

The Institute for Prevention Research (IPR) and the Department of Preventive Medicine at the University of Southern California invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position at the full professor rank. The Institute includes faculty who conduct research on disease prevention with particular emphasis on risk behaviors among adolescents including substance use, sedentary lifestyle and obesity. IPR is well known for the conduct of large school based and community based field trials. These trials require cutting edge methodology in terms of design, measurement and analysis.

IPR seeks a senior faculty member with a research focuses on the design, measurement and analysis involved in large prevention field trials. The successful applicant should have conducted research that integrates the conceptual and theoretical models underlying the interventions being tested and also have experience in structural equation modeling and other statistical approaches to testing in these trials. IPR has a growing program in international settings and the successful candidate will have experience working in international settings particularly in the implementation of field trials. IPR seeks a senior faculty member with experience in these methodologies and who can lead individual and center grants that focus on these methodologies as well as to be a collaborating investigator.

In addition, the academic programs include degrees at the bachelors, masters and doctoral level. Applicants must have a commitment and evidence of high quality teaching and mentoring at the graduate and undergraduate levels. In particular, the programs are seeking faculty capable of teaching research methods and analysis using complex models. Review of applicants will begin immediately and continue until the candidate is selected. Applicants must submit curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, representative publications or preprints, and statements of research and teaching interests to Dr. Mary Ann Pentz, Director, Institute for Prevention Research, 1000 South Fremont Ave, Unit 8, Alhambra, California, 91803.