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looping-out model, if it is correct, is an unexpected development. Darnell, who is one of the investigators studying the hnRNA's, thinks that the new results are compatible with his views about their role but says that he was surprised to learn that interior sequences, not just those on the ends, might be removed from the molecules.

If several interior sequences are excised from the precursors, then it might be possible to detect a series of hnRNA's that show progressive loss of interior nucleotide segments. The experiments are extremely complicated, but Sharp and Berget have preliminary evidence for the existence of these intermediates in RNA prepared from the nuclei of cells infected with adenovirus.

So far, the bulk of the evidence indicates that during messenger synthesis, noncoding sequences become attached to sequences coding for proteins. But splicing may also occur within structural sequences themselves. Weissman and his colleagues say that the section of SV40 DNA that codes for the T antigen, a large viral protein produced early in infection, contains a number of termination signals whose presence in messengers normally stops protein synthesis. Weissman says that, if the size estimate for the T antigen is correct, either there is selective suppression of the termination signals during translation of the T antigen messenger or else the messenger must be synthesized in such a way that the signals are excluded from it. Further work will be required to determine whether this situation is comparable to the intramolecular splicing seen with the late viral messengers.

The big question is whether a similar phenomenon occurs during gene expression in nucleated cells themselves. The existence of spliced cellular mRNA's has not been demonstrated directly, but several of the investigators doing the viral work cite recent results from other laboratories that could be interpreted as supporting the existence of spliced mammalian messengers. However, the researchers who are actually doing this work currently disavow any such interpretation. They say that other possible explanations have not been eliminated. Nonetheless, the recent developments will no doubt stimulate a lot of new research and encourage investigators who until now have experienced more frustration than success in their studies of gene expression in the cells of higher organisms.

—Jean L. Marx

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Applicants should send curriculum vitae and five references to Professor Morton Friedman, Chairman, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles, California 90024. UCLA is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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Position is available for a recent Ph.D. in biochemisrosuon is available for a recent Ph.D. in biochemistry to participate in studies investigating the hormonal regulation of the production of specific milk proteins by cultured breast cells. A person familiar with biochemical enzyme purification/characterization is useful but not essential. The annual salary range is \$12,000 to \$14,000. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: and three letters of reference to:

Dr. Jerome Kowal Chief of Staff VA Hospital 10701 East Boulevard Cleveland, Ohio 44106

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POSTDOCTORAL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES at the University of Alabama in Birmingham in molecular and cellular aging (Dr. R. Hiramato, Director) and in cardiology (Dr. T. Shiota, Director). Postdoctoral research fellowships (\$10,000 and up) are available from 1 July 1977, under preceptors from the faculty of medicine, dentistry, and basic sciences. Individuals interested should send their curriculum vitae with three references to the appropriate director, c/o Department of Microbiology, University of Alabama in Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama 35294. Alabama 35294.

The Department of Pathology of Jefferson Medical College wishes to add to its full-time faculty at the rank of **PROFESSOR**, an individual experienced in research who would coordinate the Pathology Training Program for graduate students and assist in the teaching of residents. Medically oriented research is favored, particularly that related to cancer or immunology, or both. Interested individuals may respond to Dr. G. E. Aponte, Chairman, Department of Pathology, Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. 19107. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Em-

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NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL INTERNATIONAL FELLOWS

The National Research Council anticipates appointing two post-doctoral fellows to assist the President of the Scientific Committee on Problems of the Environment (SCOPE) of the International Council of Scientific Unions (ICSU) in developing and accomplishing the continuous SCOPE process. uing SCOPE program.

That program includes activities in the following areas: (1) Biogeochemical cycles, (2) dynamic changes and evolution of ecosystems, (3) environmental aspects of human settlements, (4) eco-toxicology, (5) simulation modeling, (6) environmental monitoring, and (7) communication of environmental information and societal response.

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The fellows will work under the direct supervision of the President, Gilbert F. White, and will be based in Boulder, Colorado. Tasks will include investigation of the concepts embodied in a proposed project, identification of persons in the world scientific community who could be called upon to participate, and survey of the interest of the scientific and institutional communities to ensure that a SCOPE project would be useful. Once a project has been completed, tasks remain to assure the effective utilization of its findings. These include identifying key individuals whose attention should be brought to aspects of the report and its implications, interpretation of the report to intergovernmental organizations, and special attempts to interpret the report and its implications for developing countries. developing countries.

Nonrenewable appointments will be made for approximately 18 months beginning in the fall of 1977. Fluency in reading and writing in months beginning in the fall of 1977. Fluency in reading and writing in English are required. A background in science relevant to the SCOPE program described above, experience in science policy, international travel or work experience, representational skill, demonstrated capability for independent work, and knowledge of languages, especially French, Russian, and Spanish, are desirable. Applications consisting of a complete résumé, three letters of nomination, and a sample of writing in English should arrive at the address below by 16 September 1977.

International Environmental Programs Committee The National Academy of Sciences 2101 Constitution Avenue Washington, D.C. 20418

Successful applicants will be notified by 14 October 1977. The fellowships will be administered by the University of Colorado. *The University of Colorado is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer*.

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In addition to our Laboratory's regular postdoctoral program, one or two special postdoctoral research fellowships will become available beginning about June, 1978. Named in honor of the first Director of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, the purpose of these appointments is to foster continuing interactions between the Laboratory and recent recipients of doctoral degrees who show clear and definite promise of becoming outstanding leaders in scientific research.

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The Deputy Assistant Administrator for Testing and Evaluation will be responsible for planning and operating program activities through which the Agency will require testing of chemicals and will evaluate the human health and environmental hazards of chemicals. Specific responsibilities will include development of policies and procedures for requiring testing, development of testing standards and guidelines, and development and implementation of methodology for assessment of human health and environmental hazards based on information on effects and exposures.

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The Deputy Assistant Administrator for Chemical Control will be responsible for planning and operating program activities through which the Agency will seek the application of appropriate control measures to reduce or eliminate unreasonable risks associated with the manufacture, processing, distribution, use, and disposal of chemicals. Specific responsibilities will include the identification and evaluation of regulatory and non-regulatory measures, assessment of pertinent economic, technological, and environmental factors, and development of rules, regulations, and other means to control new and existing chemicals.

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of the required experience for either category must have been at a level of difficulty comparable to the grade GS-16 level in the Federal Service. Location: Washington, D.C. Salary range: \$46,423-\$47,500 plus civil service benefits. Contact: Please send a detailed resume including salary history or a completed Standard Form 171 (Personal Qualifications Statement), which is available in Federal Job Information Centers and Federal Government personnel offices, to reach EPA no later than September 2, 1977 or contact Mrs. Edna Morse (PM-212), 202-755-0310 Personnel Management Division; Environmental Protection Agency; 401 M Street, S. W.; Washington, D. C. 20460.

NOTE: It is anticipated that the Agency's pesticides program eventually will be placed under the purview of the Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances and that portions of the pesticides program may be functionally integrated with portions of the toxic substances program. Thus, the Deputy Assistant Administrators described above may eventually have responsibilities related not only to toxic substances (under the Toxic Substances). stances Control Act) but also to pesticides.

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TRANSLATORS/ABSTRACTORS

Applications are invited from qualified individuals interested in confidential free-lance assignments in basic and clinical medical sciences. Major emphasis on German. Japanese, Russian, Chinese, French and Spanish. Reply in confidence with pertinent information as to language(s), subject specialization, and so forth, to: Box 330, SCIENCE.

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

FIRST INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON THE IMMUNOBIOLOGY OF PROTEIN AND PEPTIDES

The First International Symposium on the Immunobiology of Proteins and Peptides will be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota, on 25-28 September 1977. The symposium will convene leading investigators with an objective to consolidate the research done

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SHORT COURSE ON PRACTICE OF LIGHT SCATTERING

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10 and 11 October 1977. Institute of Colloid and Surface Science. Clarkson College, Potsdam. New York 13676. Contact J. Kratohvil at this address, or 315-268-2353. Tuition fee \$200.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS (NIMH) available in research training program in psycho-physiology. Program stresses basic techniques (with emphasis on both cortical and autonomic measures) as well as applications in developmental, cognitive, and clinical psychology. Send curriculum vitae or requests for further information to: Michael Coles, Ph.D., Department of Psychology, University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois 61820. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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