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| Last updated: | 14/12/2021 |

**JOB DESCRIPTION**

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| Post title: | **Clinical Research Training Fellow** | | |
| Academic Unit/Service: | Cancer Sciences | | |
| Faculty: | Medicine | | |
| Career Pathway: | Clinical | Level: | CADT |
| Category: | Research | | |
| Posts responsible to: | Professor of Medical Oncology/Professor of Breast Surgery | | |
| Posts responsible for: | N/A | | |
| Post base: | Office/Laboratory  Opportunity for some clinical session to maintain training and clinical skills | | |

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| Job purpose |
| To provide a period of protected time to obtain experience in cancer research and produce a thesis for submission for a higher degree. The research subject will be in the field of breast cancer and aligned to the aims of the WCRF CANDO programme (see post further particulars).    To fulfil the requirements for out-of-programme experience for a medical specialist trainee in any field relevant to cancer medicine or enable an individual who does not yet have a national training number and wishes and is committed to pursue a career in cancer medicine to do so.  Please see particulars for detailed information about this role. |

| Key accountabilities/primary responsibilities | | % Time |
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|  | |  | | --- | | To develop and carry out research within cancer sciences while working towards completion of a PhD. | | 80% |
|  | |  | | --- | | Participating in analysis and evaluation of the results, contributing to the interpretation of data, using proven analytical research methods. | | 10% |
|  | Carry out administrative tasks associated with specified research funding, for example, risk assessment of research activities, organisation of project meetings and documentation. Implementation of procedures required to ensure accurate and timely formal reporting and financial control. | 5% |
|  | Any other duties as allocated by the line manager following consultation with the post holder. | 5% |

| Internal and external relationships |
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| Direct responsibility to holder of research award/academic supervisors.  May have additional reporting and liaison responsibilities to external funding bodies or sponsors.  May be asked to serve on a relevant School/Department committee, for example research committee.  Collaborators/colleagues in other work areas and institutions  Opportunity for some clinical session to maintain training and clinical skills in appropriate medical specialty at University Hospital Southampton |

| Special Requirements |
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**PERSON SPECIFICATION**

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| Criteria | Essential | Desirable | How to be assessed |
| Qualifications Knowledge and Experience | Medical degree. Registered with the GMC as a Doctor.  MRCP, MRCS part II or equivalent level and undertaking clinical training  Currently completed Core Training  Comprehensive clinical knowledge in cancer management  Computer literate  Good organisational skills and time management | BSc in biological or medical-related science  Clinical experience in cancer management  Knowledge and understanding of the principles of treatment for cancer patients  Knowledge of cancer biology  Knowledge and understanding of audit | Qualification verification  GMC Register  Application & Interview |
| Problem Solving and Initiative | A desire to achieve excellence in cancer research | Plans to pursue a subsequent academic career | Application & Interview |
| Management and Teamwork | Ability to work well in a multidisciplinary team |  | Application & Interview |
| Communicating and Influencing | Excellent interpersonal skills and ability to achieve good rapport with patients |  | Application & Interview |
| Other Requirements | Fluency in written and spoken English  Able to attend national and international conferences to present research results |  | Application & Interview |

**JOB HAZARD ANALYSIS**

**Is this an office-based post?**

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| Yes | If this post is an office-based job with routine office hazards (eg: use of VDU), no further information needs to be supplied. Do not complete the section below. |
| No | If this post is not office-based or has some hazards other than routine office (eg: more than use of VDU) please complete the analysis below.  Hiring managers are asked to complete this section as accurately as possible to ensure the safety of the post-holder. |

## - HR will send a full PEHQ to all applicants for this position. Please note, if full health clearance is required for a role, this will apply to all individuals, including existing members of staff.

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| **ENVIRONMENTAL EXPOSURES** | **Occasionally**  (<30% of time) | **Frequently**  (30-60% of time) | **Constantly**  (> 60% of time) |
| Outside work |  |  |  |
| Extremes of temperature (eg: fridge/ furnace) | x |  |  |
| ## Potential for exposure to body fluids | x |  |  |
| ## Noise (greater than 80 dba - 8 hrs twa) |  |  |  |
| ## Exposure to hazardous substances (eg: solvents, liquids, dust, fumes, biohazards). Specify below: |  |  |  |
| Frequent hand washing | x |  |  |
| Ionising radiation | x |  |  |
| **EQUIPMENT/TOOLS/MACHINES USED** | | | |
| ## Food handling |  |  |  |
| ## Driving university vehicles(eg: car/van/LGV/PCV) |  |  |  |
| ## Use of latex gloves (prohibited unless specific clinical necessity) |  |  |  |
| ## Vibrating tools (eg: strimmers, hammer drill, lawnmowers) |  |  |  |
| **PHYSICAL ABILITIES** | | | |
| Load manual handling |  |  |  |
| Repetitive crouching/kneeling/stooping |  |  |  |
| Repetitive pulling/pushing |  |  |  |
| Repetitive lifting |  |  |  |
| Standing for prolonged periods |  |  |  |
| Repetitive climbing (ie: steps, stools, ladders, stairs) |  |  |  |
| Fine motor grips (eg: pipetting) |  | x |  |
| Gross motor grips |  |  |  |
| Repetitive reaching below shoulder height |  |  |  |
| Repetitive reaching at shoulder height |  |  |  |
| Repetitive reaching above shoulder height |  |  |  |
| **PSYCHOSOCIAL ISSUES** | | | |
| Face to face contact with public |  |  |  |
| Lone working | x |  |  |
| ## Shift work/night work/on call duties |  |  |  |