

Post Date: 11/10/11
End Date: Until Filled

Full-time Faculty Position for the Master of Science in Nutrition and Integrative Health Programs
Start Date: May 2012

Founded in 1974, Tai Sophia Institute is a leading center for wellness-based education, client care, and public policy discourse. Accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, the Institute offers master's degree programs in Acupuncture, Nutrition and Integrative Health, Herbal Medicine, and Transformative Leadership and Social Change; graduate certificates in Chinese Herbs, Health Coaching, Herbal Studies, Medical Herbalism, Transformative Leadership, and Wellness Coaching; as well as community workshops and continuing professional education programs. Moving toward university status, Tai Sophia Institute is developing several new academic programs.

The Master of Science in Nutrition and Integrative Health, launched in September of 2011, is seeking a full-time faculty member. This program is unique, viewing nutrition from a holistic perspective and reflecting the wellness philosophy of Tai Sophia. It is expected to be a foundational program at Tai Sophia and its success will lead to additional programming at the undergraduate and doctoral levels in this area.

Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Teach 24-credits a year in core nutrition courses (macronutrients, micronutrients, life cycle nutrition), clinical application of nutrition theory (practitioner skills and clinic), nutrition electives and other courses compatible with individual competencies
- Participate and collaborate in curriculum review and development of Nutrition Programs
- Provide service to the Institute, I.e. serving on institutional committees, participating in Open Houses, student outreach, student orientations, graduation, etc.
- Assist Program Director with prospective student file reviews and interviews
- Provide administrative support to the Program Director
- Advise students
- Advocate for the program and the Institute
- Attends seminars, workshops and professional conferences or other professional events intended to improve professional experience and scholarship
- Represent for the Institute at relevant conferences and meetings
- Network and develop partnerships with likeminded organizations

**Qualifications
REQUIRED**

- Familiar with the wellness philosophy of Tai Sophia and the unique holistic, integrative approach of the nutrition program.
- Master's degree or higher in the field of nutrition or related field
- High level of competence in one or more subject areas related to the field
- Minimum equivalent of 2 years professional full-time experience
- Minimum of 200 hours experience teaching nutrition or related field.
- Contributes to the wider knowledge in the field through publications or presentations
- Desire to engage in activities that are needed for a start up program
- Superior interpersonal and communication skills (both written and oral)

PREFERRED

- Academic administrative experience in a college/university
- Met professional licensing requirements in the field.

Interested individuals should forward a letter of interest and resume to our Office of Human Enrichment at jobs@tai.edu, referencing