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Attention: Department Chair, Director of Graduate Studies, Faculty Members, and Graduate Students

Dear Colleagues:

The enclosed posters describe positions we are currently recruiting for as Research Assistant Professors in our R25T Fellowship Program in cancer control research. The Fellowship is sponsored by the National Cancer Institute, and Fellows receive appointments as Research Assistant Professors in the Department of Surgery at the University of Rochester Medical Center. We are looking for outstanding candidates for our upcoming group of Fellows beginning in the Fall of 2017. We are actively seeking applicants interested in translational (e.g. biomarker) symptom science research and/or cancer-related cognitive impairment research to work closely with Dr. Michelle Janelsins and her research team in the University of Rochester Medical Center Cancer Control and Psychoneuroimmunology Laboratory. We are interested in candidates with a variety of backgrounds including, but not limited to; neuroscience, neuropsychology, cognitive science, clinical psychology, psychoneuroimmunology, epidemiology, translational biomarker research and applied basic sciences.

The program eagerly seeks highly motivated individuals with doctorates who are committed to developing a successful research career in cancer control as independent investigators. Candidates must be US citizens or permanent residents. Two to three years of funding with salaries of \$60,000 per year are offered along with tuition, health insurance, research support, travel to four scientific meetings per year and a faculty appointment as a Research Assistant Professor in the School of Medicine, Department of Surgery. Applications require three letters of recommendation, a personal statement of how you think this will help your research and career along with your CV. **We are accepting applications immediately and will begin interviewing candidates in January of 2017.** A more detailed description of the program, biosketches of mentors, didactic courses and other research training opportunities, and application material can be found at: [www.futureresearchers.org](http://www.futureresearchers.org).

**Materials can be sent directly to Dr. Michelle Janelsins ([michelle\\_janelins@urmc.rochester.edu](mailto:michelle_janelins@urmc.rochester.edu)).**

I would appreciate if you could disseminate this letter and a few copies of the enclosed posters describing the program to your graduate students who are completing their Ph.D. in the Spring or Summer of 2017 or who have recently completed their Ph.D. Please feel free to scan copies and email or post them electronically or to disseminate hard copies in a manner that works for your Department/School.

Sincerely,

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