

January 21, 2010

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** All Faculty

**FROM:**  K.J. Anusavice, Ph.D., D.M.D., Associate Dean for Research

**SUBJECT:** Summer Institute in Clinical Dental Research Methods

The University of Washington's School of Dentistry will offer a research training institute in the summer of 2010 for dental school faculty and other oral health professionals interested in clinical research in dentistry. This training course will begin on June 27 and end on August 6, 2010. There is no tuition charged for the summer institute, unless academic credit is requested (which can be arranged through the University of Washington Summer Quarter Office).

The summer institute is designed to offer training in research methods to which dentists (and other oral health professionals) may not have been adequately exposed during clinical training. The program lasts a full six weeks and is not available in modular form for shorter periods.

The Office of Research will provide up to \$3,000 for travel/living expenses that support training for UFCD faculty members to participate in this course. For faculty interested in participating in this program, a copy of letters from the applicant and his/her department chairman should be submitted to Dr. Anusavice no later than Friday, February 19, 2010. Selection will be made after all letters are received.

Applicants selected by the College to attend the Summer Institute should send their application to Dr. Timothy A. DeRouen at the address provided in the attached brochure no later than the March 15, 2010 deadline to ensure full consideration. The application should include a curriculum vitae, along with a letter of application explaining why the Summer Institute is of interest and would be beneficial to them. A letter from the applicant's supervisor (department chair or dean) indicating if the employing institute is supportive of the applicant's participation, and describing any benefits the institution will derive should be included with the application.

Additional information can be found on the attached brochure. If you have questions, please contact me or Jane Moore at 392-9778.

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Cc: T.A. Dolan, Dean  
Attachment: Application Brochure