



Job title: Professor of Exercise Physiology f/m
Subtitle : *An inspiring leader in physiology of human movement*

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VU University Amsterdam is one of the leading institutions for higher education in Europe and aims to be inspiring, innovative, and committed to societal welfare. It comprises eleven faculties and has teaching facilities for 25.000 students.

The Faculty of Human Movement Sciences (FHMS) of VU University Amsterdam (www.fbw.vu.nl) offers a Bachelor of Science and two Master of Science programmes and performs research within the multi-disciplinary field of human movement science. The faculty's research programme is organized in 5 research programmes, which are embedded in the programme of MOVE Research Institute Amsterdam (www.move.vu.nl). Excellence in research and education are the core values of FHMS.

In view of the upcoming retirement of the present chair holder, FHMS is searching for an outstanding exercise physiologist to lead the research programme Systems Physiology.

Your responsibilities

- You will lead a research group in exercise physiology, supervise PhD students and post-docs and collaborate with colleagues within and outside of MOVE.
- Your research pertains to one of the following specialty areas in exercise physiology: muscle physiology, cardio-respiratory physiology, cardio-vascular physiology, or cellular and molecular physiology and contributes to insight into the organization of human movement and the effects of activity and disease thereupon. Translational research in relation to sports and health care is a priority.
- You will be responsible for the physiological content within our educational programmes.
- You will actively participate in these programmes by teaching one or more courses.
- You will contribute to management of the FHMS as a member of one or more committees, or the board of the faculty.

Your qualities

- You are an internationally recognized expert in the physiology of exercise.
- You are able to develop a vision and strategy regarding the development of research and education in exercise physiology in relation to other disciplines contributing to the study of human movement.
- You are an inspiring teacher with experience in providing courses and supervising students.
- You are an inspiring leader of co-workers with different disciplinary backgrounds and capable of effective collaboration.
- You have an excellent track-record of procuring research funds.
- You have good management skills and have management experience in the academic context.

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Salary

The salary will be in accordance with university regulations for academic personnel, and depending on experience.

Information

More information on the offered position can be obtained from the chair of the search committee prof.dr. J.H. van Dieën, tel. +31 20 598 8501 or by e-mail: j.van.dieen@vu.nl

Application

Applicants are requested to send a motivation letter in which they describe their abilities and motivation, accompanied by their curriculum vitae, copies of relevant research papers and 3 letters of recommendation. This should be sent before 1 May 2015 to:

VU University Amsterdam
Faculty of Human Movement Sciences
Email: vacature@fbw.vu.nl

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