Winship 5K Endowed Professorship in Cancer Research

The Winship Cancer Institute of Emory University (Winship) invites nominations and applications for the 1st Annual Winship 5K Endowed Professorship in Cancer Research. For over 80 years, Winship has worked to prevent and cure cancer with a culture that integrates discovery, innovation, and caring. Winship’s mission is to lessen the burden of cancer for the citizens of Georgia through aligning outstanding cancer research and education with significant cancer prevention and cancer care efforts.

The Winship 5K Endowed Professorship provides special recognition to a faculty member for continuing exemplary service to the field of cancer research as recognized both at the institutional and national level.

The successful candidate will meet the following criteria:

- Position of Associate Professor or above;
- Faculty with a national prominence in cancer research;
- Current recipient of external peer-reviewed research support;
- Outstanding cancer research publication record;
- Demonstrated leadership and contributions to Winship’s mission;
- Proven track record of mentorship excellence

Expectations of the Winship 5K Endowed Professorship:

1. The holder of the Winship 5K Professorship will maintain exceptional levels of productivity appropriate to his/her rank and/or title.
2. The Winship 5K Professor will provide to the Winship Executive Committee annually a brief report summarizing major activities and accomplishments in the previous year.
3. Other expectations may apply in accordance with the University "Guidelines for the Appointment of Endowed Chairs, Professorships, and Faculty Fellowships."

Candidates will be considered through nomination:

1. Nominations may be submitted by Winship member faculty or through self-nomination.
2. The individual(s) who nominate(s) a candidate will submit a letter of nomination that articulates a justification for the appointment, a copy of the nominee's curriculum vitae, one letter of recommendation, a letter of support from the nominee’s department chair, any supporting evidence that demonstrates the nature of the nominee's distinguished work and future research, and a publication sample.
3. The Winship Executive Committee will establish an external ad hoc review committee to review the nominations.

Required Documents

1. Letter of Nomination/Cover Letter
2. CV
3. Letter of Recommendation
4. Letter of Support from Department Chair
5. Document Highlighting Research Accomplishments and Future Direction of Research Program (5 page maximum)
6. Publication Sample
Nomination packages should be submitted in a single PDF to winshipgrants@emory.edu no later than Friday, July 13, 2018. Please direct any questions you have regarding this nomination process to Jeff Mills at (404-727-3634 or jeff.mills@emory.edu).