

Neurotologist and Skull Base Surgeon

The Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery
Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University
London Health Sciences Centre
St. Joseph's Health Care London

Rank:	Limited Term Assistant Professor or Associate Professor, or a continuing Clinical Academic appointment at the rank of Associate Professor or Professor
Number of Positions:	One
Posting Date:	March 30, 2026
Closing Date to Apply:	Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin after April 21, 2026.
Anticipated Start Date:	July 1, 2026, or as negotiated
Existing Vacancy Disclosure Statement:	This position is an existing vacancy

Position Profile: The Department of [Otolaryngology- Head and Neck Surgery](#), Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, is inviting applications for a full-time clinical academic faculty position. The successful candidate will hold a clinical academic appointment at Western University as a Clinician Teacher or Clinician Researcher. The successful candidate will join the staff at London Health Sciences Centre (LHSC), a fully affiliated teaching hospital at Western University.

Academic and/or Clinical Expectations:

1. A strong interest in teaching and collaboration within the Department to expand and enhance clinical teaching.
2. A keen interest in academic medicine including research, and teaching at the undergraduate and post graduate levels.
3. The ability to collaborate effectively with all other members of the health care team and department staff.

Experience with all aspects of Otolaryngology/Neurotology, including basic otology, vestibular disorders, facial nerve disorders, cochlear implants, bone conduction implants, and neurotologic surgery (acoustic neuromas, CSF leaks, temporal bone resections, etc.)

Qualifications or Experience and Skills Required: The successful candidate must have an MD or equivalent and have specialty certification in Otolaryngology by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada (or equivalent), be eligible for licensure in the Province of Ontario, and have completed training in or developed a focus of expertise that would be complimentary to the department's academic environment. This is a hospital/university position with an academic rank, remuneration, and contractual arrangements commensurate with experience and qualifications.

Consideration of applicants will include an assessment of previous performance in teaching, research and health care leadership, qualifications (including subspecialty and enhanced training), experience and interpersonal skills. Successful candidates seeking research careers must have a record of productivity, which can be demonstrated through a strong track record of research productivity, sustaining research funding and publications and in addition, show eagerness to serve as a research mentor for trainees.

Compensation Details: Compensation will be based on qualifications and experience and will be composed primarily of the following sources: fee for service, alternative funding plan and academic support.

Affirmation Policy Statement: Western, like many postsecondary institutions in Canada, is moving beyond sole reliance upon Indigenous self-identification in its hiring processes. This is to safeguard against the use of incorrect, incomplete, or misleading information in circumstances in which a candidate has made a declaration of Indigenous citizenship or membership. Candidates who are invited for an interview or who are short-listed, and who have made a declaration of Indigenous citizenship or membership for material advantage at Western, including where required or preferred for the position, will be asked to have their declaration of Indigenous citizenship or membership affirmed through a relational accountability process, led by the Office of Indigenous Initiatives (OII), that is consistent with Indigenous ways of knowing, being, and doing. Please contact the OII directly for details on the affirmation processes: <https://indigenous.uwo.ca/>. The policy can be viewed at: [POLICY 1.58 - Affirming Declarations of Indigenous Citizenship or Membership at Western University](#).

The Department: The London Health Sciences Centre Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery Program serves as a catchment area of more than 1.5 million residents in Southwestern Ontario. The regional service also provides tertiary and quaternary level to patients from other regions of the Province and plays an essential role in the support of several other regional programs.

The Department of Otolaryngology- Head and Neck Surgery is heavily involved in undergraduate, post-graduate, and continuing medical education programs at a high level.

The Division of Otology/Neurotology is world renowned for its clinical expertise and research. The program developed the posterior semicircular canal occlusion, performed the first BONEBRIDGE in North America, and performed the first paediatric auditory brainstem implant in Canada. The division performs over 100 cochlear implants per year, and it is known for its work in cochlear anatomy and imaging.

The Faculty: The Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry at Western University is one of Canada's preeminent medical and dental schools. Established in 1881, it was one of the founding schools of Western University and is known for being the birthplace of family medicine in Canada. For more than 130 years, the School has demonstrated a commitment to academic excellence and a passion for scientific discovery. Throughout its history, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry has helped educate generations of physicians, dentists, scholars, and scientists whose collective work has transformed the practice of medicine and dentistry, here in Canada and around the world. Faculty, students, and alumni continue to fulfill their responsibilities as global leaders by sharing their knowledge and expertise for the benefit of all.

The University: Western University provides an outstanding educational experience within a research-intensive environment. The University has a full-time enrolment of about 34,000 students with a full range of academic and professional programs. Established in 1881, the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, one of the founding schools of Western University, has educated generations of physicians, dentists, scholars and scientists whose collective work has transformed the practice of medicine and dentistry both nationally and globally

The City: The City of London has a growing population of approximately 500,000 with a diverse cultural mix and the hospitals serve a region of two million. London is safe, family-oriented, affordable and located in the heart of the beautiful Great Lakes region. It is known as the "Forest City", due to its plethora of trees. The center of London is graced by the Thames River with nearly 30 kilometers of bicycle trails hugging the riverbanks. London is a quick one-hour drive to Stratford, known for its exceptional influences in the arts and theatre performance. In addition, London is central to its nearby cities of Toronto and Detroit and the majestic Niagara Falls.

To Apply: Applicants are invited to forward a Letter of Interest/Statement of Academic Qualifications, Curriculum Vitae, and the names and addresses of three referees in PDF format to:

Erin Fischer
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Please ensure that the form available at:
http://uwo.ca/facultyrelations/physicians/Application_FullTime_Clinical.pdf
is completed and included in your application.

Successful candidates will be required to comply with the policies and protocols of each applicable institution.

Business Addresses:

Western University, 1151 Richmond Street, N., London, Ontario N6A 5B8, www.uwo.ca
London Health Sciences Centre, 800 Commissioners Road E., London Ontario, N6A 5W9,
www.lhsc.on.ca
St. Joseph's Health Care London, 268 Grosvenor Street, London Ontario, N6A 4V2,
www.sjhc.london.on.ca

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

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, including those with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Erin.Fischer@lhsc.on.ca.

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