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Award Announcement

The M.L. Sunde Award

The M.L. Sunde Award recognizes outstanding experimental, applied or fundamental research on avian nutrition.

An award of $2,500 will be presented annually to the first author or authors of an outstanding research paper using an avian species in research published in The Journal of Nutrition. Eligible manuscripts will be reviewed by an Award Jury. The selection of the awardee will be based on the long term value of the research to the poultry industry and to mankind.

The M.L. Sunde Award is made available by the M.L. Sunde Endowment Fund.

John Hannah Distinguished Professorship in Molecular Nutrition

The Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition at Michigan State University announces the availability of the John Hannah Distinguished Professorship in Molecular Nutrition. We are seeking a national leader to build an internationally recognized group to address key nutrition and food science issues directly linked to human health. Success in these endeavors will be evidenced by NIH program project support or other broad-based peer-reviewed awards. The Hannah endowment also provides significant operating support for this position and the successful candidate will have a major voice in the hiring of a cluster of additional tenure stream faculty collaborators. Individuals are sought who successfully apply expertise in genomics technologies to public health issues related to susceptibility for metabolic or chronic diseases, nutrition and development, nutrient-gene interactions, or epigenetics. This research emphasis will illuminate the roles of nutrition, genetics, and gene regulation in the etiology, prevention and/or therapy of nutrition-related health conditions, including cardiovascular disease, cancer, obesity and immunologic disorders. This position will complement a strong, multi-disciplinary research presence at MSU focused on furthering understanding of mechanisms of gene regulation. The Hannah Professor will have the opportunity to collaborate with scientists in the health sciences, agricultural sciences, medicine and molecular/cellular biology at MSU, the Van Andel Institute (Grand Rapids, MI) as well as public and private health agencies. Outstanding facilities in genomics/transcriptomics, proteomics, metabolomics supported by bioinformatics are available. The candidate will be expected to contribute to the teaching mission of the cooperating departments based on their expertise.

Qualifications: Applicants must possess an advanced degree (Ph.D., M.D., D.V.M., and/or equivalent) with postdoctoral training and will have an exceptional research record. This individual will be jointly appointed in another academic department based on expertise. Competitive salary, laboratory space and start-up package are available.

Submit letter of application in Adobe Acrobat®-format addressing research and teaching interests, vita, and the names and contact information of three people who can serve as references to: Norman Hord, Ph.D., MPH, RD, Search Committee Chair, John Hannah Distinguished Professor Search Committee, 208C G. M. Trout Food Science and Human Nutrition Bldg., Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI 48824.

Michigan State University is committed to achieving excellence through cultural diversity. The university actively encourages applications and/or nominations from women, persons of color, veterans and persons with disabilities.

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Nutrition, Aging and Chronic Disease: Assistant, Associate or Full Professor of Nutritional Sciences

The Pennsylvania State University, College of Health & Human Development (HHD), seeks an outstanding scholar for a tenure-track/tenured position (open rank) in the Department of Nutritional Sciences. In addition to teaching and service, the successful candidate’s research responsibilities will involve human nutrition and aging with a public health/community nutrition emphasis and/or chronic disease clinical focus. The successful candidate will have a doctoral degree in Nutrition or related field, will successfully demonstrate the ability to procure external funding and possess a record of academic achievement commensurate with faculty appointments at the appropriate level. In addition, demonstrated competency in one of the following areas is desirable: nutrition needs and health outcomes, clinical interventions, population-based or community-based studies, clinical studies in chronic diseases or diet assessment methodology. Building productive and effective collaborations with colleagues is expected. The teaching component will involve undergraduate and graduate teaching in public health/community nutrition, and lifestyle nutrition. Salary is competitive and commensurate with background and experience. An attractive benefits package is available. Review of applications will begin immediately, and continue to be accepted until the position is filled. Submit letter of application, current curriculum vitae, and a statement of research and teaching interests to: Dr. Penny Kris-Etherton, Search Committee Chair, Department of Nutritional Sciences, College of Health and Human Development, The Pennsylvania State University, S-126 Henderson Building, University Park, PA 16802.

Penn State is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity and the diversity of its workforce.
ILSI North America Future Leader Award

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The North American Branch of the International Life Sciences Institute (ILSI N.A.) is soliciting nominations of individuals to be considered to receive its 2009 Future Leader Award.

ILSI N.A. is a nonprofit, scientific research and educational organization established to advance the understanding of scientific issues relating to nutrition and food safety by bringing together scientists from academia, government, industry, and the public sector to solve problems with broad implications for the well-being of the general public. ILSI N.A.’s programs are financially supported primarily by its industry membership.

The ILSI NA Future Leader Award, given to promising nutrition and food scientists, allows new investigators the opportunity to add to an existing project or to conduct exploratory research that might not receive funding from other sources or add to an existing project. Consideration will be given to individuals proposing research in the areas of experimental nutrition, nutrition and toxicology, and nutrition and food science. The grants will extend for a period of 2 years at a funding level of $15,000US per year. Funds may not be used for overhead or to support the investigator's salary. The award recipients will be selected in late 2008, with funding to begin by early 2009.

Nominees for the Future Leader Award must meet the following criteria:

- Doctoral degree.
- Within 5 years of 1st tenure track position, or stable employment at a reputable research institute.
- Permanent resident of Canada or the United States.
- Show potential for future scientific leadership in nutrition, nutrition and toxicology, or nutrition and food science, based on the recommendations of 3 senior colleagues.

Potential candidates should:

- Request that three (3) letters of nomination be submitted to ILSI N.A. by the department head and two other senior faculty or former professors. Letters should include specific information on the nominee's leadership qualities, area of interest, and special capabilities.
- Send a one-page cover sheet to ILSI North America that includes complete contact information for the nominee and an indication from whom ILSI N.A. should expect to receive letters of nomination. A current curriculum vitae should be attached.

The deadline for receipt of all letters is Friday, June 20, 2008. It is the nominee’s responsibility to ensure that all materials arrive at ILSI North America by the deadline.

For further information contact:

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