is filled. The expected start date is September 1, 2024 or as negotiated. Interested candidates should send a letter of interest and statement of academic qualifications, curriculum vitae, the names and addresses of three references, and also complete, sign and include the form at the following link: [application-full-time- clinical.pdf \(uwo.ca\)](#) .

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Successful candidates will be required to comply with the policies and protocols of the applicable affiliated institutions.

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Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized groups, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Kelsey Klages at Kelsey.klages@lhsc.on.ca

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