

Position Announcement

JOSPT

Editor-in-Chief

The *Journal of Orthopaedic & Sports Physical Therapy (JOSPT)* invites individuals with exceptional skills in musculoskeletal rehabilitation practice and research, leadership, teamwork, and communication to apply for the position of Editor-in-Chief (EIC). As one of the premier publications in the fields of rehabilitation, orthopaedics, and sports, *JOSPT* is an industry leader in the dissemination of high-quality research. The EIC is responsible for maintaining the validity and relevance of *JOSPT* content by overseeing the peer-review process, working with staff members to maximize effectiveness of content delivery, and forming and maintaining relationships with international partners.

Requirements

Requirements for this position include:

1. Post-professional doctoral degree (terminal degree such as PhD, EdD, or ScD preferred),
2. Current licensure as a physical therapist and background in orthopaedic and/or sports-related practice,
3. Substantial experience in the peer-review and publication of scientific work,
4. Evidence of superior leadership skills, and
5. Fluency in spoken and written English.

The EIC position requires a well-organized, innovative, energetic, deliberative, responsible, and technologically adept individual. This individual must be a leader and a visionary, a communicator and an achiever, and possess a broad knowledge of research, statistics, and clinical practice.

How to Apply

This search is effective immediately, and applications will be accepted until October 1, 2014. Finalists for this position will be interviewed in person by the *JOSPT* Board of Directors at the Combined Sections Meeting, February 4-7, 2015, in Indianapolis, Indiana. The ideal starting date for the successful applicant will be August 1, 2015.

Applicants should submit the following to the *JOSPT* Board's EIC Search Committee c/o Edith Holmes, Executive Director/Publisher, *JOSPT* (edithholmes@jospt.org):

1. Letter of application,
2. Curriculum vitae,
3. A short statement (maximum 1 page, double-spaced, 200 words) about your leadership and management philosophy and experience,
4. A short statement (maximum 1 page, double-spaced, 200 words) describing your vision for the future of *JOSPT* and its impact on orthopaedic and sports physical therapy practice globally, and
5. The names and contact information for 3 references.