How do I apply?

To apply please send a full curriculum vitae and one page statement summarising your research interests to Professor Frank Gannon, QIMR Berghofer Director and CEO at:

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Expressions of interest will be accepted until 30 November 2015

The QIMR Berghofer Medical Research Institute, located in Brisbane, Australia, has an international reputation for excellence in medical research. Since the 2012 opening of our new state-of-the-art facility in Brisbane, we have enjoyed strong and consistent growth in our research capacity. We are now seeking expressions of interest from highly successful and independent researchers who share our vision of better health through outstanding basic and translational research.

Our research is conducted across three program areas covering Infectious Diseases, Mental Health/Complex Disorders and Cancer, and through five departments: Biology, Cell and Molecular Biology, Genetics and Computational Biology, Immunology, and Population Health.

What do we offer?

- Generous salary guarantees at all career stages (e.g. five year career awards that can be used at any time for mid-career researchers)
- Critical mass of outstanding researchers
- State of the art research facilities including PC3 viral and insectary facilities and an advanced imaging centre
- Access to the newly developed Herston Imaging Research Facility (HIRF) including three key instruments: PRISMA 3T MRI, fully integrated PET-MRI, and PET-CT
- Extensive scientific support services including a large animal house
- Shared campus with clinicians (Royal Brisbane & Women’s Hospital)
- Translational research potential including onsite TGA licensed GMP Cellular Therapy facility
- Clinical trial support and linkage to a QIMR Berghofer-owned clinical trial company (QPharm)
- Personalised support (e.g. Grants Administration)
- In-house business development and commercialisation expertise
- Family friendly workplace and policies
- Highly attractive salary packaging options
- Excellent lifestyle, great location

What are we looking for?

We are currently seeking to employ outstanding independent (mid-career to senior) researchers (Faculty) with a track record of success in publications and attracting externally competitive grant funding. We are particularly interested in hearing from experts working on topics of relevance to our three programs in the following research areas:

- **Virologists** – including those specialising in arboviruses such as dengue virus, or MERS virus
- **Microbiologists** – (including immunologists) with expertise in host-pathogen interactions of infectious diseases, such as tuberculosis and those caused by other significant microbial pathogens
- **Neurobiologists/Neuroimaging** – Researchers with an interest in molecular mechanisms, genetics or neuroimaging science that will lead to translation to improved mental health

With a growing international reputation, we are also keen to hear from advanced international early career researchers, (two to seven years post doctoral) seeking opportunities in Australia. For these researchers, we can offer tailored support packages in the form of a QIMR Berghofer International Fellowship (for three years) to assist in progressing their research activities and career advancement.