Tenure track assistant professor in Pathology

The Department of Pathology at Stanford University School of Medicine seeks an outstanding investigator for a tenure-track appointment as Assistant Professor in the University Tenure Line Professoriate. The predominant criterion for appointment in the University Tenure Line is a major commitment to research and teaching. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a high quality, independent research program in an area broadly related to molecular and cellular mechanisms of disease. The Department of Pathology supports high quality basic science research programs and investigators maintain strong associations with other departments on campus. Areas of investigation range broadly and include genomics, proteomics, cell and developmental biology, biochemistry, cancer biology, cell signaling, microbiology and immunology and studies of human disease in animal models.

Applicants must have a Ph.D., M.D., or M.D./Ph.D. degree. Applicants who are board-certified or board-eligible in Clinical Pathology or Anatomic Pathology/Clinical Pathology, are encouraged to apply. The successful candidate will spend the great majority of his or her time on research; candidates qualified to have clinical responsibilities in a suitable area of pathology can arrange to have such responsibilities for a minority of her or his time.

Scholarship and teaching (and in some cases, clinical care activities) are the critical components of faculty appointments in the University Tenure Line (UTL). Individuals appointed as Assistant Professors in the UTL will have completed housestaff training (where applicable) and, additionally, at least one year of postdoctoral research experience. Their accomplishments during graduate and postgraduate training should already have marked them as creative and promising investigators. The successful candidate must have demonstrated true distinction (or the promise of achieving true distinction) in research, and the capability or promise of sustaining first-rate performance in teaching, and excellence in patient care (if applicable) appropriate to the programmatic need upon which the appointment is based.

Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, as well as a brief description of research accomplishments and plans for future research. These, with the names of three references, should be sent by March 31, 2012 to:

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