PROFESSOR OF FOOD BIOCHEMISTRY
(Tenure track position)

Region: Quebec City

Institution: Université Laval

Discipline: Food sciences and technology, in an agriculture and food sciences faculty (food science department)

Competition open until: April 30th, 2017

Position starting date: September 1st, 2017

Located in a high-quality and culturally vibrant milieu in the heart of one of North America’s safest cities, Université Laval is a major university with a complete academic repertoire and is well recognized for its devotion to excellence in teaching and scientific research.

The food sciences department is currently seeking to recruit a professor specialized in food biochemistry.

DESCRIPTION OF THE TASKS

1. Developing your own research program in the field of the food biochemistry.
2. Teaching undergraduate and graduate students in the food sciences.
3. Supervising graduate student research in the food sciences.
4. Participating in academic and administrative assemblies of faculty members at the departmental and faculty levels.

SPECIFIC SELECTION CRITERIA

1. Academic background:
   - Bachelor’s degree (or equivalent) in food sciences or a related field
   - Ph.D. in food sciences or a related field
2. Post-doctoral experience relating to food biochemistry or applicable equivalent in the field.
3. General expertise in food biochemistry, with emphasis on the impact of foods on health.
4. Extensive knowledge and expertise in the field of experimental methodologies relating to the physiology of digestion.
5. Must demonstrate the ability to propose an original research program.
6. Demonstrated aptitude for teamwork.

7. Recent success and consistent track record in receiving grants and hence the ability to bring to the food science department significant provincial and federal funding for research and teaching.

8. Experience in teaching at the university level is preferred.

9. Must be able to communicate and to teach in French. Université Laval provides support to allow new professors to acquire the ability to function in French.

Hiring conditions and salary

Faculty member salaries are determined according to the collective bargaining agreement with the employer. In compliance with Canadian immigration requirements, Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada will be given first consideration. Université Laval is an equal opportunity employer.

Candidacy

Candidates may apply by sending their résumé plus a document no longer than five pages in length explaining their motivation to hold this position and describing in detail their short-term and long-term research program and goals. The application must be received by e-mail in the form of a single PDF document no later than April 30, 2017. Letters of recommendation from three references must also be received directly by e-mail no later than this date. The complete application must be sent to the attention of:

Professor Muriel Subirade, directrice, Département des sciences des aliments, at the following addresses: aln@fsaa.ulaval.ca and muriel.subirade@fsaa.ulaval.ca

Valuing diversity, Université Laval encourages all qualified individuals to apply, particularly women, visible and ethnic minorities, aboriginal persons and persons with disabilities. However, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and Canadian permanent residents.