

Dear Colleagues,

This is such a unique opportunity. The Bloomberg School has been **ranked 1st in public health every year since 1994** and receives about 25% of the total annual NIH funding every year. This position also comes with tremendous opportunities to work closely with the Bloomberg American Health Initiative, **a \$300 million gift by Mike Bloomberg**, the former Mayor of New York, to focus on environmental and transportation challenges of public health. The opportunity to work directly and closely with the Bloomberg Philanthropy offers national and international stages to conduct groundbreaking research and work toward making national level impacts.

Please see attached the job announcement. I appreciate if you kindly share this postdoc position with your network and prospective applicants. I'd be also grateful if you let me know of any particular qualified applicant you might know.

Thanks and regards, Shima

Shima Hamidi, PhD

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Postdoctoral Fellowship in Planning, Public Health and Transportation

Bloomberg School of Public Health

Johns Hopkins University

Start date: January 1, 2020

The Department of Environmental Health and Engineering (EHE) at Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health invites applications for a post-doctoral fellow in Planning, Public Health, Transportation planning and related fields. The successful applicant will join a multidisciplinary research team of faculty, graduate students and research staff. The Bloomberg School is the first institution of its kind worldwide and the largest school of public health in the world. The school has been ranked 1st in public health every year since 1994, according to the U.S. News and World Report and receives about 25% of the total annual NIH funding every year.

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The post-doctoral fellow will be a key member of the planning group, contributing to research projects and multiple publications per year, writing competitive proposals, meetings with potential partners/sponsors and mentorship and supervision of graduate research assistants. Qualifications:

- Doctoral degree in public health, transportation, urban planning, or related fields
- Excellent writing skills (Preparation of manuscripts and assistance in proposal writing)
- Strong background in quantitative research methods
- Relevant publications and research records
- Experience with proposal writing, grant application and funded research
- Preferred: Experience working with big data, machine learning and data mining techniques
- Preferred: Proficiency in statistical software packages such as R, STATA, HLM, SEM, Nlogit etc.
- Preferred: Proficiency in GIS (model builder, network analyst, etc.) and spatial analysis

How to Apply

Inquiries and applications must be addressed to Dr. Shima Hamidi, shima.hamidi@gmail.com and should include:

- 1) Cover Letter with information about applicant's qualifications, skillsets and fit to this position
- 2) Research Statement with information about applicant's research records, interests and experience, funded research, impacts and accomplishments, future research agenda, etc.
- 3) Curriculum Vita
- 4) Two writing samples (preferably with the applicant as the sole-author. If not possible, please explain applicant's contribution)
- 5) and the names and contact information of three references.

Review of applications will begin November 1, 2019 and continue until the position is filled.

The Johns Hopkins University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women, minorities, veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. A criminal background check will be conducted on finalists.