The UCLA School of Public Health is undertaking a search for the position of Chair of the Department of Epidemiology (http://www.ph.ucla.edu/epi). We seek an energetic, innovative leader and scholar to work with faculty in shaping the future of epidemiology and public health. The Department, one of five in the School, aims to advance the knowledge of disease causation, transmission, and prevention and to provide a technical base for the optimal use of health resources to promote community health, both domestically and internationally. Currently, faculty interests include global health, infectious diseases, epidemiologic methodology, environmental and occupational epidemiology, genetic and molecular epidemiology, chronic disease and life course epidemiology, psychiatric and social epidemiology, epidemiology of cancer, and surveillance and field epidemiology.

The Department of Epidemiology houses major research centers and programs and offers both M.S. and Ph.D. degrees for students interested in teaching and/or research careers and M.P.H. and Dr.P.H. degrees to prepare students for the practice of epidemiology. Located in Los Angeles County – the largest and most diverse county in the U.S. – the UCLA School of Public Health offers unique opportunities for research with multi-ethnic populations. The School has an ideal location on the main UCLA campus in direct proximity to other health sciences schools (Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing), as well as the broader campus community. Opportunities for multidisciplinary collaboration are abundant and active, both within and outside of the health sciences.

Successful candidates should have a strong track record of extramural funding and publications and demonstrated leadership experiences in the field of epidemiology and public health. Faculty appointment level and salary will be determined based on the candidate’s experience and qualifications.

Candidates should send a letter of interest and curriculum vitae by mail or e-mail to:

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