

**Dalhousie University, Faculty of Health
School of Health and Human Performance
KINESIOLOGY Position – Pediatric Physical Activity and Health**

Applications are invited for a probationary tenure-track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor in the School of Health and Human Performance commencing July 1st, 2018.

The successful candidate will have a completed doctoral degree in Kinesiology or closely related field. The primary responsibilities will include teaching and supervising undergraduate and graduate students, maintaining a vibrant program of grant-supported research and publication, and contributing to the academic/collegial life of the School and broader community. As well, the successful candidate will be expected to develop a successful research program. Preference will be given to candidates who have a demonstrated record of strong research or potential for a successful research program in the areas of accelerometry-based physical activity measurement, the determinants of health and disease during childhood, and/or the importance of physical activity in the prevention of illness and the preservation of health. The successful candidate will have demonstrated potential for teaching excellence in the areas of human growth and development, physical activity and health, as well as, physical activity and chronic disease. An ability to contribute to the Faculty of Health's Inter-professional Health Education activities, Dalhousie's Healthy Populations Institute and the IWK Hospital's Department of Pediatrics will be considered an asset.

Applicants should submit a cover letter stating qualifications and abilities, a statement of research and teaching interests, a curriculum vitae, and three reference letters sent to: Dr. Laurene Rehman, Director, School of Health and Human Performance, Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS B3H 4R2. The submission of applications electronically to laurene.rehman@dal.ca is preferred. **Please reference Pediatric Physical Activity and Health position.** The application must also include a completed Self-Identification Questionnaire, which is available at www.dal.ca/becounted/selfid. Consideration of applications will begin immediately. Deadline for applications is March 30, 2018.

The School of Health and Human Performance is part of the Faculty of Health, whose mission is to lead integrated health research and education through collaborative partnerships in our local, national and global communities. The Faculty also includes the Schools of Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Nursing, Health Administration, Human Communication Disorders, and Social Work, the College of Pharmacy, the QEII/Dalhousie School of Health Sciences, and the Clinical Vision Science program. Dalhousie University is located in Halifax, a small, historic, and culturally-active city located in a province with substantial lifestyle advantages such as music, theatre, festivals, beaches, whale-watching, hiking, and camping.

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. Dalhousie University is committed to fostering a collegial culture grounded in diversity and inclusiveness. The University encourages applications from Aboriginal people, persons with a disability, racially visible persons, women, persons of minority sexual orientations and gender identities, and all candidates who would contribute to the diversity of our community.

This position is subject to budgetary approval.