

FACULTY POSITION

Winship Cancer Institute/Department of Human Genetics, Emory University School of Medicine

The Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University (Winship) in partnership with the Department of Human Genetics (DOHG) at Emory University School of Medicine invites applications from outstanding candidates for a tenure-track faculty position at the rank of Assistant, Associate, or Full Professor, commensurate with experience. We seek exceptional individuals with dynamic and innovative cancer research programs with a specific focus in cancer genetics, epigenetics, and/or genomics. Successful candidates will be expected to maintain an independent federally funded research program and to participate in cancer center activities. This recruiting effort is part of a strategic initiative to create a cadre of first class scientists with closely related research interests in support of Winship's Cancer Genetics and Epigenetics Research Program.

As Georgia's first and only National Cancer Institute-Designated Comprehensive Cancer Center, the Winship Cancer Institute serves as the coordinating center for a vast array of resources in medical, surgical, radiation oncology, diagnostic imaging, and the subspecialties of cancer care and prevention, basic and translational research throughout Emory University. Winship has 447 clinical and research members with academic appointments in over 38 departments across the Schools of Medicine, Nursing, and Public Health at Emory University. In total, Winship members hold over \$110 million in total research funding. Recently, Winship's clinical program at Emory University Hospital was recognized as one of the top 50 cancer centers in the United States by *U.S. News and World Report* and number one cancer hospital in Georgia. To learn more about the Winship Cancer Institute, visit <http://www.winshipcancer.emory.edu>

The DOHG has 51 full-time faculty members and extramural funding exceeding \$21 million per year. The majority of the research in the Department focuses directly on human genetic disease and has major strengths in neurogenetics, metabolic disease, and translational research. The DOHG recently created the Center for Computational and Quantitative Genetics that will catalyze research at the interface between statistical/computational sciences and genetics across Emory University. The DOHG also has a vibrant clinical program including numerous weekly general and specialized outpatient clinics and in-patient consultations in several metro Atlanta hospitals. Emory Genetic Laboratory provides molecular, biochemical and cytogenetic testing for hundreds of genetic diseases. The Department has ACGME-accredited clinical genetics residency and medical biochemical fellowship programs and offers training in all ABMGG laboratory subspecialties. There is an ACGC-accredited program that graduates 10 new genetic counselors a year. The unique combination of a well-established basic research faculty along with the comprehensive clinical genetics division, places the DOHG at the forefront of contemporary translational research and predictive health.

Emory School of Medicine is renowned as a premier research institution, and ranks 17th among all US medical schools in total NIH research support. The Emory University's many research facilities, graduate and professional schools, main hospital, and undergraduate college campus occupy a 600 acre park-like setting in northeast Atlanta. The close proximity to downtown Atlanta, and partner Institutions such as the Georgia Institute of Technology, the National Centers for Disease Control, American Cancer Society, provides unique opportunities for multidisciplinary interactions and a vibrant academic and urban/suburban environment.

Successful candidates will hold an PhD, MD or MD/PhD degree, postdoctoral training, and a strong track-record of peer-reviewed research publications and extramural funding. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter describing their background and experience, curriculum vitae, and a short statement of research direction to: Tiffany Norman (tiffany.m.norman@emory.edu) before Dec 15th, 2017. The posting on Emory University's job site can be found at the link below.

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