Academic Global Health Physician
University of Chicago
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Internal Medicine, Global Health, Infectious Disease

- Full Time Academic position
- 50% time in Wuhan, China; 50% in Chicago
- Outcome Research in Medical Education Reform in China
- Mandarin language requirement
- Internal Medicine +/- ID clinical work in Chicago

Job Details

The University of Chicago’s Department of Medicine, Section of Infectious Diseases, has opportunities for well-trained internists to join our interdisciplinary global health program. We seek full-time academic faculty who will provide direct patient care and build upon an existing affiliation between The Section of Infectious Diseases in the Department of Medicine in the Biological Sciences Division of the University of Chicago with Wuhan University Medical Center in Wuhan, China. Qualified individuals will spend 4-6 months in China where they will assist in leading the residency training program in internal medicine and for the clinical clerkships for senior medical students.

Regular activities include faculty development, leadership of the chief residents, development of weekly clinical case conferences, development of a competency-based framework for the residency and clerkship training programs, and monitoring course and resident/student evaluations based on clinical competencies. Qualified applicants must demonstrate academic potential relevant to international medical education, experience with clinical care and medical education in China and in the United States, and bilingual speaking competency in Mandarin and English. Successful candidates will spend 6-8 months in Chicago as a faculty member of the Section of ID and Global Health where responsibilities will include 2-3 months on a general medicine teaching ward, teaching medical students, residents and fellows in global health, and scholarship in global health with an emphasis on undergraduate and graduate medical education reform in China.
Opportunities for leadership positions may be available to candidates with appropriate skills or experience.

Direct patient care responsibilities will be limited to patient care at the University of Chicago and will include managing patients with complex subspecialty needs while supervising residents and medical students. Excellent clinical judgment, teaching skills, and bilingual speaking competency in Mandarin Chinese and English are essential. There are no direct patient care duties in Wuhan. Candidates must have a medical degree, be board eligible in Infectious Diseases, Internal Medicine or Medicine/Pediatrics and be eligible for medical licensure in Illinois. Qualified applicants are invited to apply online by submitting a CV and cover letter at academiccareers.uchicago.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=54536. Academic rank and compensation are dependent upon qualifications and include a generous package of fringe benefits. Review of applications will continue until all available positions are filled.

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Requirements
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