The Division of Nutritional Sciences is seeking candidates for a nine-month, full-salaried, tenure-track associate or full professor in Global Health and Nutrition at Cornell University.

The candidate for this position should be an outstanding research scientist with a recognized scholarly reputation and experience in interdisciplinary research in global health and nutrition, with disciplinary expertise in nutrition, epidemiology, medicine and/or the social-behavioral sciences including sociology, anthropology, economics and demography. The qualifications of the candidate should be consistent with a tenured appointment at the level of an associate or full professor and demonstrated research excellence in areas of interest that include, but are not limited to, maternal and child nutrition, obesity and chronic disease prevention and food systems for human health. Experience in teaching at the undergraduate and/or graduate level is required. Research excellence should be demonstrated by an active, externally-funded research program as well as by a substantial record of publication in recognized journals and books. Scholarship related to nutrition and human health, in the broadest sense, should be central to the candidate's research program. Participation in the Division’s graduate and undergraduate teaching programs related to global and public health nutrition is expected.

The DNS is a broadly based interdisciplinary unit that integrates theories and methods from across many academic disciplines to understand the complex relationships among biology, nutrition, food systems and lifestyle patterns, social and institutional environments and governmental policies in human health. For more detailed information about the Division’s please visit our Description page.

This position is aligned with the University initiatives in big data, information sciences, and global and public health.

Academic Environment at Cornell University
Cornell is a major Land Grant research and teaching institution established in 1865 with both endowed and state-assisted units. The student population on the Ithaca campus is approximately 5,350 graduate/professional students and 13,670 undergraduates. Cornell offers a strong, interdisciplinary research environment. Recently, the university initiated campus-wide investments in the Life Sciences, the Cornell Population Program, the Institute for Social Sciences Institute and the Global Health Program, and the Weill Cornell Medical College Located in New York City.

Qualifications:
• PhD, ScD, MD, DrPH, DVM or equivalent degree in human or public health nutrition, epidemiology, medicine and/or the social-behavioral sciences including sociology, anthropology, economics and demography or in a related field;
• Demonstrated research excellence in areas including, but not limited to, maternal and child nutrition, obesity and chronic disease prevention, food systems for human health and nutrition.
• Experience teaching at the undergraduate and/or graduate level;
• Research excellence should be demonstrated by a substantial record of publication (in books and recognized journals) in the field and a strong history of externally supported research;
• Scholarship related to food, diet, nutrition and human health, in the broadest sense should be central to the candidate's research program; and
• Interest in building academic linkages within DNS program areas, and with other departments and centers throughout the university such as the Weill Cornell Medical College, the Cornell Population Program, the Cornell Center for Sustainable Futures, the Institute for Social Sciences, and/or the Center for Comparative and Population Genomics.

Responsibilities:
Distribution of professional effort will be approximately 50% research and 50% teaching. The successful candidate will:
• Maintain a vigorous, externally funded research program;
• Maintain a high level of scholarly activity;
• Mentor graduate students;
• Forge professional relationships within the Division of Nutritional Sciences and other academic units on campus; and
• Participate in the Division of Nutritional Sciences’ graduate and undergraduate teaching programs.

Compensation:
Salary level will depend on experience and expertise and will be competitive with comparable positions at peer universities.

Application Instructions
Applicants must apply at: apply.interfolio.com/25372 and upload a cover letter, their CV and should also arrange to have three confidential letters of recommendation submitted through Interfolio.

Review of applications will begin on September 1, 2014.

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement
Cornell University is an innovative Ivy League university and a great place to work. Our inclusive community of scholars, students and staff impart an uncommon sense of larger purpose and contribute creative ideas to further the university’s mission of teaching, discovery and engagement. Located in Ithaca, NY, Cornell’s far-flung global presence includes the medical college’s campuses on the Upper East Side of Manhattan and Doha, Qatar, as well as the new CornellNYC Tech campus to be built on Roosevelt Island in the heart of New York City. Diversity and Inclusion are a part of Cornell University’s heritage. We are an employer and educator recognized for valuing AA/EEO, Protected Veterans, and Individuals with Disabilities.