The College of Pharmacy and the Hollings Cancer Center at the Medical University of South Carolina (MUSC) is seeking applications and nominations for an Endowed Chair in Cancer Drug Discovery. The successful candidate will be an established scientist who is actively involved in the action and development of therapeutic entities in the broad area of cancer-related pharmacology, medicinal chemistry, and/or drug discovery/development. The candidate must have a productive record of publication and extramural funding and be qualified for a tenured appointment at the level of Associate or Full Professor. He/she will be expected to maintain a nationally recognized, extramurally funded research program and participate in professional and graduate education.

MUSC opened a new research building in 2011 for Drug Discovery and has a robust research operation with ~$230M in extramural funding including an NIH-funded Clinical and Translational Science Institute and an NCI-designated Hollings Cancer Center. The Hollings Cancer Center has more than 125 scientists with formal research programs organized around Cancer Genes & Molecular Regulation, Cancer Immunology, and Developmental Cancer Therapeutics which includes a growing Phase I trials effort. Shared resource facilities/cores include a High-Throughput Screening, Computational and Synthetic Chemistry, Cell and Molecular Imaging, Molecular Structure Laboratories, Biorepository, Cancer Genomics, Lipidomics, and Proteomics.

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