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Job Description

Research Associate - TrAIL (Translational Addiction Imaging Lab) - 25654

Research Faculty

Description

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Job Description for FACULTY AND PRA ONLY

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Research Associate

University of Colorado School of Medicine – Department of Psychiatry

Job Code: [1306]

The University of Colorado has a requirement for COVID-19 vaccinations by start date. Information regarding this requirement, and exemptions can be found at:

Anschutz: https://www.ucdenver.edu/docs/librariesprovider284/default-document-library/3000-general-admission/3012---covid-19-vaccination-requirement-and-compliance.pdf?sfvrsn=4e9df3ba_2

Denver: <https://www.ucdenver.edu/coronavirus>

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Campus/Unit-Specific Exemptions:

- Anschutz Campus – Exemptions are allowed for medical or religious reasons.
- Denver Campus - Exemptions are allowed for medical, religious, or personal reasons.
- Consolidated/Central Services Administration – Will follow Anschutz policy on exemptions.

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Working Title:

TrAIL (Translational Addiction Imaging Lab) Research Associate

Nature of Work

A Research Associate position is available in the Translational Addiction Imaging Laboratory (<https://medschool.cuanschutz.edu/psychiatry/research/faculty-labs/trail-lab> PI: Joseph P. Schacht, Ph.D.) in the Division of Addiction Science, Prevention and Treatment of the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Colorado School of Medicine in Aurora, CO. The successful candidate will have the opportunity to contribute to research on Alcohol Use Disorder (AUD) and pharmacological treatment for it. Responsibilities will include analyzing and publishing extant data from recently completed AUD research studies and participating as a study team member on three ongoing NIH-funded AUD medication trials. The successful candidate will also be expected to develop and submit an individual-level NIH proposal (i.e., F32 or K99). Dr. Schacht will provide mentorship in the areas of clinical research, neuroimaging, genetics, and AUD medications development. There is also an opportunity for candidates with a degree in clinical psychology to obtain supervised clinical hours for licensure. The position is for one year, with a second year contingent upon funding and mutual satisfaction of all parties.

Professional Field

Clinical Research

Examples of Work Performed

The duties and responsibilities of the position include, but are not limited to:

- Analyze existing neuroimaging and genetic data
- Publish papers in peer-reviewed journals based on the results of these analyses
- Submit an individual NIH grant proposal (F32 or K award) to support a

- new study
- Originate a new neurobiological study of Alcohol Use Disorder

Supervision Received

The Research Associate reports to the Translational Addiction Imaging Laboratory Director, Dr. Joseph P. Schacht.

Supervision Exercised

The Research Associate will not supervise other employees.

Position will provide mentorship to graduate students and research assistants in the laboratory.

Salary Offered or Salary Range

The salary range (*or hiring range*) for this position has been established at \$54,000-\$62,000 for a 1.0 FTE position.

The salary of the finalist(s) selected for this role will be set based on a variety of factors, including but not limited to, internal equity, experience, education, specialty and training.

The above salary range (*or hiring range*) represents the University's good faith and reasonable estimate of the range of possible compensation at the time of posting.

The University of Colorado offers a full benefits package. Information on University benefits programs, including eligibility, is located at [Employee Services](#).

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The Immigration Reform and Control Act requires that verification of employment eligibility be documented for all new employees by the end of the third day of work. Alternative formats of this ad are available upon request for persons with disabilities.

Your total compensation goes beyond the number on your paycheck. The University of Colorado provides generous leave, health plans and retirement contributions that add to your bottom line.

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Total Compensation Calculator: <https://www.cu.edu/employee-services/total-compensation>

Diversity and Equity:

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Office of Equity: <https://www1.ucdenver.edu/offices/equity>

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Qualifications

Minimum Qualifications

Applicants must meet minimum qualifications at the time of hire.

- Education: Ph.D. in Psychology, Neuroscience, or a related degree.

Preferred Qualifications

- Training in neuroimaging analysis packages (e.g., FSL, SPM, AFNI).
- Training in statistical analysis.
- Experience in AUD clinical research.

Application Materials Required: Cover Letter, Resume/CV, List of References

Application Materials Instructions:

Applications are accepted electronically at [CU Careers](#), refer to requisition ID: 25654

When applying, applicants must include:

1. A letter of application which specifically addresses the job requirements and outlines qualifications
2. A current Resume/CV
3. The names, addresses, daytime telephone numbers and e-mail addresses for three professional references, either attached to your resume/CV or uploaded as a separate document

Please be advised that the University does check references as part of the employment process.

Please do not submit any of your application material (via email) to the job posting contact.

Job Category Faculty

Primary Location Aurora

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