

ADVERTISEMENT – UMFA – TIER 2 CRC CHAIR

The Faculty of Science is seeking submissions for an NSERC Tier 2 Canada Research Chair. The Government of Canada has established this program to enable Canadian universities to foster world-class research excellence. The University has made available three (3) Chairs: one NSERC Tier 1; two NSERC Tier 2; and one SSHRC Tier 2 Chair in the area of Indian Residential Schools.

As a result, the Faculty of Science is seeking an innovative leader and established scholar in the area of Ubiquitous Analytics. The position represents an exciting opportunity for individuals who are emerging scholars with demonstrated potential of becoming recognized internationally as leaders in their field and who are currently in the rank commensurate with CRC guidelines. This position is directed toward faculty members who currently hold a tenured or tenure-track appointment within the University of Manitoba. Women are particularly encouraged to apply.

Applicants should have an earned doctoral degree in Computer Science and hold an academic position at the rank of Associate Professor or Professor, and must have an outstanding publication and funding record that demonstrates a successful and active research program directly related to Ubiquitous Analytics, commensurate with the requirements for a Tier 2 Canada Research Chair. The applicant must have strength in the areas of Mobile and Ubiquitous User Interfaces, Information Visualization, and Collaborative Visual Analytics.

The University of Manitoba encourages applications from qualified women and men, including members of visible minorities, Aboriginal peoples, and persons with disabilities. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply, however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

Review of applications will begin on **May 14, 2012**. Please note that submissions are reviewed and rank ordered by the Faculty. Those selected by the Faculty will be forwarded for review and approval by the Vice-Presidents (Research and International) and (Academic) and Provost. Successful applicants will be notified in June, 2012 and are expected to prepare a full chair nomination package by October 2012. All Chairs are subject to review and final approval by the CRC Secretariat.

Applications, including a brief description of a 5 – 7 year research plan, curriculum vitae, and the names of three referees, should be sent to:

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