

## Academic Neuropathologist

Hamilton Regional Laboratory Medicine Program and McMaster University  
Hamilton, Ontario

Applications are invited for the position of full-time Neuropathologist in the Hamilton Regional Laboratory Medicine Program (HRLMP), with an academic appointment at an appropriate rank in the Department of Pathology and Molecular Medicine at McMaster University.

This position is the result of an upcoming retirement in mid-2017 and is an excellent opportunity for an experienced academic neuropathologist or new graduate completing a neuropathology residency training program. With a total of 2 FTEs, the Neuropathology Division provides service to a large multi-site integrated adult and pediatric robust neurosurgery group, a large academic neurology program, and participates in the adult Neuro Oncology activities of the regional Juravinski Cancer Centre. The McMaster Children's Hospital has a highly academic pediatric neurosurgery practice, currently with 3 pediatric neurosurgeons, likely to be expanding to 4. The successful candidate will participate in both adult and pediatric neuropathology, autopsy brain examination, regional and forensic brain referrals and consultations, and a large neuromuscular biopsy service. 200-250 muscle biopsies are processed per year making HRLMP one of the largest centers in North America.

Neuropathologists are part of the Regional Anatomic Pathology Program, with 34 pathologists in all subspecialties and state-of-the-art immunohistochemistry, electron microscopy, genetics and molecular laboratories. Faculty Members of the Department of Pathology and Molecular Medicine have opportunities to collaborate with a strong regional neuroscience program at the McMaster Medical Centre site with basic neuroscience research, including one of the best stem cell research centers in Canada. They are also involved in the undergraduate MD curriculum and teach in post-graduate residency training programs in anatomical & general pathology, neurosurgery, adult and pediatric neurology. Applicants must be certified in Neuropathology by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada or equivalent and must be eligible for registration with the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario.

Hamilton has a population of 771,000 and is home to a number of family friendly communities nestled against a picturesque Niagara Escarpment onto the western edge of Lake Ontario. A relaxed, culturally diverse atmosphere with excellent schools makes Hamilton an attractive place for families. The pleasures of wine country can be enjoyed in nearby Niagara, and more cosmopolitan opportunities - be it theatre, fine dining or professional sports - abound in Toronto, both only 45 minutes away.

Interested candidates are invited to submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, and the names and addresses of three referees to the address below. Applications will be accepted until this position is filled.

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*Hamilton Regional Laboratory Medicine Program and McMaster University are committed to employment equity and welcome applications from all qualified persons; however, Canadian/permanent residents will be given priority.*