The Faculty of Medicine is seeking candidates for the position of Chair of the School of Rehabilitation. This department ranks among the top ones in Canada by its dynamism and world-class research quality. The School of Rehabilitation includes 33 tenure-track professors, 20 clinical professors, more than 900 students in its occupational therapy and physical therapy programs (11 undergraduate, graduate and qualification programs), more than 50 students in rehabilitation sciences (master and doctoral programs), and many clinical partners (in teaching and enrolled in continuing education programs). The professors’ activities to advance research in rehabilitation sciences are based in cutting edge research centers such as the Centre de recherche en réadaptation du Montréal métropolitain (CRIR), the CHU Ste-Justine, and Centre de recherche de l’Institut universitaire de gériatrie de Montréal (CRIUGM).

We are looking for a department chair with a strong leadership and a commitment to excellence in research and teaching, who will work with department personnel in pursuit of this shared vision. Candidates from outside Université de Montréal must have an established reputation in the field of rehabilitation; demonstrate an excellence in teaching and research along with a proven track record of research funding from national and international research agencies, permitting a nomination at the rank of Associate or Full Professor. The Director’s term of office is four years, renewable once, starting June 1st 2020.

As a professor, you will have the opportunity to contribute to the excellence of the School of Rehabilitation.

The appointed candidate will report directly to the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine and will be responsible for all aspects of department functioning, including strategic planning, faculty and staff development,

- Strategic planning in accordance with the School of Rehabilitation’s priorities and Faculty objectives;
- Supports curriculum/program development and monitor academic programs in collaboration with relevant vice-deans;
- Ensures equitable distribution of teaching duties between teaching personnel;
- Supports professors in professional development and career management;
- Ensures proper recruitments, nominations and promotion;
- Prepares and manages department budget.
The appointed candidate will also be expected to maintain research, teaching activities and academic visibility.

To succeed in this role, you'll need:

- A PhD in rehabilitation sciences or a related discipline;
- An excellent research and teaching experience;
- Good publication record;
- Evidence of academic management in a University Institution;
- An adequate knowledge of the French written and spoken in accordance to Université de Montréal’s Language Policy.

How to submit your application

Interested candidates should send the following documents no later than November, 3rd 2019:

- A letter outlining your interests, career goals and research interest, along with your goals as department chair.
- A detailed resume (CV)
- An abridged CV (please use template)

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Additional information about the position

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Université de Montréal is strongly committed to fostering diversity and inclusion. Through its Equal Access Employment Program, UdeM invites applications from women, Aboriginal people, visible and ethnic minorities, as well as persons with disabilities. We will – confidentially – adapt our recruitment mechanisms to the specific needs of people with disabilities who request it. We also welcome applications from candidates of all orientations and sexual identities. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply; however, in accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadians and permanent residents.

Université de Montréal’s application process allows all members of the Professor’s Assembly to review the application files submitted. If you wish to keep your application confidential until the shortlist is established, please mention it in your application.