Department of Human Genetics, Emory University School of Medicine

Tenure-Track Faculty Positions in Genetic Epidemiology

The Department of Human Genetics (DOHG) at Emory University School of Medicine invites applications for tenure-track faculty positions at the Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, or Professor rank for individuals with advanced training and experience in the area of genetic epidemiology. We are particularly interested in candidates capable of designing and implementing genetic analyses in large collaborative projects, and who are in the process of establishing or have already established an independent disease-driven research program. Commitment to mentoring and increasing diversity and inclusion in STEM is also required.

The DOHG has more than 40 full-time faculty members and extramural funding exceeding $30 million per year. Departmental research focuses mainly on human genetic disease and has major strengths in neurogenetics, metabolic diseases, and translational research. The DOHG contains the Center for Computational and Quantitative Genetics that catalyzes research at the interface between statistical/computational sciences and genetics across campus. Moreover, faculty with research programs in neuroscience will have opportunities to interact with the newly established Goizueta Institute @Emory Brain Health. The DOHG also has a vibrant clinical program including numerous general and specialized outpatient clinics and in-patient consultations in several metro Atlanta hospitals, offering opportunities for collaborations in translational research. 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.

DOHG provides a competitive salary, benefits and start-up funds, laboratory space, access to state-of-the-art core facilities and extensive opportunities for collaboration both within Emory and with neighboring institutions, including CDC and Georgia Tech. Emory University and hospitals along with the CDC are located in a wooded part of Atlanta. The Atlanta metropolitan area has an active art, music, food, and cultural scene with a delightful climate. The Atlanta metropolitan area continues to be rapidly growing, culturally diverse, and inclusive, offering an excellent and affordable quality of life.

Interested candidates should send their curriculum vitae, statement of research accomplishments and goals (2 pages), diversity statement detailing personal experience and/or commitment to fostering a diverse, equitable, and inclusive training environment (1 page), and names of 3 potential references by email to Dr. Michael Epstein (mpepste@emory.edu) before November 18th, 2022.

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