Purdue University invites applications and nominations for the position of Director of the Integrative Neuroscience Center. This newly established Center is part of a $260M investment in Life Sciences that is ongoing at the university (https://www.purdue.edu/research/life-sciences). The Center coalesces faculty from 25 departments across 6 Colleges; it is built on a mission of combining strengths in science and engineering to unravel the mysteries of the healthy brain and to alleviate suffering associated with trauma, disease, or disorders of the nervous system through biomedical discoveries and creative technologies. The Integrative Neuroscience Center, a Pillar of Excellence in the Life Sciences at Purdue’s Discovery Park, is organized to leverage existing research strengths in 4 major Program Areas: Aging & Neurodegeneration; Neuroengineering; Development, Genetics & Neuropharmacology; and Neurotrauma & Neuropathology.

The Director will be responsible for supporting the overall mission of the Center, including establishing and implementing a strategic plan to position Purdue as a global leader in Neuroscience. The Director will provide leadership in directing university investments for the new Center that are targeted towards multiple faculty hires and the establishment of core facilities to support neuroscience research. Candidates must have the academic credentials for appointment to a senior tenured faculty position (i.e. PhD, MD, or equivalent) and will contribute to the teaching mission. Candidates are expected to continue a distinguished career in neuroscience with a successful record of scholarship in well-funded research programs and a proven record of leadership.

To receive full consideration, submit a letter of interest that outlines qualifications for the position and a curriculum vitae. Applications should be directed electronically to https://hiring.science.purdue.edu/. We will begin reviewing applications February 1st 2016, but will accept applications until the position is filled. A background check is required for employment in this position.

Purdue University is an EOE/AA employer. All individuals including minorities, women, individuals with disabilities and veterans are encouraged to apply.