

**2009****March**

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Joint Pharma. Analysis Group  
Clinical Trials Directive: Five Years On  
Mar. 5, London, UK  
jpag.org

Roy. Pharma. Soc. of Great Britain  
Traditional Herbal Medicines  
Mar. 6, London, UK  
rpsgb.org

Amer. Soc. for Neurochem.  
40th Ann. Mtg.  
Mar. 7-11, Charleston, SC  
asneurochem.org

DIA  
24th Ann. Data Conf. & Exhibit.  
Mar. 9-11, Philadelphia, PA  
diahome.org

Assn. Pharmacie Galénique Industrielle  
Skin & Formulation, 3rd Symp.  
Mar. 9-10, Versailles, France  
apgi.org/skin.htm

GTCBio  
5th Stem Cell Res. & Therapeut.  
Mar. 9-10, Boston, MA  
gtcbio.com

Roy. Pharma. Soc. of Great Britain  
Travel Medicine  
Mar. 12, London, UK  
rpsgb.org/events

Soc. of Toxicology  
48th Ann. Mtg.  
Mar. 15-19, Baltimore, MD  
toxicology.org

NAVBO  
Vascular Matrix Biology &  
Bioengineering Workshop  
Mar. 16-19, Whistler, BC, Canada  
navbo.org/VMBB2009

AIMS  
2009 Conf.  
Mar. 17-18, Washington, DC  
medsim.org

DIA  
21st Ann. EuroMtg.  
Mar. 23-25, Berlin, Germany  
diahome.org

5th Intl. Symp. on CD1 and NKT Cells  
Mar. 23-27, Kamakura, Japan  
Email: kaki@rcai.riken.kp

AAPS  
Wrkshp. on Drug Transporters in ADME  
Mar. 30 – Apr. 1, Baltimore, MD  
aapspharmaceutica.com

**April**

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ASPET  
G-Protein Targets  
Apr. 17-18, New Orleans, LA  
aspet.org/public/meetings/G-Protein\_09.  
htm

APS, ASBMB, ASPET, ASIP, ASN, AAA  
Experimental Biology '09  
Apr. 18-22, New Orleans, LA  
faseb.org/meetings

AACR  
100th Ann. Mtg.  
Apr. 18-22, Denver, CO  
aacr.org

Nat. Dirs. of Graduate  
Studies in Pharmacology  
2009 Mtg.  
Apr. 22-24, New Orleans, LA  
aspet.org/NDOGS/index.html

4th Neurotoxicity Soc. Mtg.  
Apr. 24-26, Arica, Chile  
neurotoxicitysociety.org

ACCP/ESCP  
Intl. Cong. on Clinical Pharmacy &  
Pharmacotherapy Prep. Course  
Apr. 24-28, Orlando, FL  
accp.com

Collegium Intl. Neuro-  
Psychopharmacologicum (CINP)  
Major Psychoses & Substance Abuse  
Apr. 25-27, Edinburgh, UK  
cinp.org

Roy. Pharma. Soc. of Great Britain  
Development of Veterinary Meds.  
Apr. 27, London, UK  
rpsgb.org

AAPS  
Wrkshp. on Utilization of  
Process Modeling  
Apr. 27-28, Baltimore, MD  
aapspharmaceutica.com

Croatian Soc. for Neuroscience  
Neurogenomics & Neuroimaging of  
Developmental Disorders  
April 30 – May 5, Dubrovnik, Croatia  
depol.org

**May**

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AAPS  
Wrkshp. on Translational Biomarkers  
for Accelerating Drug Development  
May 6-7, Baltimore, MD  
aapspharmaceutica.com

Amer. Assn. of Immunologists  
96th Ann. Mtg.  
May 8-12, Seattle, WA  
faseb.org/meetings

AAPS  
Physical Pharmacy & Biopharmaceut.  
Section Wrkshp.  
May 13-14, Baltimore, MD  
aapspharmaceutica.com

Roy. Pharma. Soc. of Great Britain  
Advanced Level Workshop on  
Pharmacokinetic-Pharmacodynamic  
Data Analysis  
May 17-21, Cambridge, UK  
rpsgb.org/events

Inst. for Scientific Exchange  
12th Intl. Conf. on Drug-Drug Interaction  
May 24-27, Seattle, WA  
iscience.com/events.htm

Canadian Pain Soc.  
Ann. Conf.  
May 27-30, Quebec City, PQ, Canada  
canadianpainsociety.ca

**June**

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Canadian Soc. for Pharma. Sci.  
12th Ann. Symp.  
June 3-6, Toronto, ON, Canada  
cspscanada.org

Org. for the Study of Sex Differences  
3rd Ann. Mtg.

June 4-6, Toronto, ON, Canada  
ossdweb.org

Intl. Behavioral Neuroscience Soc.  
Ann. Mtg.

June 9-14, Manzanillo, Mexico  
ibnshomepage.org

Endocrine Soc.

9th Ann. Mtg.

June 10-13, Washington, DC  
endo-society.org

Protein Soc.

VIII European Symp.

June 14-18, Zurich, Switzerland  
proteinsociety.org

European Summer Schl. for Whole  
Animal Pharmacol.

Behavioral Pharmacol. Course

June 14-19, Oss, The Netherlands  
esswap.org

4th Intl. Conf. on cGMP

June 19-21, Regensburg, Germany  
cyclicgmp.net

AAPS

2009 Natl. Biotechnol. Conf.

June 21-24, Seattle, WA  
aapspharmaceutica.com

DIA

45th Ann. Mtg.

June 21-25, San Diego, CA  
diahome.org

5th Intl. Symp. on Peptide Receptors &  
Kinin 2009 (Joint Mtg.)

June 26-30, 2009, Quebec City, Canada  
peptidereceptors.net

Intl. Soc. for Cerebral Brain  
Flow & Metabolism

24th Intl. Symp. on Cerebral Blood  
Flow, Metabolism & Function and  
9th Intl. Conf. on Quantification  
of Brain Function with PET

June 29 – July 3, Chicago, IL  
kenes.com/brain

## July

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Intl. Soc. for Stem Cell Res.  
7th Ann. Mtg.

July 8-11, Barcelona, Spain  
isscr.org

Intl. Soc. on Thrombosis & Haemostasis  
22nd Cong.

July 11-16, Boston, MA  
isth2009.com

European Assn. for Clinical Pharmacol.  
& Therapeutics  
EACPT2009

July 12-15, Edinburgh, Scotland  
eacpt2009.org

Intl. Acad. of Cardiology

15th World Cong. on Heart Disease

July 18-21, Vancouver, BC, Canada  
cardiologyonline.com

Protein Soc.

23rd Ann. Symp.

July 25-29, Boston, MA  
proteinsociety.org

36th Intl. Congr. Physiological Sci.

July 27 – Aug. 1, Kyoto, Japan  
iups2009.com

## August

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Inter-Amer. Soc. of Hypertension  
XVIII Scientific Sessions

Aug. 5-8, Belo Horizonte, MG, Brazil  
sbh.org.br/iash2009

Amer. Psychological Assn.  
117th Conv.

Aug. 6-9, Toronto, ON, Canada  
apa.org

Intl. Soc. for Pharmacoepidemiology  
25th Anniv. Intl. Conf. on  
Pharmacoepidemiology &

Therapeutic Risk Mngmnt.  
Aug. 16-19, Providence, RI  
pharmacoepi.org

Korean Soc. for Brain & Neural Sci.

22nd Biennial Mtg. of the ISN/APSN  
Aug. 23-28, Busan, Korea  
isn2009.org

## September

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Roy. Pharmaceut. Soc. of Great Britain  
British Pharmaceut. Conf. 2009

Sept. 6-9, Manchester, UK  
bpc2009.org

IUPHAR Sect. on Pharmacol.  
of Natural Products

1st World Conf. on the Pharmacol.  
of Natural & Traditional Meds.

Sept. 9-12, Hangzhou, China  
Email: zhouwx@nic.bmi.ac.cn;  
jennifer-jn@126.com

ASBMR

38th Ann. Mtg.

Sept. 11-15, Denver, CO  
asbmr.org

Amer. Col. of Clin. Pharmacol.  
38th Ann. Mtg.

Sept. 13-15, San Antonio, TX  
accpl.org

NAVBO

Workshop on Genetics & Genomics  
of Vascular Diseases

Sept. 14-17, Hyannis, MA  
navbo.org

## October

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DIA

Special Training Course on US  
Regulatory Affairs

Oct. 19, Basel, Switzerland  
diahome.org

Soc. for Neurosci.

Ann Mtg.

Oct. 24-28, Chicago, IL  
sfn.org

## November

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Ann. Biomed. Res. Conf. for  
Minority Students

Nov. 4-7, Phoenix, AZ  
abrcms.org

## December

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Paragon Conventions  
2nd Intl. Conf. on Fixed Combination  
in the Treatment of Hypertension,  
Dyslipidemia & Diabetes Mellitus  
Dec. 10-12, Valencia, Spain  
paragon-conventions.com/fixed09

18th WRN World Cong. on Parkinson's  
Disease & Related Disorders  
Dec. 13-16, Miami Beach, FL  
kenes.com/parkinson

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## February

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EDDP 2010 – Intl. Conf. on Early Disease  
Detection & Prevention  
Feb. 25-28, Munich, Germany  
paragon-conventions.com/eddp2010

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Soc. of Toxicology  
49th Ann. Mtg.  
Mar. 7-11, Salt Lake City, UT  
toxicology.org

## April

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AACR  
Annual Mtg.  
Apr. 17-21, Washington, DC  
aacr.org

APS, ASBMB, ASPET, ASN, AAA  
Experimental Biology '10  
Apr. 24-28, Anaheim, CA  
faseb.org/meetings

## May

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ARVO  
Ann. Mtg.  
May 2-6, Ft. Lauderdale, FL  
arvo.org

## June

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Collegium Intl. Neuro-  
Psychopharmacologicum (CINP)  
2010 World Congress  
June 6-10, Hong Kong, China  
cinp2010.com

NAVBO  
16th Intl. Vascular Biol. Mtg.  
June 19-23, Los Angeles, CA  
navbo.org

## July

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Intl. Union of Toxicology  
XII Intl. Cong. of Toxicology  
July 11-15, Barcelona, Spain  
iutox2010.org

## August

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Symp. of Protein Soc.  
Aug. 1-5, San Diego, CA  
proteinsociety.org

Japanese Soc. for Immunology  
14th Intl. Congr. of Immunology  
Aug. 22-27, Kobe, Japan  
ici2010.org

## September

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Amer. Col. of Clin. Pharmacol.  
39th Ann. Mtg.  
Sept. 12-14, Baltimore, MD  
accp1.org

## November

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Amer. Soc. of Human Genetics  
Ann. Mtg.  
Nov. 2-6, Washington, DC  
ashg.org

Soc. for Neurosci.  
Ann. Mtg.  
Nov. 13-17, San Diego, CA  
sfn.org

Intl. Pharmaceut. Fed. & AAPS  
FIP Pharma. Sci. World Congr.  
Nov. 14-18, New Orleans, LA  
pswc2010.org

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### DEPARTMENT CHAIR • DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACOLOGY AND THERAPEUTICS • COLLEGE OF MEDICINE • UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

The University of Florida's College of Medicine invites applications and nominations for the position of Chair of the Department of Pharmacology and Therapeutics/The Thomas H. Maren, M.D. Professorship of Pharmacology and Therapeutics. The department chair will have an outstanding opportunity to sustain and further develop the research, teaching and service missions and their integration with the overall strategic goals of the College of Medicine. The department currently has 12 primary faculty members, seven research faculty and over 25 faculty members who hold joint appointments with the department. The department faculty mentor over 15 graduate students associated with the Interdisciplinary Program in Biomedical Sciences in the College of Medicine. Research interests in the department include neuro-and cancer pharmacology, cell signaling, obesity, diabetes, aging, mechanisms of enzyme catalysis and drug discovery and development. Associated with a Health Science Center comprised of six colleges, the department occupies modern space, is well equipped for state-of-the-art-research and is in close proximity to a variety of core research and teaching facilities. The department has a significant number of endowments, as well as other resources necessary for operation and expansion. Ample opportunity exists for interactions with other basic and clinical science departments and co-venturing with research centers and institutes

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The successful candidate will have a Ph.D. or M.D. or M.D./Ph.D. degree. We seek an accomplished scholar with an established and recognized research program, a strong record of extramural funding and demonstrated leadership and administrative skills. The major responsibilities of the department chair are to promote the individual scholarship of the faculty and students in the department, provide leadership in articulating the department's vision to enhance the research and teaching programs in the department, and to work closely with institute and center directors to promote academic excellence. This is a full-time, tenure-accruing faculty appointment at the rank of full Professor.

Applicants should provide a letter of application that incorporates a statement of vision for future departmental growth and direction, curriculum vitae, and the names of three references to: Colin Sumners, Ph.D., Chair of the Search Committee, University of Florida, PO Box 100215, Gainesville, FL 32610-0215 or by email to: [csumners@ufl.edu](mailto:csumners@ufl.edu). Applicants also may apply online at <https://jobs.ufl.edu> referencing requisition number 0801367. Nominations should be forwarded to Colin Sumners, Ph.D. Salary is negotiable and will

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## FACULTY POSITIONS

### Department of Pharmacology and Physiology Drexel University College of Medicine



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COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACOLOGY & PHYSIOLOGY

The Department of Pharmacology and Physiology at Drexel University College of Medicine is actively seeking applications for full-time tenure-track faculty to fill positions in a number of areas. Applications at the Assistant or Associate Professor level will be considered as part of the first step of an initiative to expand the Department's research activities.

We seek outstanding candidates with demonstrated ability to pursue research in a number of areas including cellular and molecular pharmacology, behavioral pharmacology, integrative/animal model systems, neuropharmacology and epigenetics. Candidates will be expected to demonstrate the capacity to establish or transfer an outstanding and scientifically sound research program, attract and maintain research funding, be committed to training and education at the graduate and medical school levels, and to participate in creating a collegial and collaborative research environment. Competitive start-up packages will be available.

The Department of Pharmacology and Physiology is one of four basic science departments within the College of Medicine. Opportunities for collaborative efforts with these departments as well as with the clinical departments, the School of Biomedical Engineering and College of Engineering are ongoing and strongly encouraged, as are collaborations with other institutions and organizations within the Greater Philadelphia Area.

The Department of Pharmacology and Physiology is in the process of renovating laboratory and support space to accommodate new and existing faculty as part of the overall initiative to enhance the departmental research and educational strengths. There is a newly established program in Drug Discovery and Development within the Department of Pharmacology and Physiology, an intent to develop an emphasis within the department on pain research, along with University-wide strategic initiatives in autism and pain. Candidates with this experience in the above-named areas will be given special consideration during this initial review period.

For more information please consult the following websites for Department of Pharmacology and Physiology (<http://www.drexelmed.edu>;) and on medical education at Drexel University College of Medicine (<http://webcampus.drexelmed.edu>). Applicants should submit curriculum vitae, a statement summarizing their current research and future research directions, and the names of three references to [Carolann.Imbesi@Drexelmed.edu](mailto:Carolann.Imbesi@Drexelmed.edu). Review of applications will begin immediately with the intent of hiring by the fall of 2009.



**Department of Physiology and Pharmacology  
Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry  
The University of Western Ontario  
Tenure-track Faculty Position Available**

The Department of Physiology and Pharmacology in the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry at The University of Western Ontario [UWO] invites applications from outstanding early career investigators to a probationary (tenure-track) faculty position in the area Pharmacology and Drug Disposition, with a focus on Drug Metabolism or Pharmacokinetics as they relate to drug absorption, distribution, biotransformation and excretion. Expertise in drug metabolizing enzymes and the qualitative and quantitative analysis of xenobiotics and metabolites would be an asset. Successful candidate will be appointed at the level of Assistant Professor, with an exceptional candidate considered for appointment in a tenured position at the level of Associate Professor.

Qualified applicants must have a PhD or MD degree (or equivalent) with training relevant to the discipline of Pharmacology, and would have an outstanding record of achievement in research and publication. The selected appointee will be expected to: (1) establish and maintain a vigorous externally-funded research program, (2) have a commitment to and demonstrated aptitude for teaching at the undergraduate and graduate levels, and (3) provide graduate student supervision. In addition, the selected appointee will have the opportunity to work closely with members of the Division of Clinical Pharmacology in the Department of Medicine who have research programs in Personalized Medicine, Drug Transporters, and Drug Safety (<http://www.uwoclinpharm.ca/>).

UWO is one of Canada's leading research-intensive universities, and the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry has a long history of excellence in basic biomedical, applied and clinical research. UWO has a full range of academic and professional programs for over 32,000 undergraduate and graduate students. The university campus is in London, a thriving city of over 350,000, located midway between Toronto and Detroit. London boasts an international airport, galleries, theatre, music and sporting events (see [www.goodmovelondon.ca](http://www.goodmovelondon.ca/)).

The Department of Physiology and Pharmacology is the largest research-based medical science department in the Schulich School with over 85 associated faculty members, 100 graduate students, 25 postdoctoral fellows, and 40 departmental and research staff. The Department has a strong commitment to graduate, undergraduate and professional education. Areas of research excellence include the physiology and pharmacology of the cardiovascular, neural, reproductive, endocrine and musculoskeletal systems, and developmental biology related to these systems. Many faculty members in the Department are leaders in nationally-funded collaborative research programs. Funding of several large infrastructure grants has provided state-of-the-art research laboratories and core facilities. New recruits will also have access to the *London Regional Genomics Centre*, a city-wide genomics core research facility that supports high-throughput genome analysis; *London Regional Proteomics Centre*, providing state-of-the-art structural biology and mass spectrometry analyses; the *London Regional Innovarium*, a network of state-of-the-art animal facilities; and London Regional In Vitro Molecular Imaging Centre, a network of advanced microscopy and molecular imaging facility. Further information about the Department is at: <http://www.schulich.uwo.ca/physpharm/>

Please send detailed Curriculum Vitae, a brief statement of research accomplishments and future plans, copies of representative publications, and the names of three referees to:

**Dr. R. Jane Rylett, Professor and Chair, Department of Physiology and Pharmacology, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada N6A 5C1**

Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled. As appropriate, assistance will be provided in helping to relocate and find suitable spousal employment.

*Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority. UWO is committed to employment equity and welcomes applications from all qualified women and men, including visible minorities, aboriginal people and persons with disabilities.*





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*Endothelial Progenitor Cells & Cardiovascular Disease - From Bench to Bed Site*

*Exposure to Environmental Agent Alters Epigenetic Homeostasis*

*Gases as Neuromodulators in Sensing: From Nitric Oxide to Hydrogen Sulfide*

*Generating Proteomic Diversity in Xenobiotic Biotransformation with Alternative RNA Splicing*

*Integrating Basic Sciences & Patient Care in a Core Clerkship Curriculum*

*Metabolomics in the Search for Biomarkers for Human Health*

*microRNAs as Biological Effectors & as Pharmacological Targets in the Cardiovascular System*

*Neuroplastic & Neurodegenerative Changes Associated with Drug Abuse and Addiction*

*Receptor Signaling & Regulation in Neuropsychiatric Research*

*Regenerative Pharmacology*

*Regulation of Xenobiotic Metabolizing Enzymes in Humans: Implications for the Propagation of Health & Disease*

*Targeting Drug Metabolizing Enzymes for Effective Chemopreventive Approaches*

*The Role of Nuclear Receptors in Lipid Homeostasis*

*The Role of Insulin & Leptin in Drug Addiction and Mood*

*The Serotonin Transporter: Non Just for Neurons Anymore*

*Therapeutics in Autoimmunity: Treatment Successes & Side Effects as a Tool of Elucidating Pathogenic Pathways*

*Virally-encoded G Protein Coupled Receptors as New Drug Targets?*



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