



Tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor position in nutrition and metabolism, Department of Health Professions, College of Health and Public Affairs, University of Central Florida. *Responsibilities:* The successful candidate will be expected to contribute to a growing research and education focus on the role of nutrition, diet and physical activity in the etiology, prevention and treatment of chronic diseases. Specific research interests and experience should be in the area of diet and its association with chronic diseases such as obesity, cardiovascular disease, diabetes, or cancer. S/he will develop an externally funded research program in one of these areas and will to teach human nutrition in the newly established research-based master's track in Clinical and Lifestyle Sciences. The University of Central Florida (UCF) is a metropolitan research university with over 46,000 students and is among the fastest growing universities in the country. Orlando, Florida, is one of the nation's most dynamic, diverse and rapidly growing metropolitan areas, well positioned near the Space Coast in the center of the high-tech Interstate 4 Corridor. It is home to numerous cultural activities and offers a wide variety of athletic and outdoor recreational opportunities. The successful candidate will work in the newly established Center for Lifestyle Medicine. Excellent opportunities exist for developing collaborations with faculty in the newly established Colleges of Medicine and Nursing, a new Florida expansion site for the Burnham Institute for Medical Research, a planned VA Hospital, and other established university-affiliated hospitals. Rank and salary will be based on qualifications and experience. ***Qualifications:*** An earned doctorate in nutrition or related field is required. Successful candidates will have a record of peer-reviewed publications in high impact scientific journals and externally funded research. Candidates will be expected to be able to work in a team setting involving faculty, staff and students, to demonstrate exceptional written and oral communication skills, and to have a commitment to collaboration. An RD is considered a plus. ***Application Procedure:*** Applicants should send a current curriculum vita, names and contact information for three references, and a cover letter describing the candidate's strengths, accomplishments, and future research plans to: Search Committee for Position # 39027, Department of Health Professions, University of Central Florida, P. O. Box 162205, Orlando, FL 32816-2205. Please indicate the position number on each document. Consideration of applications will begin immediately, and continue until the position is filled, preferably by Fall 2007. Send e-mail inquiries to: tangelop@mail.ucf.edu. Previous applicants for this position need not reapply. They are still under consideration. UCF is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer. As an agency of the State of Florida, all application materials and selection procedures are available for public review. UCF web site: www.ucf.edu.