



**Department of Medical Imaging, Division of Diagnostic Radiology
Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, Western University**

ACADEMIC POSITION: Thoracic Radiologist

The Department of Medical Imaging, Division of Diagnostic Radiology, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, at Western University, London Health Sciences Centre and St. Joseph's Health Care London is seeking a Thoracic Radiologist for a full-time clinical academic appointment to Western University. Rank (Assistant, Associate or Full Professor) and appointment status (limited term or continuing) will be determined by experience and qualifications at the time of appointment.

The Department of Medical Imaging at Western University is an integrated city-wide sub-specialty practice across the three Hospital sites: University Hospital (UH) and Victoria Hospital (VH), collectively known as the London Health Sciences Centre (LHSC), and St. Joseph's Health Care London (St. Joseph's). The Department provides multiple regional services to a population of >2M.

There are opportunities for an enthusiastic radiologist to contribute to an integrated, multi-disciplinary and collegial Academic Medical Imaging Department in the Cardiothoracic Division.

Position Profile: The successful candidate will be appointed in a full-time Clinical Academic appointment in the Department of Medical Imaging at the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry. The successful candidate will take an active role in the Citywide Cardiothoracic Imaging Subspecialty Division and must be dedicated to outstanding quality in clinical operations as well as demonstrate leadership, teaching, and/or research abilities. The successful candidate will have completed a Fellowship in Thoracic Radiology, must have an interest in academic radiology.

The academic component of this position is predominately located at St. Joseph's Health Care London and the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry. A community practice component includes several community hospitals and an Independent Health Facilities (IHF) component operated by London X-ray Associates (LXA). One day of protected academic time to support research and teaching is provided. Consideration of applicants will include an assessment of previous performance in teaching, research, health care leadership, qualifications (including subspecialty and enhanced training), experience and interpersonal skills.

Cardiothoracic Imaging: Division Head – Dr. Justin Amann (justin.amann@sjhc.london.on.ca)

The successful candidate will join a division of 11 dedicated Cardiothoracic radiologists. The successful candidate will need to demonstrate successful team building skills in addition to the advanced diagnostic and interventional skills required for this position. There are excellent established collaborations across all affiliated Cardiothoracic disciplines with frequent participation in multi-disciplinary rounds and a full complement of diagnostic and interventional procedures.

Infrastructure: City wide fleet state-of-the-art Computed Tomography (six Aquilion ONE 320 Genesis Edition, and one Aquilion Prime), Magnetic Resonance Imaging (two 3T, four 1.5T, and one 0.55T) and interventional angiography suites (three biplane and four single plane units) in combination with strong Industry-Academic partnerships strengthen the academic mission.

Qualifications: The successful candidate will hold certification in Diagnostic Radiology with the Royal College of Physician and Surgeons of Canada or international equivalent and will need to meet the current credentialing requirements of LHSC and St. Joseph's. Candidates must have an MD, or equivalent, and must be eligible for licensure in the province of Ontario. Subspecialty Fellowship training in Thoracic imaging is required. Additional subspecialty expertise in abdominal imaging is advantageous. Proficiency in CT guided lung biopsies is required. The successful candidate will be a self-starter, team player and be willing to participate in all aspects of academic imaging and intervention including on-call duties as required by the Chair/Chief of the Department.

Interested candidates are strongly encouraged to contact the respective Division Head and/or the Chair-Chief for further details.

Compensation Details: Estimated total remuneration from all sources, including fee for service and alternative funding plan, will be in the range of \$350,000 to \$500,000 annually and commensurate with qualifications and experience.

The City: London, Ontario. London is Canada's 11th largest city with a population of over 450,000, a catchment area of 2 million people, and is situated in southwestern Ontario between Toronto and Detroit. The region has a diverse economy and excellent educational opportunities. It is a safe and diverse city and its numerous parks, trails, recreational, cultural, and sporting opportunities make it an attractive place to live.

The University: With annual research funding exceeding \$220 million, and an international reputation for success, Western ranks as one of Canada's top research-intensive universities. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western also provides an exceptional employment experience, offering competitive salaries, a wide range of employment opportunities and one of Canada's most beautiful campuses.

St. Joseph's Health Care London: St. Joseph's Health Care London is primarily an ambulatory care centre and provides patient care that complements the acute care hospitals of LHSC. Current clinical imaging equipment includes two 1.5T MRI, one 320 slice CT, modern ultrasound, and new state of the art mammography equipment including digital tomography and contrast dual energy mammography. The Department is upgrading to state-of-the-art paired 3T and 1.5T MRI, and state-of-the-art X-ray equipment. Research imaging equipment includes a 256 slice CT, and a 3T PET/MR. A PET/CT serves clinical and research functions.

London X-Ray Associates: LXA is proud to have served London Ontario and region for over 90 years. We have a long history of teaching and providing diagnostic medical imaging services in the academic medical imaging department, 8 community hospitals and 5 Independent Health Facilities clinics in southwestern Ontario. We are a collegial group of radiologists, technologists and administrative professionals who are dedicated to serving patients, physicians and hospitals in the communities where we work. We strive to be the best at what we do. We see our responsibility as both humbling and inspiring. Respect is the cornerstone of fostering our people-centric culture.

For further information: Interested candidates are invited to contact the Division Head, for information on the Divisional structure and responsibilities; the Site Director at St. Joseph's, for information on St. Joseph's Health Care London; and the Chair-Chief, to discuss the Department strategy and direction.

Research: The Department of Medical Imaging supports and encourages opportunities to engage in imaging related research with the Robarts Research Institute (www.robarts.ca) and Lawson Health Research Institute (www.lawsonresearch.ca), in association with Western University and Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry.

For further information: Interested candidates are invited to contact the Medical Imaging Site Director at Victoria Hospital for information regarding LHSC; the Division Head for Divisional structure and responsibilities; and the Chair/Chief to discuss Department strategy and direction.

- Site Director for Medical Imaging at St Josephs' Hospital and the Division Head for Cardiothoracic Imaging, Dr. Justin Amann, justin.amann@sjhc.london.on.ca
- Chair/Chief, Department of Medical Imaging, Western University, London Health Sciences Centre and St. Joseph's Health Care London, Dr. Narinder Paul, narinder.paul@lhsc.on.ca

To Apply: Applications must include the completed online application form <http://www.uwo.ca/facultyrelations/careers/pdf/application-full-time-clinical.pdf>, a letter of interest indicating the sub-specialty position, statement of academic qualifications and career goals, highlights of accomplishments, curriculum vitae, the names and addresses of three references and be submitted to:

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Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Review of applications will begin after February 16, 2025 with an anticipated start date of July 1st, 2025, or as negotiated.

Business Addresses:

- Western University, 1151 Richmond Street, N., London, Ontario N6A 5B8, www.uwo.ca
- London Health Sciences Centre, 800 Commissioners Road E., London Ontario, N6A 5W9, www.lhsc.on.ca
- St. Joseph's Health Care London, 268 Grosvenor Street, London Ontario, N6A 4V2, www.sjhc.london.on.ca

Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English. The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized groups, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Kelsey Klages at Kelsey.klages@lhsc.on.ca

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