

Title:

Director, Computational Integrated Diagnostics Program

Description:

The Department of Radiological Sciences in the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA has a full-time opening for a tenured professor. The incumbent is expected to lead a Computational Integrated Diagnostics program that pursues the development of novel machine learning methods that integrate radiology, pathology, and –omic data into multi-scale models. The program will also have clinical and service goals, including the oversight and development of novel integrated clinical reports, and serving as a resource for other department faculty to engage in machine learning. The successful applicant will also be involved in teaching, and will be expected to perform University service.

Candidates must have: 1) expertise and tangible experience in machine learning in the area of radiologic and pathologic image analysis; 2) a track record of peer-reviewed publications and extramural grant funding (e.g., NIH) in the application of machine learning in radiology and/or pathology; 3) a history of teaching, including teaching courses and mentoring students and postdocs; and 4) experience in developing clinically functional reporting systems that can integrate clinical and research diagnostic information from radiology and pathology for use in clinical practice. The candidate must possess a PhD in the area of Biomedical Informatics, Electrical Engineering, Computer/Information Science, or related field. Candidates should currently hold a position of Assistant or Associate Professor, with a minimum of eight years of service. Especially desirable candidates will have experience in whole slide pathology imaging protocols, clinical IT, software development, and a history of collaboration with physician specialists across multiple disciplines in the field of Biomedical Informatics. There is emphasis on the development of radiology-pathology image analysis and multi-scale modelling in cancer with particular interest in prostate cancer.

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Required Qualifications:

- 1) Possess a PhD in the area of Biomedical Informatics, Electrical Engineering, Computer/Information Science, or related field.
- 2) Currently hold a position in an academic senate title with a minimum of eight years of service at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor.

Preferred Qualifications:

- 1) Expertise and tangible experience in machine learning in the area of radiologic and pathologic image analysis.

- 2) A track record of peer-reviewed publications and extramural grant funding (e.g., NIH) in the application of machine learning in radiology and/or pathology.
- 3) A history of student/postdoc mentorship demonstrated through peer-reviewed publications.
- 4) A history of developing and teaching courses in Biomedical Informatics for physicians and graduate students.
- 5) Experience in developing clinically functional reporting systems that can integrate clinical and research diagnostic information from radiology and pathology for use in clinical practice.
- 6) Expert knowledge of clinical IT and interfaces for exchanging clinical information in EHRs.
- 7) Experience in developing whole slide imaging protocols for pathology images.
- 8) Experience in leading a software development team in building clinical applications.
- 9) The interpersonal skills for collaborating in Biomedical Informatics with physician specialists across multiple disciplines.
- 10) Expertise in radiology-pathology image analysis and multi-scale modelling in cancer, particularly prostate cancer.