

## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

**Positions: Professor and Associate Professor of Health Policy and Economics at the China Center for Health Development Studies (CCHDS), Peking University, Beijing, China**

The China Center for Health Development Studies (CCHDS) at Peking University seeks to hire several full professors and associate professors of health policy and economics. Peking University established the CCHDS in April 2010, with the mission to advance health development and health care system performance in China and globally, through academic excellence in research, education and training in health policy and systems studies. To achieve its mission, CCHDS is building a world class multidisciplinary group of faculty, fellows, and students. The CCHDS is directed by a Governing Board consisting of distinguished international and domestic professionals. More information on the mission, goals, research priorities and organization of the CCHDS can be found on: [www.cchds.pku.edu.cn](http://www.cchds.pku.edu.cn)

#### Qualifications

##### *Full Professors:*

The successful candidate(s) are expected to play a leadership role in advancing the Centre's research priorities in health system research and in supervision of junior faculty and graduate students and in general play a collaborative role with researchers in other disciplines.

Candidates must have demonstrated leadership roles in research programs, ability to mobilize research grants and strong publication records. The candidate should hold a doctoral degree in economics or public policy/public health with a concentration in economics. Prior research experience related to health policy and health care systems in China and other low- or middle-income countries is also required.

##### *Associate Professors:*

The successful candidate(s) are expected to play a core role in advancing the Centre's research priorities in health transitions, determinants of health, and health system research.

Candidates must hold a doctoral degree in economics with an area of specialization in one or more of the following: health economics, applied microeconomics/econometrics, industrial organization, behavioral economics, development economics or evaluation science; or in public policy or public health with a concentration in economics. Candidates must have demonstrated a strong publication record and ability to work independently and with a team. Prior research experience related to health policy and health care systems in China and other low- or middle-income countries is highly desirable. Excellent written and spoken English skills are required.

#### Salary and Benefits

*Full Professorship:* university permanent academic position, RMB 300K-400K for basic annual salary and position reimbursement; and RMB 300K-500K support for research upon appointment.

*Associate Professorship:* university permanent academic position, RMB 200K-300K for basic annual salary and position reimbursement; and RMB 100K-200K support for research upon appointment.

#### Application materials and contact

Interested applicants should send a letter of application, including a CV, sample publications, a statement of current and future research interests, and the names of three referees by post or email to the following contact:

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Short-listed candidates will be interviewed at the American Economic Association Annual Meeting in Denver, CO, January 6-9, 2011. For those who cannot attend the AEA meeting, interviews will be arranged in alternative ways. A panel consisting of faculty and governing board members of the CCHSD will be attending the AEA meeting and welcome the opportunity to have informal discussions with interested candidates as well.

Positions will remain open until filled.

Candidates interested in the positions can send inquiries to Professor Qingyue Meng ([qmeng@bjmu.edu.cn](mailto:qmeng@bjmu.edu.cn)), Executive Director of CCHSD, Dr. Winnie Yip ([Winnie.yip@dphpc.ox.ac.uk](mailto:Winnie.yip@dphpc.ox.ac.uk)), Reader in Health Policy and Economics at Oxford University and Professor of Health Policy and Economics (Part-time) at CCHSD.