The successful candidate for Vice Chair of Research in the Department of Emergency Medicine at Brigham Health must have an MD or a MD/PhD degree in a field related to Emergency Medicine, as well as the post-doctoral education that completes their training, and a related board certification. The successful candidate would be considered for faculty rank of Assistant or Associate Professor. We seek candidates with current extra-mural research funding, such as NIH. Having success in programmatic grant funding requiring a team of independent investigators is important, since a goal of this position is to enhance departmental faculty engagement across the spectrum of the field. Another goal of this position is to enhance industry sponsored projects and clinical trials within the department, so candidate experience in clinical trial implementation and analysis is desired. The candidate should have expertise in health data analytics, such as bioinformatics and biostatistics. The candidate must be experienced in successfully training learners and/or junior faculty in research enquiry, and promoting the independent research careers of these trainees. The Department of Emergency Medicine’s Vice Chair of Research is a critical role in the ongoing growth and innovation of the department’s research portfolio. The Vice Chair of Research works under the direction of the Department Chairman to facilitate departmental initiatives including regular departmental meetings and academic activities in an effort to streamline and improve research within the Department of Emergency Medicine.

Roles and Responsibilities
- Evaluate research needs and work with the Department Chairman and Hospital leadership to analyze and recommend improvements (i.e. space, funding, research management support, instrumentation, equipment, capital, etc.).
- Lead and facilitate collaborations within the department and across the institution.
- Expand and further develop research in a supportive clinical environment.
- Guide the department’s research programs and provide strong research mentorship to both basic science and clinical faculty and fellows.
- Guide the development of translational science that covers multiple disciplines.
- Ensure that all hospital and departmental requirements are met for research faculty (i.e. grant submissions, career development activities and other academic achievements).
- Develop research education and departmental offerings (i.e. grant writing, etc).
- Develop relationships with contributing facilities and groups to improve the department’s brand awareness and to increase funding opportunities for the research faculty.

Qualifications:
- MD or MD/PhD required
- Demonstrated experience of at least 5-10 years in research, preferably in the field of emergency medicine.
- Ability to communicate to other specialties and administration to support Emergency Medicine goals in research.
- Ability to foster relationships between contributing departments and schools (i.e. Surgery, Medicine) to develop a multi-disciplinary approach to research.
The position is eligible for an academic appointment at Harvard Medical School at a rank of Assistant Professor or Associate Professor, commensurate with experience, achievement, recognition, and teaching. The position also offers a competitive salary and an outstanding comprehensive benefit package. Brigham Health is committed to the personal and professional development of our providers.

Interested candidates should send a letter and Curriculum Vitae to Michael VanRooyen, MD, MPH, Professor and Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine, Brigham and Women’s Hospital. Please apply by confidential email to mdelege@bwh.harvard.edu.

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