Form in the Mineral Kingdom

The Scientific Reinterpretation of Form. Nor-MA E. EMERTON. Cornell University Press, Ithaca, N.Y., 1984. 319 pp., illus. \$29.95. Cornell History of Science Series.

That the organization and individuality of every species of matter were due to something other than the matter itself was a fundamental tenet of ancient philosophy. Transcendent, as with Plato, or immanent, as with Aristotle, that something was known most generally as "the form." The form was so inextricably bound up with matter in perceptible bodies that it could never be isolated except by philosophical analysis; nevertheless its independent existence was hardly questioned for two millennia. Matter was passive, and without form it could have no shape, purpose, meaning, direction, or any other specific characteristic.

The concept of form is most easily grasped in the organic realm. If we are without specialized knowledge, even now common sense still assures us that the form of the oak tree, for example, is in the acorn, just as common sense still assures us that the sun rises and sets. Emerton has wisely left most discussion of organic form aside, however, in order to focus on the somewhat simpler case of mineral form.

Even so the story is a complex one. In his Metaphysics Aristotle had defined form as "that by reason of which the matter is some definite thing." Aristotle strove to maintain an ontological balance between matter and form and "criticized both the materialistic atomists who ignored the form and the Platonists who overemphasized it" (p. 49). But in the long centuries of Aristotle's philosophical dominance the views he had promulgated were more often than not modified by influences external to his own system: the preeminence of light as first form from Platonizing Augustinian theology, forms as the seminal reasons (logoi spermatikoi) of the Stoics, form as the geometry of the world-shaping Platonic solids, form as world soul—be it conceived as Plato's Demi-Urge, as an alchemical Archeus, or as the astrological "power of the heavens." In the Lovejoy tradition of the history of ideas, Emerton's work presents a rich panorama of the uses to which the concept of form was put in the Middle Ages, Renaissance, and early modern period.

Although some philosophical variants involved a "low" view of form that associated it very closely with matter, more often the thinkers discussed by Emerton preferred an "exalted" concept of form that associated form with divine activity. The scientific reinterpretation of form, however, which is the primary focus of the book, required that form come to be identified with particular aspects of matter itself. Of importance in this process was Aristotle's "mixtion" theory (for what we would now call the formation of chemical compounds), and also the concept of "minima" associated with it. Minima were conceived as the smallest "parts" of a substance that still possessed the form of the whole—a concept not very different in some ways from that of the modern chemical mole-

To a certain extent minima proved to be more useful in the scientific reinterpretation of form than did atoms. "Atoms were the ultimate building blocks of all matter, solid and indestructible, whereas minima were not fundamental particles but a temporary state of matter enabling change to take place, and their function was to be the vehicle of the form—a conception that was meaningless in atomistic terms" (p. 90). Given various reinterpretations from the 16th to the early 19th century in terms of corpuscles and in terms of form-bearing chemical or geometric "seeds," "spirits," and the like, minima eventually became the "integrant molecules" of the crystallographers—those smallest parts of a crystalline substance that have the "primitive form" of the whole.

Omitted from Emerton's account of the scientific reinterpretation of form, however, is any serious discussion of the long parallel evolution of the chemical concept of the element that culminated in the work of Lavoisier. The chemists had effectively destroyed the ancient concept of one common matter, the concept of matter that had required the concept of form for its differentiation in the first place. In their lists of differentiated and nontransmutable substances the chemists had already coalesced matter and form by insisting that the matter of each element was distinctive. It was then possible to coalesce the concept of minima with the concept of atoms, which is what Dalton did in describing the atoms themselves as differentiated-as the smallest form-bearing parts of the differentiated elements. But even if those aspects of late 18th- and early 19thcentury chemistry should be included in a more comprehensive reconstruction of the scientific reinterpretation of form, Emerton's book offers an excellent account of the transition from philosophy to science in the development of mineralogy and crystallography. Her way of conceptualizing the problems involved is significant and may well prove useful to others attempting to define the rise of modern science.

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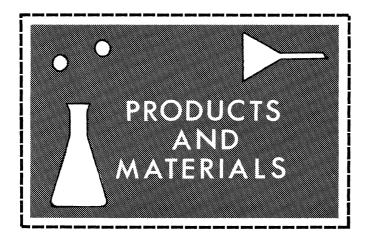
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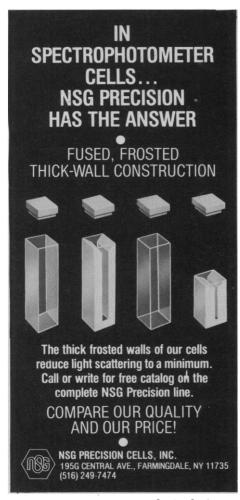
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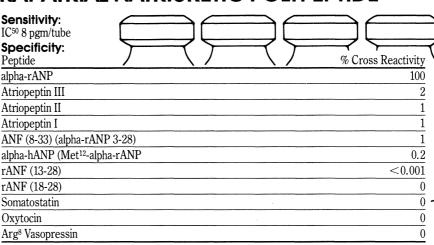
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POSITIONS OPEN

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

Applications are invited for a position at the level of assistant professor in the Department of Pharmacology of the Yale University School of Medicine. Applicants must have the Ph.D. degree, postdoctor-Applicants must have the Ph.D. degree, postdoctor-all experience, and a strong commitment to develop antineoplastic agents. The position is for a bio-organic chemist or a medicinal chemist with interest and experience in the design and synthesis of cancer chemotherapeutic agents and in elucidation of the molecular mechanisms by which they express their cytotoxic actions. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae, transcripts, reprints, description of areas of research interests, and the names of three individuals who are familiar with the candidate's abilities by 1 July 1985 to: Dr. John P. Perkins, Department of Pharmacology, Yale University School of Medicine, New Haven, Conn. 06510. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PHARMACOLOGY. Applications are being solicited for a 12-month, tenure-track position at the assistant professor level in pharmacology. The successful applicant will have an earned doctorate in pharmacology and have the an earned doctorate in pharmacology and have the potential to develop an independent research program. A significant portion of time will be spent teaching pharmacology to second year medical students. Experience in educational activities is, therefore, desirable. Interested individuals are asked to submit curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Dr. Alvin S. Levine, Assistant Dean and Director, Terre Haute Center for Medical Education, Indiana University School of Medicine, 135 Holmstedt Hall, Terre Haute, Ind. 47809. Indiana University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR-PLANT ECOLOGY

Nontenure-track, 2-year position available 1 September 1985; Ph.D. required. Successful candidate will be expected to conduct research in the vicinity of the Kellogg Biological Station. Teaching responsibilities include an undergraduate field course in plant colors and producting stations. ecology and graduate seminars. Send curriculum vitae, reprints, statement of research interests, and three letters of recommendation by 15 June to: Search Committee, Kellogg Biological Station, Michigan State University, Hickory Corners, Michigan 49060. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Emplover.

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The associate dean and director is responsible for coordinating the mission of the New Mexico Agricultural Experiment Station and accepts other appropriately delegated responsibilities assigned by the dean of the College of Agriculture and Home Economics. Applicants should have an earned doctorate and administrative experience is desirable. Candidates should have substantial experience in research, plus knowledge of the teaching, research, and extension organization unique to land-grant universities. Application deadline is 1 July 1985. Send résumé plus names, addresses, and telephone numrésumé plus names, addresses, and telephone numbers of five references to: G. M. Southward, Experimental Statistics, Box 3130, New Mexico State University (NMSU), Las Cruces, N.M. 88003. Telephone: 505-646-2937. NMSU is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer mative Action Employer.

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Gary W. DeVane, M.D. Box J-294
Department of Obstetrics/Gynecology University of Florida College of Medicine Gainesville, Fla. 32610 Telephone: 904-392-5680

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Dr. L. B. Townsend Chairman, Search Committee College of Pharmacy The University of Michigan Ann Arbor, Mich. 48109-1065

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The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC-CH) seeks a director for the Center for Alcohol Studies, an interdisciplinary center established for the purpose of conducting, coordinating, and promoting basic, clinical, and social and epidemiologic research on the causes and consequences of alcohol use and abuse. The Center is supported with stable core funding by the state of North Carolina, supplemented by research grants and contracts from federal and other sources.

The director is the chief administrative officer of the Center and reports to the dean of the School of Medicine. Candidates should have the M.D., Ph.D., or equivalent degree, a strong record of research achievement and a commitment to continue an active research program, administrative experience, and qualifications for a primary tenure-track appointment at the level of associate or full professor in a basic science or clinical department in the School of Medicine. Nominations and applications should be received prior to 31 July 1985 by: William E. Lassiter, M.D., Chair, Search Committee for the Director of the Center for Alcohol Studies, Office of the Dean, School of Medicine, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, N.C. 27514. UNC-CH is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

FACULTY POSITION—VIROLOGY

The Department of Virology and Epidemiology, Baylor College of Medicine, invites applications for a tenure-track position in a research-oriented department. We seek an innovative individual with a strong foundation in animal virology to establish an independent, high quality research program in MO-LECULAR VIROLOGY and to contribute to the departmental graduate program. Appointment will be made at the assistant professor level; salary will be competitive. Applicants should have a Ph.D. or M.D. degree and postdoctoral training. Interested persons should reply by 15 June 1985, by sending curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and the names of three references to: Dr. Janet S. Butel, Search Committee, Department of Virology and Epidemiology, Baylor College of Medicine, 1 Baylor Plaza, Houston, Texas 77030. Baylor College of Medicine is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

The Botany Department, University of Toronto, is seeking candidates for FACULTY POSITION(S) at the ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level under the NSERC University Research Fellowship programme. Although applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates whose research interests are in the area of plant molecular biology and genetics, plant pathology, or developmental plant biology, candidates in all areas of plant sciences will be considered. Salary will be at the assistant professor level and commensurate with experience. The successful candidate(s) will be expected to conduct independent research programmes, collaborate with other faculty in the department in the development of active research groups and teach in their area of expertise. The successful applicants' appointments would start as soon as possible after 1 April 1986. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Dr. J. P. Williams, Chairman, Department of Botany, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5S 1A1. Closing date for receipt of applications is 1 August 1985. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents

POSITIONS OPEN

MARINE BIOLOGY. Director, Graduate Program in Marine Biology, search continued. Applications are invited for the directorship of the Charleston Higher Education Consortium Graduate Program in Marine Biology. Included in the Consortium are the College of Charleston, The Citadel, the Medical University of South Carolina, and the Marine Resources Research Institute. The appointment carries faculty status at the associate professor or professor level in the Biology Department of the College of Charleston. Appointment is for 11 months each year. Salary is negotiable and is commensurate with experience and academic rank. Approximately one-half of the work effort will be devoted to administration and one-half to teaching and research. Minimum qualifications include: (i) an earned Ph.D. in some area of marine biology, (ii) demonstrated scientific achievement as evidenced by publications and a successful record of externally funded research, and (iii) teaching experience in graduate and undergraduate programs. Preference will be given to candidates with prior administrative experience, particularly in a marine laboratory/university setting. Applicants should submit curriculum vitae, copies of recent reprints, and the names of three references to: Dr. James W. Smiley, Chairman, Department of Biology, College of Charleston, Charleston, S.C. 29424. Deadline for receipt of applications is 1 July 1985. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW IN BIOCHEMISTRY

Postdoctoral position available immediately to study the expression of oncogenes in premalignant and malignant tissue. Experiments employ recombinant DNA technology and immunological staining of fixed tissue. Experience in these areas highly desirable. Position will be offered for a 1- to 2-year period. Starting salary: \$18,000 to \$20,000, depending on experience. Submit curriculum vitae and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Kevin L. Dreher, Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, West Virginia University, Morgantown, W. Va. 26506. Application closing date: 30 July 1985. West Virginia University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity employer.

Accelerator Physics Head

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Brookhaven National Laboratory seeks a scientist to establish and to head an Accelerator Physics Branch within High Energy Facilities. The successful candidate will be responsible for building an organization from a nucleus of accelerator physicists now on the staff. The new Branch will provide a coherent framework for theoretical and experimental studies on questions of general and long-term importance to accelerator design, as well as for answers to specific problems relating to the design of the Superconducting Super Collider (SSC), the Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider, the Alternating Gradient Synchrotron (AGS) Booster, the AGS Beam Stretcher, etc. The Head of the Accelerator Physics Branch will report to the Associate Director of High Energy Facilities.

Candidates should have a history of significant accomplishment in accelerator physics or related fields, and the demonstrated ability to organize and lead the work of experienced physicists, engineers, postdoctorals affiliated with the Accelerator Technology Fellows Program, and support staff. Applications and inquiries should be directed to: Ernest D. Courant, Chairman, Search Committee, Building 902A, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Associated Universities, Inc., Upton, Long Island, NY 11973. Equal opportunity employer m/f.



CLINICAL RESEARCH PHYSICIAN

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION. Microbial and molecular mechanisms of invertebrate settlement. Experience with HPLC and eukaryotic membrane receptors desirable. Multidisciplinary approach with R. M. Weiner and R. R. Colwell, Department of Microbiology. Submit curriculum vitae and names of three referees to: Dr. Dale B. Bonar, Department of Zoology, University of Maryland, College Park, Md. 20742. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Program in Mathematical Sciences Education

The National Research Council (NRC), the principal operating arm of the National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Engineering, and a nationally prominent non-profit, non-governmental institution located in Washington, DC, invites applications for the position of Executive Director of its prospective Board on Mathematical Sciences Education. The new Board will be a major resource of expertise and analysis of issues arising in the U.S. system of education in the mathematical sciences, with initial emphasis in precollege education. Through its activities the Board will serve as a forum where educators, school officials at the state and local level, the mathematics teaching profession, mathematics associations, and others may address issues of mutual responsibility.

The Executive Director will manage the Board as one of the major program units of the NRC. Responsibilities include providing advice directly to the Chairman of the NRC, program initiation, administration and review, financial oversight, and staff recruitment and supervision.

A Ph.D. or equivalent is desirable. Candidates should have a minimum of 10 to 15 years of experience relating broadly to U.S. resources, issues and programs in mathematical sciences education. Substantial leadership experience is required in program development, policy analysis, and the formulation of workable reform ideas. Familiarity with the activities of state and local government, education and science education programs, the relevant activities of national scientific and professional organizations, and contract and grant procedures as well as teaching experience in mathematics is desirable. Salary in \$60's.

Applicants should send a resumé to the Executive Officer, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20418. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

FACULTY POSITION

The Department of Biochemistry and Biophysics, University of California, Davis, invites applications for a full-time (11 months per year) ladder appointment as assistant professor of biochemistry and assistant biochemist in the Agricultural Experiment Station. A Ph.D. or equivalent degree is required in biochemistry or closely related field; postdoctoral experience of at least 2 years is preferred. Preference will be given to applications from individuals with demonstrated research competence in the general areas of molecular biology or cell and developmental biology. The principal teaching duties involve participation in graduate and undergraduate biochemistry courses, advising students, and guiding graduate students to advanced degrees in biochemistry. Applications must be received by 15 August 1985. Applicants should submit a résumé, undergraduate and graduate academic transcripts, copies of publications, outline of proposed research program, and the names and addresses of at least three referees to: Chair, Search Committee, Department of Biochemistry and Blophysics, University of California, Davis, California 95616.

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FACULTY POSITIONS IN PHYSIOLOGY

We are seeking applicants for tenure-track positions in the Department of Physiology of Meharry Medical College. In selecting candidates, we hope to complement an existing departmental strength in neuroscience and neuroendocrinology and to assign teaching responsibility for the cardiovascular sections of the medical and dental curricula. In addition to teaching and participation in the department's graduate training efforts, successful candidates will be expected to perform productive research and achieve extrainstitutional support. Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree (or equivalent) and postdoctoral experience. Send curriculum vitae, brief description of research interest, and names and addresses of three references to: Dr. James G. Townsel, Chairman, Department of Physiology, Meharry Medical College, 1005 D. B. Todd Boulevard, Nashville, Tenn. 37208. These positions are available 1 July 1985. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Department of Biology and the Rosenstiel Research Center of Brandeis University invite applications from MOLECULAR IMMUNOLOGISTS for a faculty position at the associate or full professor level. Applicants must have a strong record of independent research contributions in immunology that includes work in molecular genetics. Excellence in teaching is also expected. Send curriculum vitae, a short description of accomplished and planned research, and names of three references to: Dr. Alfred Nisonoff, Rosenstiel Center, Brandeis University, Waltham, Mass. 02254. Deadline for application is 1 August 1985. Brandeis University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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Duties include setting up of experiments involving biochemical analytical procedures, such as fluorometric and HPLC assays for monitoring of drugs and their metabolites in cells and body fluids. Interpretation of data and interaction within a multifaceted program.

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Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: A. Krishan, Ph.D., Comprehensive Cancer Center (D8-4), University of Miami School of Medicine, P.O. Box 016960, Miami, Florida 33101.

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HUMAN ANATOMIST/PHYSIOLOGIST. Assistant professor position starting August 1985. Teaching responsibilities will include lecture and laboratory instruction in human anatomy and human physiology or pathology in the School of Health Sciences. A doctoral degree and teaching experience in the above areas are essential. Send curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of three references to:

J. L. Callahan, Ph.D., Director School of Health Sciences 148 Lake Michigan Hall Grand Valley State College Allendale, Mich. 49401

Interviews will begin mid-June. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION IN DEVELOPMENTAL NEUROBIOLOGY AND NEUROTOXICOLOGY

An immediate opportunity for a postdoctoral research position is available in developmental neurobiology and neurotoxicology. The research includes development and differentiation of macroglial cell types, microglial cells and their reaction to injury. The laboratories are also engaged in the study of the effects of heavy metals on growth and development of the CNS. Backgrounds in immunology, immunocytochemistry isolation and characterization of proteins and biomembranes, cell cultures, and basic morphological techniques will be helpful. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Dr. Ben H. Chol, Division of Neuropathology, Department of Pathology, University of California, Irvine, Irvine, California 92717. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Deadline: 24 June 1985.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in natural product chemistry/phytochemistry to work on isolation and identification of plant chemicals involved in host selection by insects. Applicants should be experienced in all chromatographic and spectroscopic techniques. Mass spectrometry experience and interest in FAB desirable. Salary: \$19,000. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Alan Renwick, Boyce Thompson Institute at Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. 14853.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to participate in ongoing studies on the molecular biology of cytomegaloviruses. Minimum qualifications are a Ph.D. in biochemistry, molecular biology, or microbiology. Experience in virology, genetics, protein or nucleic acid chemistry is desirable. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Mark F. Stinski, Department of Microbiology, University of Iowa School of Medicine, Iowa City, Iowa 52242.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION IN NEUROENDOCRINOLOGY

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POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION, available after 1 October. Cell biology—physiology—biochemistry laboratory studying isolated cardiac membrane channel proteins seeks immunologist for immunofluorescence and immunoelectron microscopic investigations. Applicant should have doctorate and experience with poly- and monoclonal antibody techniques. Send curriculum vitae, description of research interests, and references to: Dr. Ernest Page, Department of Medicine, BH Box 137, The University of Chicago, 5841 South Maryland Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60637. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS (Ph.D. or M.D.) available in developmental genetics and molecular biology. Candidates must be U.S. citizens. Send résumé and names of three references to: Dr. Dorothea Bennett, Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research, 1275 York Avenue, New York, N.Y., 10021

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Children's Hospital—Harvard Medical School. POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH on the isolation and purification of an inhibitor of tumor neovascularization derived from cartilage. The research may also involve the development of biological assays. Background in biochemistry, biology, or chemistry desirable. Send résumé to: Dr. Robert Langer, Children's Hospital, Department of Surgery, 300 Longwood Avenue, Boston, Mass. 02115.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in immunology. Available 1 July 1985 for Ph.D. to study structure/function of B cell surface molecules. Early events in activation of immunodeficient versus normal B cells. Prefer experience with cellular immunologic and/or immunochemical techniques. Please send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Dr. Edward Clark, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, SC-42, University of Washington, Seattle, Wash. 98195. The University of Washington is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH, PLANT MOLEC-ULAR BIOLOGY. Postdoctoral positions in regulation of gene expression in higher plants. Send curriculum vitae and three letters to:

Dr. Thomas W. Okita Institute of Biological Chemistry Washington State University Pullman, Wash. 99164-6340

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Commission on Engineering and Technical Systems

The National Research Council (NRC), the principal operating arm of the National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Engineering, a nationally prominent non-profit, non-governmental institution located in Washington, DC, invites applications for the position of Executive Director of the Commission on Engineering and Technical Systems. The Commission is a major resource of expertise and analysis of issues and problems arising in engineering and technical systems. The Commission's activities include twelve major boards that carry out studies spanning: engineering manpower; manufacturing technology; advanced science and technology in such important areas as materials; natural hazards engineering, hazards prediction and reduction; building research; marine engineering, energy engineering aeronautics research and development; and space engineering, among others.

The Executive Director manages the Commission as one of eight major program units of the NRC. Responsibilities include providing advice to the Chairman of the NRC, program initiation, administration and review, development of funding and budgets, and supervision of staff.

A Ph.D. or equivalent is desirable with a broad background in engineering and the physical sciences. Candidates should have a minimum of 10 to 15 years of experience relating broadly to national engineering. Substantial leadership experience is required in program development, policy analysis, and policy formulation supervision of projects, staff and quality of reports and advice from the work of the Commission. Familiarity with activities of government research and development agencies, and contract and grant procedures and with industry and institutions of higher education is essential.

Applicants should send resumé to Executive Officer, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20418.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately for 2 years to work on neurotoxins which affect retinal dopaminergic neurons and their mechanisms of action. The project requires extensive HPLC with electrochemical detection of catecholamines and indoleamines with enzyme assays utilizing UV or fluorescence spectroscopy. Recent Ph.D. with experience in HPLC/EC strongly preferred. Curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. C. G. Wong, University of Southern California School of Medicine, Department of Ophthalmology, 1355 San Pablo Street, Los Angeles, Calif. 90033. Telephone: 213-224-7918.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION—Available for recent Ph.D. in microbiology or biochemistry. Studies of bacterial cell walls, cell surface, and secreted polymers. Program involves use of microbiological, biochemical, genetic, and immunological (monoclonal antibody) techniques. Ability to work independently is important. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: G. D. Shockman, Ph.D., Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Temple University Medical School, 3400 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19140. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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- demonstrated research ability (Ph.D. Veterinary Pathology preferred)
- 4) excellent oral and written communicative skills

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