Assistant/Associate/Full Professor  
Global Health and Nutrition  
Division of Nutritional Sciences  
Cornell University

The Division of Nutritional Sciences is seeking candidates for a 9-month, full-salaried, tenure-track assistant, 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 and epidemiology, as well as medicine and/or the social-behavioral sciences including sociology, anthropology, economics and demography. The qualifications of the candidate will determine the rank of the tenured/tenure-track appointment at the level of an assistant, associate or full professor. 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. Interest in teaching at the undergraduate and/or graduate level is required. Commensurate with rank, 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. This position is aligned with University initiatives in big data, information sciences, and global and public health.

The Division of Nutritional Sciences 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. The professor has the potential to develop collaborations with faculty who have broad interests in basic and applied aspects of global health, human biology and metabolism, agriculture and food systems and human nutrition.

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, the Global Health Program, and the Weill Cornell Medical College, which is located in New York City.

The Division of Nutritional Sciences
The Division of Nutritional Sciences (DNS) at Cornell University is among the largest academic units in the United States devoted to human nutrition. DNS is a multi-disciplinary unit with scholarly activities that integrate knowledge from the physical, biological and social sciences in the areas of molecular, human, international and community nutrition through teaching, research, and outreach related to food, food systems, nutrition and health. Multidisciplinary research, graduate training and outreach programs include Maternal & Child Nutrition, Nutritional Genomics, Food Systems for Health and Nutrition, Global Health & International Nutrition and Obesity & Chronic Disease. In carrying out its mission, DNS supports and contributes to advancements in basic disciplines and promotes the health and well-being of populations in the US and globally. The DNS undergraduate program consists of four majors. The Nutritional Sciences major and a new major in Global and Public Health Sciences are offered through the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and the College of Human Ecology. The Human Biology, Health
and Society major is offered through the College of Human Ecology, and the concentration in Nutrition in the Biological Sciences Major is offered through the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and the College of Arts and Sciences. The Division of Nutritional Sciences is the administrative home for the Cornell Graduate Field of Epidemiology.

Cornell University is an equal opportunity employer

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.
- 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:
The candidate is expected to:
- 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;
- Participate in the Division of Nutritional Sciences’ graduate and undergraduate teaching programs.

Academic Rank and Compensation:
Assistant, Associate or Full Professor with 9-month appointment and expectation of tenure. Position is designated as 50% effort in research, 50% in teaching/instruction. Salary level will depend on experience and expertise and will be competitive with comparable positions at peer universities.

Applicants must apply at https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/7319 and upload a cover letter, their CV, a research statement and a teaching statement. Applicants should also arrange to have three confidential letters of recommendation submitted to Cornell through Academic Jobs Online.