POSITION DESCRIPTION: The Department of Medical Education, is seeking applicants for a 12 month, full-time, tenure-track position at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor for its Omaha, Nebraska campus. Individuals trained in physiology and interested in a career primarily devoted to teaching are encouraged to apply. Responsibilities of the position include the team-teaching of medical, graduate and allied health profession students. Applicants must have a Ph.D., or equivalent terminal degree (ABD candidates will be considered if PhD completed by the start of the 2018 academic year.) Experience teaching different systems of physiology is desirable.

Successful candidates will participate in lectures, small-group interactive sessions and student assessments. The Department of Medical education is a new department with in Creighton University School of Medicine serving as an academic home to those whose careers are devoted to teaching. The major focus of the Department is excellence in teaching, however, scholarship is crucial to intellectual development in an academic community and faculty are expected to maintain scholarly activity which promotes the advancement of medical science or the intellectual development of others. We seek candidates who demonstrate a team focus, passion for student engagement and a desire to advance the mission of the Department and School of Medicine. Salary and academic rank will be commensurate with education and experience. Review of applicants will begin immediately with a desirable hire date by July 2018.

CREIGHTON CAMPUS: Creighton University is a private Jesuit institution located on 139 acres near downtown Omaha. Creighton’s beautiful Omaha campus houses 9 undergraduate, graduate and professional schools and colleges. Students of Creighton University are a diverse group of individuals that practice their respective professions in all 50 states. Faculty and staff are committed to pursuing excellence in education and developing students that are skilled clinicians, critical thinkers, culturally competent and compassionate practitioners committed to service.

SURROUNDING AREA: Omaha is located within rolling hills along the Missouri River and the greater Omaha area is home to over 900,000 people. The low cost of living along with a stable healthy economy make Omaha a very pleasant and affordable place to live. Omaha has strong public and private schools. The many local attractions and activities include the world-renowned Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium. Cultural venues such as Joslyn Art Museum, Rose Theater, Holland Performing Arts Center and the Bemis Center for Contemporary Art all provide high quality entertainment. Omaha is home to the College World Series and has hosted several other major sporting events including the U.S. Olympic Swim trials, NCAA Division I Wrestling Championships, Women’s Volleyball Championship, Men’s Basketball Tournament games, and the FEI World Cup. Travel around the metropolitan area is convenient which makes participating in activities downtown or in the extensive park and trail system very accessible.

A Curriculum Vitae and letter of application that includes a description of administrative and teaching experiences, current and future research activities, and the names and contact information of three references may be submitted by mail to:

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