



**DECANATO DE MEDICINA**  
**DEPARTAMENTO DE MICROBIOLOGIA**

**JOB OFFER**

**Assistant Professor of Microbiology, tenure-track**

TITLE: Assistant Professor of Microbiology

TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: Probationary

PLACE OF WORK: Department of Microbiology and Medical Zoology

SALARY: According to Pay Scale

ISSUE DATE: September 14, 2022

WHO QUALIFIES: All candidates who meet the requirements of the position

The Department of Microbiology of the School of Medicine of the University of Puerto Rico, Medical Sciences Campus, announces the search for candidates for a probationary full-time, tenure-track teaching appointment at the assistant professor level in Microbiology. The applicant is expected to be competent in both teaching and research in the diverse areas of Microbiology. Ideal candidates will have postdoctoral experience and accomplishments that support their potential to establish a vigorous and impactful research program. The appointee is expected to establish externally funded research to expand offerings in the graduate program and maintain a growing publication track record.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:**

- Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) with specialty in Microbiology
- Teaching experience at the university level
- Demonstrate skills in teaching
- Research experience with publications in high impact journals in Microbiology
- A minimum of 3 years of postdoctoral experience from an accredited institution in Microbiology.
- Show potential for the development of a funded research program
- University-level experience in the use of distance learning technologies and platforms
- Demonstrate good written and oral communication in Spanish and English

**RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- The candidate will be responsible for teaching graduate and professional courses in the areas of Bacteriology, Immunology, Parasitology, Mycology, and Virology.
- The candidate will offer Microbiology courses to students of Medicine, Dental Medicine, Pharmacy, EPS and graduate students.

- The candidate must stimulate critical thinking in students using assessment techniques and various teaching modalities.
- The candidate must develop an externally funded research program in novel areas of interest.
- The candidate must develop intra and interdepartmental collaborations, and with other institutions in and outside of Puerto Rico.
- The candidate must participate actively in committees and in departmental and university life, as well as fulfill the duties and responsibilities of the teaching staff as outlined in the General Regulations of the University of Puerto Rico.

### **REQUESTED INFORMATION**

Send the following documents by email to **comitedepersonaldepartamento@upr.edu**:

- ☐ Curriculum Vitae
- ☐ Credit Transcripts of PhD degree
- ☐ Evidence of research, publications, and creative work; including publications in pdf
- ☐ Three letters of recommendation
- ☐ Evidence of external funding
- ☐ A document describing teaching experience and educational philosophy (2 pages)
- ☐ A document describing research plans with graduate and undergraduate students (2 pages)

The candidate must be available to offer a demonstration lecture and a research seminar on his/her projects.

### **Deadline for submitting documents via email**

Interested candidates will have until **November 15, 2022** to submit the required documents to [comitedepersonaldepartamento@upr.edu](mailto:comitedepersonaldepartamento@upr.edu)

### **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

For more information, you can contact the Department Chair, Dr. Filipa Godoy-Vitorino, [filipa.godoy@upr.edu](mailto:filipa.godoy@upr.edu) (787) 758-2525 ext 2096

### **Note:**

1. The University of Puerto Rico Medical Sciences Campus does not commit to fill the advertised position. The granting of appointment will be subject to the relevant Departmental criteria and priorities, of academic and research nature, according to the applicable regulations and standards.
2. The General Regulations of the UPR (JG 160, 2014-2015 as amended), establish the regulations that govern the process of recruiting personnel in all categories. Each department will be able to add more specific criteria, in tune with its particularities, and will make them public before the interview with the candidate. In addition, faithful compliance with the policies established in this document will be ensured.

Authorized by:



Department Chair: Filipa Godoy Vitorino, Ph.D



Dean: Dr. Humberto Guiot

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