

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND PUBLIC HEALTH

## ASSISTANT OR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF POPULATION HEALTH SCIENCES

## SOCIAL GENOMICS CLUSTER HIRING INITIATIVE

## UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

The Department of Population Health Sciences in the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health invites applications for a faculty position in the area of genetic/genomic epidemiology with a focus on social genomics. This position is the final of three hires in Social Genomics as part of the UW-Madison's interdisciplinary <u>Cluster Hiring Initiative</u>. Faculty in the Social Genomics cluster, along with additional UW-Madison researchers, form the <u>Initiative in Social Genomics</u>, one of the largest and most innovative groups of researchers pursuing topics in social genomics in the world.

**Research responsibilities:** Develop and maintain a vigorous, cutting-edge, highly visible, and interdisciplinary research program that specializes in integrating genomic epidemiologic methods within the social, behavioral, and/or health sciences. Research programs may include (but are not limited to) innovative uses of polygenic scores and gene-environment/behavioral interactions involved in health and disease.

**Teaching responsibilities:** teach one Population Health Sciences course per academic year.

Education requirements: PhD or other doctoral level degree in Epidemiology or a related discipline.

**Required qualifications:** Candidates must combine genetic/genomic epidemiology and social/behavioral health in their research. Relevant areas of methodologic expertise include, but are not limited to, polygenic scores and gene-environment/behavioral interactions involved in health and disease.

**How to apply:** Please apply <u>here</u>. Apply by April 6, 2023, to ensure full consideration. However, applications may be considered after this date until the position is filled.

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