

**Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery Academic Otolologist/Neurotologist
Western University
London Health Sciences Centre (LHSC)**

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Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery

The Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry at Western University in London, Ontario invites applications for a fellowship trained, full time clinical academic position in Otolaryngology/Neurotology to join their acclaimed Otolaryngology/Neurotology division. The academic rank will be commensurate with the candidate's qualifications and experience.

LHSC is a regional referral centre servicing two million patients in Southwestern Ontario, in addition to other provincial regions such as Niagara and Northern Ontario. Our program provides quaternary level care for skull base surgery and our hearing implant program is an internationally acclaimed centre of excellence.

Position Profile

The successful candidate will be a Clinician Teacher or Clinician Researcher and hold a Full-Time Limited Term Clinical Academic appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor or Associate Professor, or a Continuing Clinical Academic appointment at the rank of Associate Professor or Full Professor, depending upon experience and qualifications at the time of appointment.

Preference will be given to those applicants who have completed or plan to complete graduate-level training in research and/or education. The successful candidate should possess exceptional skill in vestibular disorders, skull base surgery, cochlear implantation, and bone conductive devices. They will also be expected to provide occasional care for general Otolaryngology Head and Neck Surgery disorders as part of the city-wide on-call schedule. In addition to having a proven record of academic excellence, we seek a candidate with strong interpersonal and collaborative skills.

Academic and Clinical Expectations

The position involves all aspects of team-based patient care, including the evaluation, management, and treatment of patients with otolaryngologic problems. The successful candidate must be interested in pursuing a strong academic career and will be expected to participate actively in the Department's academic, research and education initiatives including teaching and supervision of undergraduate students and postgraduate trainees. The position involves at least 35% time commitment to research, education and/or administrative service activities in the Department, Hospital and/or the University dependent upon the appointment category. Applicants considered at the rank of Associate or Full Professor must have demonstrated the ability to publish in the highest quality academic and subspecialty outlets and be a recognized expert in their field of research.

Qualifications

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, 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. Specifically:

1. Fellowship training in neurotology
2. Experience treating patients with vestibular disorders, skull base surgery, cochlear implantation, and bone conductive devices.
3. Experience performing neurotologic procedures.
4. A strong interest in teaching and collaboration within the Department to expand and enhance clinical teaching.

5. A keen interest in academic medicine including research, and teaching at the undergraduate and post graduate levels.
6. The ability to collaborate effectively with all other members of the health care team and department staff.
7. Advanced training in a discipline complementary to the academic mission of the department having shown success in research publications in the area of neurotology.

Compensation

Compensation for this position will be commensurate with qualifications and experience and will be primarily composed of the following sources: Fee for service (OHIP billings) and Alternative Funding Plan.

The City

The University campus is in London, with a metropolitan census of approximately 530,000, located midway between Toronto and Detroit. London boasts an international airport, galleries, theatre, music and sporting events and is located close to several lakes and facilities for outdoor activities (www.goodmovelondon.ca). Western's Recruitment and Retention Office is available to assist in the transition of successful applicants and their families to the university and city.

The University

Western University delivers an academic experience second to none. Western challenges the best and brightest faculty, staff and students to commit to the highest global standards. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western attracts individuals with a broad worldview, seeking to study, influence and lead in the international community. Since 1878, The Western Experience has combined academic excellence with life-long opportunities for intellectual, social and cultural growth in order to better serve our communities.

Western University is a research-intensive university with full-time enrolment of about 34,000 students with a full range of academic and professional programs. The Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry provides an outstanding educational experience within a research intensive environment where tomorrow's physicians, dentists and health researchers learn to be socially responsible leaders in the advancement of human health.

To Apply

Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin after June 30, 2022 with an anticipated start to be 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 from the following link:

http://uwo.ca/facultyrelations/physicians/Application_FullTime_Clinical.pdf

Please send application documents to:

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For information regarding our Department and or the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, please visit:

<https://www.schulich.uwo.ca/otolaryngology/>

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Effective September 7, 2021, all employees and visitors to campus are required to comply with Western's [COVID-19 Vaccination Policy](#). Successful candidates will be also 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 with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Scott McKinnon at: scott.mckinnon@sjhc.london.on.ca