SEEKING EXPERIENCED AND DYNAMIC CANDIDATES FOR THE POSITION OF RESEARCH ASSISTANT

**Description of the research area:** Dr. Timothy Wideman is an assistant professor at McGill University and conducts research on pain and pain-related disability. His research program focuses on better understanding and managing chronic musculoskeletal pain. His current projects involve evaluating the psychological and sensory processes that influence physical rehabilitation among people with back and knee pain. Data collection association with these projects is based out of Dr. Wideman’s research laboratory at the Constance-Lethbridge Rehabilitation Centre as well as several clinical sites in the Montreal area.

**Description of the position:** This full-time position will be focused on recruiting and testing research participants and includes the following responsibilities:

- Recruiting study participants
- Scheduling participants for testing sessions
- Testing participants at the Constance-Lethbridge Rehabilitation Centre as well as several clinical sites in the Montreal area
- Entering participant data into a study database
- Facilitating partnerships with clinical testing sites
- Assistance with administrative tasks.

The ideal candidate will be able to demonstrate the following qualities and skills:

- Excellent organizational and time management skills.
- Excellent inter-personal and communications skills.
- Fluent in both French and English (comprehension, verbal/written expression).
- High level of flexibility and autonomy.

Preference will be given to candidates with the following experience/credentials:

- Experience working in a human research laboratory.
- Experience working with clinical populations.
- Experience using SPSS and Redcap software.
- Experience conducting physical examinations.
- Access to a personal vehicle to travel to off-site clinical settings.

Remuneration is between $16 and $26/hour and is commensurate with expertise. Applicants are required to have completed a bachelor’s and/or master’s degree in a related field. The initial contract will be for a six-month period with the potential for renewal.

This position will be filled as soon as possible and the search will continue until an ideal candidate is found.

Please email your curriculum vitae, copy of your unofficial transcript and brief cover letter to andrea.aternali@mail.mcgill.ca. Please include “Application for research assistant position” in the subject line.

Only applicants that are being considered for the position will be contacted.