



Year 4 Preparation for Medical Practice (PMP) and Transition into Professional Practice (TIPP)
Lead, Southern Medical Program (SMP)

The University of British Columbia, Southern Medical Program (SMP) invites applications for the position of Year 4 Preparation for Medical Practice (PMP) and Transition into Professional Practice (TIPP) Lead. This is a 2 year term appointment, renewable, subject to a satisfactory performance review at the end of the first year. The time commitment is 0.2 FTE, equivalent to 1 day per week. The position is based at the Kelowna General Hospital (KGH) Clinical Academic Campus.

The Southern Medical Program (SMP) is a distributed undergraduate medical education program within the University of British Columbia's Faculty of Medicine. During Year 4 of undergraduate medical education, the PMP (final delivery in 2018) and the new TIPP (to be implemented in 2019) courses facilitate students' effective transition from medical school into residency and medical practice. Students will review concepts they've encountered over the course of their entire medical school experience and apply them to complex clinical presentations that integrate foundational sciences and practice themes. An additional priority of these courses is to provide students with the practical skills to help them excel in their future residency. The TIPP lead will be active in course development with the other distributed sites over the upcoming year.

The incumbent will be a practicing MD with a commitment to the development of medical education in the Interior. The incumbent must have sufficient protected time during the working week to fulfill the requirements of this role, there is flexibility regarding meeting times and work completion hours. Applicants must currently hold or be eligible to hold a UBC clinical faculty appointment. The ideal candidate should have knowledge of the MD Undergraduate Program. He/she will demonstrate excellent organizational and interpersonal skills, as well as proven administrative ability combined with outstanding communication skills. Recruitment of faculty teachers for small group teaching is a key responsibility of this position. A presence at KGH and a working relationship with its clinicians and those in the Kelowna BCCA Cancer Agency, Sindi Ahluwalia Hawkins Centre for the Southern Interior is an asset.

The Year 4 PMP and TIPP Lead, SMP, reports to the Regional Associate Dean, Interior and works closely with the Year 4 Leads at the Island Medical Program, Northern Medical Program and Vancouver-Fraser Medical Program to ensure the goals and objectives of this course are met.

The expected start date is October 1st, 2017.

Prior to application for this position candidates are required to review a detailed job description. For this job description, email Heather Payne at smp.rad@ubc.ca.

To apply for the position of Year 4 PMP and TIPP Lead, SMP, a letter of interest is required and a curriculum vitae or teaching / leadership dossier, including personal educational experiences in the SMP to date, is encouraged. Applications should be directed to:

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Closing date: by noon September 1st, 2017.

Interview date for short-listed candidates: morning of September 18th

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UBC hires on the basis of merit and is committed to employment equity. All qualified persons are encouraged to apply. UBC is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity, and others who may contribute to the further diversification of ideas. However, Canadian and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority.