



**CHAIR, Division of Oral Biology,  
The Ohio State University College of Dentistry**

The Ohio State University College of Dentistry invites applications and nominations for the position of Chair, Division of Oral Biology. The Division is actively engaged in pre-doctoral/dental and graduate education, research and service. Oral Biology faculty members direct all of the requisite dental school basic science courses with the exception of anatomy. Section research includes oral neurosensory sciences, physiology of mastication, stress effects on immune modulation, bone response to stress and inflammation, and molecular characterization of microbes associated with early childhood caries and periodontal disease. Other areas of ongoing College research include directed bone augmentation and preservation, inflammatory mediators in periodontal disease, and early detection of premalignant lesions and chemoprevention of oral cancer. Oral Biology division faculty members participate in a wide variety of college, University, and national service, including graduate studies committees (both masters and Ph.D.), University Graduate Studies, and as reviewers for a variety of scientific publications and NIH study sections.

The Division of Oral Biology aspires to advance its educational and research profile by recruiting a Chair with teaching expertise and a strong and sustained research program capable of integrating with ongoing educational and research efforts in the college. The successful candidate should have the vision, leadership skills, insights and enthusiasm to achieve growth of the college's research programs, not only by addition of their own research but also by developing collaborative programs. Essential strengths include excellent communication skills, a history of administrative experience and attributes that promote team building and collegiality.

Qualifications include a Ph.D., D.D.S./Ph.D. or M.D./Ph.D., or equivalent degree, with an excellent understanding of modern science and research. Candidates must be eligible for a tenured appointment at the rank of Associate or Full Professor. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.

The College of Dentistry offers highly competitive compensation packages, with academic rank and salary commensurate with qualifications and experience. Opportunities for intramural practice are available. This position will entail a generous start-up package including customized lab space, technical personnel support, and a discretionary allocation of support for additional research needs.

Electronic applications only will be accepted for this position. Please send curriculum vitae, letter of interest, and names and addresses of three references to Dr. Susan

Mallery at mallery.1@osu.edu. Questions may be directed to Ms. Emily Lyles, Office of the Dean, The Ohio State University College of Dentistry, 305 W 12th Avenue, Columbus Ohio 43210-1267 or lyles.40@osu.edu. The Ohio State University is an equal opportunity educator and employer.