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gravity environment the Space Station offers. This weightless condition will allow for months of uninterrupted, three-dimensional cellular growth.

We can't, of course, predict that the Space Station will produce a cure for cancer.

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SUCCESSFUL SYSTEMS DESIGN REVIEW IS MAJOR MILESTONE.

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In late March, the Space Station Program Office completed a comprehensive design review of all Space Station systems.



By successfully completing the Systems Design Review, the Space Station team demonstrated that it was ready to move from design work to full-scale production of flight bardware.

Altogether, 200 managers and engineers representing 17 nations were in attendance. After the full-day review, the program managers reported that plans for the International Space Station are maturing rapidly, and the orbiting research facility is on track for assembly to begin in 1997, as scheduled.

By incorporating approximately 75 percent of the hardware that was in development for Space Station Freedom, NASA has been able to maintain the nation's investment-to-date, yet redesign the Space Station to be less expensive and more capable.

Since the transition from the Freedom program began last fall, more than 1,500 technical issues have been resolved. By the close of SDR, only 17 minor issues remained open. All of these issues are expected to be resolved by the end of June. The Space Station will orbit the Earth every 90 minutes. And its observation angle will cover 85% of the world. So astronauts will be able to view and record most volcanoes, storms, and environmental changes within minutes or bours of occurrence.

MEMBERS OF VEST COMMITTEE HIGHLY IMPRESSED WITH STATION PROGRESS.

Shortly after the conclusion of the Systems Design Review, 15 former members of the Vest Committee met in Houston for their own review of the Space Station's status.

Led by Dr. Charles Vest, President of MIT, the committee was created by the White House last year to make recommendations on the Station. In its June 1993 assessment, the panel was highly critical of the way the program was being handled.

But after the recent briefing, Vest said, "There has been an absolute sea change in the management and organization of this program." He went on to say, "I can state with confidence that the high-level conclusions were self-evident and overwhelmingly positive."

Another former member, Professor Bradford Parkinson of Stanford, said, "The changes wrought by Dan Goldin and an outstanding new project management team have won us over. Given our original skepticism, this turnabout is quite remarkable." He also said, "I believe this project deserves to be strongly supported by the Administration."

We'll have more comments from former Vest Committee members in our next *Progress Report.*

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Nalgene Labware 1994 features more than 200 pages of product, pricing, and technical information. Nalge. 149.

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AVIAN BIOLOGIST, Waterfowl. University of California, Davis. ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, tenuretrack. Ph.D. in behavior, ecology, physiology, or related field required, postdoctoral experience preferred. Research, graduate education and courses on wild birds and waterfowl. Send curriculum vitae, statement of background/interests and 3 references to: Louis W. Botsford, Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Biology, University of California, Davis, CA 95616; before 30 June 1994. The University of California is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Application reviews will begin June 1, 1994, and continue until the position is filled. Candidates should submit curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research interest, selected reprints and the names of three professional references to: Dr. Pasko Rakic, Chair, Section of Neurobiology, Yale University School of Medicine, 333 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT 06510. Yale University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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ESCAGENETICS CORPORATION, a public San Francisco Bay Area biotech company, has formed a joint venture to commercially propagate date palms in Saudi Arabia, using ESCAgenetics' proprietary technology. This exciting, highly profitable enterprise joins state-of-the-art science and technology with a sound business plan. **Two** challenging key positions are **immediately available** for senior scientists experienced in plant tissue culture and micropropagation. The positions will be based in San Carlos, California, and will require stays in Saudi Arabia of approximately six months per year.

Responsibilities will include managing on-site operations of a new state-of-the-art micropropagation facility in Saudi Arabia, training lab personnel in all phases of micropropagation and acclimatization of plants, planning production schedules and attaining production goals, and troubleshooting of equipment.

These openings require an M.S. or Ph.D. in Plant Tissue Culture, Horticulture, Micropropagation, or Plant Physiology and five years' professional experience. Management experience in a commercial tissue culture propagation/greenhouse production operation is highly desirable. (Experience with date palms is **not** required.) Additional requirements include supervisory skills, and the ability to diagnose and troubleshoot problems with plants, lab equipment and operations. Foreign work experience is desirable. **Cultural adaptability and a** "can do" attitude are a must. The ability to live in Saudi Arabia and to work effectively as a professional with the scientific and business community in Saudi Arabia, as well as in the U.S., is essential.

A very attractive compensation package will be offered including competitive base salary, relocation, full benefits, stock option and other incentives. **Qualified candidates should apply immediately by mail or fax.** Please send your resume, letter of application including possible start date if hired, and three references to: C. Eldridge, Human Resources, ESCAgenetics Corporation, 830 Bransten Road, San Carlos, CA 94070; FAX (415) 595-4332. EOE Pioneer Hi-Bred International. Inc.

Regulatory Affairs Manager

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Please send a letter of application, your resume and names of references to:

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP AQUATIC ECOTOXICOLOGIST

Oklahoma State University, Zoology Dept., Water Quality Research Lab seeks applicants for a postdoctoral position in aquatic ecotoxicology. Applicants should have expertise and interest in an ecological risk based approach to evaluation of water quality. Specifically we are evaluating the effects of oil refinery wastewater discharges, sediment leachates, and leachates from contaminated soils upon aquatic organisms. Applicants with research experience in aquatic ecotoxicology, aquatic ecology, ecological risk assessment, and/or aquatic chemistry will be considered preferentially. Some "hands-on" experience with acute and partialchronic toxicity test procedures with fathead minnows, daphnids, Microtox© and/or other aquatic organisms is expected. Some experience with chromatographic and atomic absorption analyses of trace contaminants is desirable.

This is a two year position with an August 1, 1994 start date. Applications accepted until the position is filled. Recent graduates that have not received their diplomas yet, may submit a letter from the graduating institution indicating all the requirements for the Ph.D. degree have been completed prior to accepting the appointment.

Submit curriculum vitae, copies of recent publications and/or a summary of research interests, and three letters of recommendation to Dr. S.L. Burks, Oklahoma State University, Zoology Department, Water Quality Research Lab, LSW 427, Stillwater, OK 74078-0459. Oklahoma State University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V.

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PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE IN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY OF THE HEART AND LUNG

Special Postdoctoral Positions

The University of Cincinnati Program of Excellence in Molecular Biology of the Heart and Lung, funded by the National heart, Lung and Blood Institute of NIH, has as a goal the application of molecular genetic approaches to study heart and lung function. Postdoctorals work closely with the sponsor in initial years but are encouraged to develop a research program separate from that of the sponsor and apply for independent funding during the final year.

The Program is open to Ph.D.s or M.D.s with training in molecular genetics who wish to apply their skills to significant problems of heart or lung or to individuals with strong backgrounds in heart and lung who wish to develop molecular genetic tools for continued study of these problems. We are particularly interested in recruiting minorities to the Program. Stipends begin at \$30,000 per year with benefits. The faculty and their interests are described below.

Jerry B Lingrel

Na,K-ATPase gene regulation and structure-function studies including identification of the cardiac glycoside binding site using site specific mutagenesis

> Jeffrey Whitsett Characterization of lung surfactant proteins and genes

Winston Kao Collagen gene expression in the heart and lung

Gary Shull Structure-function relationships and genetic regulation of ion-transport proteins of heart and lung

Jeffrey Robbins Targeted modification of the cardiac contractile proteins and growth and developmental control of cardiac muscle

Steven Potter

Manipulating genes important in heart and lung development by insertional mutagenesis and targeted modification in ES cells

Arnold Schwartz

Molecular structure, function and regulation of ion channel proteins (heart, brain, vascular smooth muscle) and gene regulation; molecular identification of receptors for calcium antagonists

> Judith Harmony Role of apolipoproteins in heart and lung development and in resistance to disease

Thomas Doetschman Role of growth and differentiation factors in the development and function of heart and lung using targeted gene modification in the

> mouse Anil Menon The genetics of human cardiovascular disease

Stephen Liggett Molecular biology and pharmacology of adrenergic receptors

Applicants should submit a C.V. and the names of three references to Jerry B Lingrel, Ph.D., Director, Program of Excellence in Molecular Biology, Department of Molecular Genetics, Biochemistry and Microbiology, University of Cincinnati College of Medicine, Cincinnati, Ohio 45267-0524.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

Available June 1, 1994, at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. Project involves investigating the interaction of retroviruses with cells and host organisms, especially the effect of primate immunosuppressive lentiviruses on the developing immune system. Predoctoral experience in virology and/or immunology essential. Send curriculum vitae and names of 3 references to: Attention: Dr. Ruth M. Ruprecht, Chief, Laboratory of Viral Pathogenesis, Dana–Farber Cancer Institute, 44 Binney Street, Boston, MA 02115. Dana–Farber Cancer Institute is an affiliate of Harvard Medical School; Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available June/July 1994 for study of the regulation of expression of human PRPP synthetase genes. Projects will focus on the structure and activity of promoter regions and on cis- and trans-acting elements influencing transcription of this gene family. Experience in recombinant DNA techniques and protein biochemistry is desirable. Send curriculum vitae and two letters of reference to: Dr. Michael Becker, MC0930, The University of Chicago Medical Center, 5841 South Maryland Avenue, Chicago, IL 60637. FAX: 312/702-3467. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Available July 1994 or January 1995 to develop and utilize new laboratory approaches to generate molecular markers in the study of ecological or evolutionary genetis. Preference will be given to candidates who combine exceptionally strong laboratory skills in molecular genet-ics (e.g., nuances of PCR, micro-satellites, DNA fingerprinting, RFLP analyses) with interests in ecology, evo-lution, or population genetics. Send curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research interests, selected reprints, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. John C. Avise, Postdoctoral Position, Department of Genet-ics, University of Georgia, Athens, GA 30602-7223 Applications will be considered as received, but the final application deadline is November 15, 1994. The University of Georgia is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS: Position available to study vascular smooth muscle cell growth regu-lation in *in vitro* and *in vivo* models. Second position available to study leukocyte/osteoclast differentiation and activation, and involvement of reactive oxygen in inflammation and bone resorption. Knowledge of cellular/ mation and bone resorption. Knowledge of centual/ molecular techniques required. Please send curriculum vitae and 3 references to: Dr. Morris J. Karnovsky, Department of Pathology, Harvard Medical School, 200 Longwood Avenue, Boston, MA 02115.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION beginning sum-mer/fall 1994 to study the role of parathyroid hormone-related peptide (PTHrP) in development and cancer. related peptide (P1HrP) in development and cancer. Current interests include breast, bone, CNS and skin development and regulation of PTHrP gene expression by tumor suppressor genes in models of multistage transformation. Ph.D. with experience in cellular, molec-ular and/or developmental biology required, and U.S. citizenship or permanent residency preferred. Send curricu-lum vitae, statement of research interests and names of three references to: Arthur E. Broadus, M.D., Ph.D., Budocrine Section Department of Medicine Vale Endocrine Section, Department of Medicine, Yale University, 333 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT 06520-8020. FAX: 203-785-6015. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the structure, modification, and regulation of noncollag-enous bone proteins and their function in bone formation and metabolism. Proteins to be studied include the vitamin K-dependent matrix Gla protein and bone Gla protein. Send résumé and 3 references to: Dr. Paul Price, Department of Biology, University of Califor-nia, San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92093–0322. FAX: 619-534-1492.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available immediately at the Southern Alberta Cancer Research Cen-tre for MOLECULAR BIOLOGISTS interested in studying signal transduction mechanisms in yeast or mammalian cells, with emphasis on Ras signalling path-ways. Send curriculum vitae with letters of recommendation or names and telephone numbers of references to: Dr. Dallan Young, Southern Alberta Cancer Re-search Centre, University of Calgary Health Sciences Centre, Calgary, Alberta, CANADA T2N 4N1. FAX: 403-283-8727.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

Woods Hole Research Center seeks scientist for re-search/education program in rural development in Bra-zilian Amazon, dealing with communities of forest resi-

dents and sustainable development. Required: Ph.D. in tropical resource management, rural economics, or related, minimum 3 years of experi-ence in Third World region, fluent Portuguese. Live in Brazilian Amazon 10 months of year.

Deadline: June 3, 1994. Salary on experience. Send letter, résumé, list of publications, list of 3 references to: Amazon Search, Woods Hole Research Center, Box 296, Woods Hole, MA 02543. We acknowledge. Smoke-free. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

Three positions are available for: (i) computational studies of protein-metal ion interactions; (ii) analytical studies of site-specific binding thermodynamics; (iii) site-directed mutagenesis studies of thrombin. Send cur-riculum vitae and 3 letters of reference to: **Dr. Enrico Di** Biophysics, Washington University School of Medi-cine, Box 8231, St. Louis, MO 63110. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION—Lyme Disease: Project to study immunological aspects of the disease and to develop an assay for disease activity. Competence in basic immunologic techniques including immunoblot-ting, immune complex determinations and column chroting, immune complex determinations and column chro-matography required. Send curriculum vitae to: Eileen Hilton, M.D., Long Island Jewish Medical Center, 270-05 76th Avenue, Room FP333, New Hyde Park, NY 11042. LIJ is the Long Island Campus for the Albert Einstein College of Medicine. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

Immediately available (1) to conduct research on molecular marker analysis of cereal crops (2) to partici-pate in genetic and physical mapping of the soybean mosaic virus resistance gene, and (3) to use molecular markers in population and evolutionary genetic studies in barley. Please send résumé to: M. A. Saghai Maroof, Department of Crop and Soil Environmental Sciences, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, VA 24061. FAX: 703/231-3431. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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Fellowships are available, supported by an Institutional National Research Service Award (NIH), in the area of Lipid/Lipoprotein Metabolism and Cardiovascular Disease. Research topics include regulation of hepatic proease. Research topics include regulation of hepatic pro-duction and secretion of lipoproteins; hormonal regula-tion of lipoprotein gene expression and apoB mRNA editing; regulation of fatty acid oxidation and carnitine palmitoyltransferase; regulation of cholesterogenesis; phosphoinositides and calcium in trans-membrane sig-nalling; signalling mechanisms in the cardiac actions of epidermal growth factor; metabolic aspects of lipid absorption; autonomic mechanisms and vasoactive peptides in arachidonic acid and prostaglandin metabolism; reg-ulation of lipoprotein-lipase; mechanisms of reverse cholesterol transport, and regulation of lipolysis in adipo-cytes. First year stipend minimum is \$21,000. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Please send must ve O.S. citizens or permanent restaents. Please send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Mur-ray Heimberg, Ph.D., M.D., The University of Ten-nessee, Memphis, The Health Science Center, Mem-phis, TN 38163. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. The University of Tennessee, Memphis is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Title IX/Section 504/Affirmative Action Employment Action Employer.

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HORN POINT POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

The Horn Point Environmental Laboratory (HPEL) of the University of Maryland Center for Environmental and Estuarine Studies invites applications for a Postdoctoral Fellowship. Deadline 1 August 1994. This is a two-year appointment starting on or about October 1, 1994. The successful candidate will be expected to conduct research in collaboration with a member(s) of the HPEL faculty. General areas of research include coastal oceanography, estuarine ecology, plankton dynamics, invertebrate ecoloestuarine ecology, plankton dynamics, invertebrate ecolo-gy, geochemistry, algal physiology, aquaculture, and sea-food science. Applications, including a letter outlining research interests and directions, a résumé, and a list of four references, should be sent to: Chairman, Postdoc-toral Fellowship Committee, HPEL, P.O. Box 775, Cambridge, MD 21613. UMS is an Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Postdoctoral positions are available to study transcriptional regulation of neuronal differentiation and the cellular and molecular mechanisms of growth cone func-tion. Candidates should have a Ph.D., M.D. or equivation. Candidates should have a Ph.D., M.D. or equiva-lent degree and experience in cellular biology, molecular genetics or amphibian development. Please submit cur-riculum vitae, list of publications and two letters of recommendation to: Dr. M. X. Zuber, Program of Neuronal Growth and Development, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO 80523. The Program of Neuronal Growth and Development at CSU brings to gether an interactive group of internationally renowned scientists in a beautiful environment by the Bocky Mounscientists in a beautiful environment by the Rocky Mountains. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Émployer. Equal Opportunity Office—21 Spruce Hall.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP available immediately to work with a research group directed by Dr. **Donald Gilden** using cDNA expression libraries to study neurologic disease. Candidate should be experienced in cloning, expression, and transcript analysis. Sequencing experience desirable, but not required. Can-didate must be eligible for NIH-funded training. Submit curriculum vitae and letters of reference to: Dr. Donald Gilden, Professor and Chair, bi reference to Dr. Donard Gogy, University of Colorado School of Medicine, 4200 East 9th Avenue, Denver, CO 80262. The University of Colorado is committed to Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action.

Helmut Horten Foundation



Madonna del Piano, May 1994

Nominations for the Helmut Horten Research Award 1995

The Helmut Horten Research Award will be presented on September 29, 1995, in Lugano.

The Helmut Horten Foundation will award a scientist, or a group of scientists working on a common project, the Helmut Horten Research Award which totals one million Swiss francs (approximately US\$ 700.000.–). This amount includes a sum to be given to the laureate for his discretionary use and funds to support his research in the field of basic, clinical or applied sciences. The Award will be granted every other year on a worldwide basis.

The Award honours achievements and encourages research in the fields of medicine and biology to benefit human health. Such achievements could include seminal scientific contributions to the basic biomedical sciences, epidemiology, parasitology or to disease eradication efforts.

The Award winner will be selected by a committee of internationally prominent scientists.

Readers are invited to assist in nominating candidates for the Helmut Horten Research Award.

Please note:

- Nominees should be proposed by scientists, physicians or institutions having detailed knowledge of the candidate's research.
- 2. Nominations submitted by candidates themselves cannot be considered.
- Nominations must be made on the official form. For additional information please contact: The Secretary of the Selection Committee Helmut Horten Foundation CH-6995 Madonna del Piano Switzerland
- Nominations must be sent by September 2, 1994.

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A second position exists in this group for a BS/MS candidate with 5 years' related experience. **Job Code: 94-C570-S**

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PhD Staff Scientist (1) With 3-5 years of postdoctoral experience in immunology and molecular biology with a strong interest in cytokines and cytokine receptor signalling. Job Code: 94-C503-S

BS/MS Associate Scientists (2) Openings are available for Associate Scientists who possess the skill sets mentioned above for the Staff Scientists. Job Code: 94-C507-S/94-C598-S

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Research Staff This individual will be in charge of in-house animal models of musculoskeletal diseases, running existing animal models, participating in analysis of results, and developing new models to test agents by Discovery Research. Knowledge of animal physiology and anatomy; animal experience; molecularbiology and biochemistry experience; and excellent management/organizational skills are required. An understanding of scientific experimental design needed; surgery experience desired, but not required. Previous experience with models of cartilage repair and osteoarthritis is a plus. DVM or PhD preferred. Job code: 94-C508-S

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

Microbial Fermentation This research effort involves the development of fermentation processes that maximize the cellular and volumetric productivity of bacteria capable of producing proteins of pharmaceutical interest. An opportunity exists for a microbial physiologist who utilizes knowledge of regulation of energy-yielding pathyways, protein chemistry and molecular genetics to enhance the production of recombinant proteins in Escherichia coli. Demonstrated proficiency in modern molecular biology is essential. Job code: 94-A026-S

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The required Faculty Application form and a complete set of unofficial copies of transcripts which show degree(s) conferred MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE DISTRICT EMPLOYMENT OF-FICE and clocked in by 5:00 p.m. on June 21, 1994. A detailed resume is highly recommended but WILL NOT be considered in lieu of the required application form. Minimum academic requirements and required application forms are available from:

MARICOPA COMMUNITY COLLEGES Employment Office Mon-Thurs, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Phone: (602) 731-8465

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STOCKHOLM UNIVERSITY

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Full Professor of Inorganic Chemistry with emphasis on Solid State Chemistry

after the retirement of the present holder, Lars Kihlborg, The position is located within the Department of Inorganic, Physical and Structural Chemistry in the Arrhenius Laboratory. It involves responsibility for the whole field of inorganic chemistry at the undergraduate level while the research and graduate study program should be devoted to solid state chemistry.

Stockholm University is the major university in the capital of Sweden. The city of Stockholm has 1.5 million inhabitants, suburban areas included, and is a major cultural and scientific centre. It enjoys a unique location on the edge of an archipelago of over ten thousand islands.

Applications should be received by 10 June, 1994, at the Registrar, Stockholm University, S-10691 STOCK-HOLM, Sweden. Please quote the reference number 611-0946/94.

The following items should be included (all in four copies): 1. Curriculum vitae, including a list of scientific publications; 2. Brief description of scientific achievements as well as teaching and administrative experience, with indications of the most important points (5-10) pages; 3. Copies of certificates and other documents to be considered; 4. All scientific publications (numbered as in the bibliography). Item 1 should reach the University by 10 June, 1994. Items 2-3 and one copy of item 4 should be received by 1 July, 1994. The three additional copies of item 4 are to be sent at a later date directly to the expert members of the search committee.

Informal inquires can be made to the Dean of the Chemistry Faculty, professor Jozef Kowalewski, phone: +46-8-162376, fax: +46-8-152187, e-mail: JK@PHYSC.SU.SE.

Australia Prize

The Australia Prize is an international award given by the Australian Government for outstanding achievement in a selected area of science and technology promoting human welfare. The Prize is \$300,000 together with an inscribed medal.

The winner of the 1994 Australia Prize in the field of Sustainable Land Management is Professor Gene E Likens. Professor Likens is the Director of the Institute of Ecosystem Studies at Millbrook, New York.

His groundbreaking work over the past 30 years promoted an holistic understanding of ecosystems and helped lay the foundations of modern ecological science.





Professor Gene E Likens, the 1994 Australia Prize winner

The 1995 Australia Prize will be awarded in the field of Remote Sensing. This area of science involves the use of sophisticated airborne or satellite equipment to monitor the earth's characteristics and resources.

Nominations for the 1995 Prize are now being accepted and will close on 31 July 1994. Conditions of award and nomination information can be obtained from:

AUSTRALIA PRIZE SECRETARIAT GPO BOX 9839, CANBERRA ACT 2601 AUSTRALIA Phone 61 6 276 2463, Fax 61 6 276 2188

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

INTERNATIONAL AGENCY FOR RESEARCH ON CANCER



IARC has an opening in its laboratories in Lyons, France for a scientist with a strong internationally competitive research programme in

Molecular Carcinogenesis

The successful applicant should have a degree in veterinary medicine, as well as extensive experience in laboratory animal studies, particularly in the field of experimental tumour induction and molecular pathology. Technical expertise should include the assessment of gene expression and the identification of mutations in transformation-associated genes in histological samples. Experience with the generation and genetic typing of transgenic mice would be an asset.

The incumbent will be expected to head a research Unit, focusing on molecular tumour pathology and to attract external research funds. Responsibilities will include the supervision of the Agency's experimental animal facilities and of the histopathology laboratory. He/she will have to interact with other IARC scientific Unites and with outside colleagues. Previous experience in collaboration at international level would be highly desirable.

The initial appointment will be for two years, the first being probationary, and is renewable.

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Those interested should write, enclosing a curriculum vitae, to:

Personnel Office

IARC 150, Cours Albert Thomas 69372 Lyon cedex 08, France Fax No.: (33) 72.73.85.75

Applications from women are encouraged

The Queen's University of Belfast

LECTURESHIPS

School of Biology and Biochemistry

Two lectureships are tenable from 1 June 1994 or such other date(s) as may be agreed, to contribute to undergraduate and postgraduate teaching at various levels, including school-based courses in the Institute of Continuing Education and to supervise BSc honours, MSc and PhD research projects. The lecturers will be expected to maintain active research programmes supported by external funding and to develop collaborative research links where appropriate.

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Applicants must have an appropriate primary degree, a PhD or equivalent in a biological subject with a strong research record in marine biology, preferably in marine ecology. The appointee will be expected to contribute to a broad range of marine, environmental and organismic courses and to assist with residential field courses during the Easter vacation and in September for which appropriate experience is essential.

BIOCHEMISTRY/MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Applicants must have an appropriate primary degree, a PhD or equivalent in a biological/chemical subject and have a strong independent research record related or complementary to one of the main areas of interest in the school. At present these include molecular aspects of RNA viruses, DNA photochemistry, peptide hormones and proteases, breast and ovarian cancer, immunodiagnostics, microbial physiology and biotransformations, molecular parasitology and plant science.

Salary scale: Lecturer Grade A: £13,602 - £18,855 (minimum at age 27: £15,186) with eligibility for USS. Assistance with relocation as appropriate. Informal enquiries of an academic nature may be directed to Professor S.J. Martin, Director, School of Biology and Biochemistry, telephone (0232) 335786.

Further particulars are available from the Personnel Officer, The Personnel Department, The Queen's University of Belfast, BT7 1NN (telephone (0232) 245133 ext. 3044/3246 or FAX (0232) 324944/310629). Closing date: 10 June 1994.

Committed to an Equal Opportunities policy and selection on merit, the University welcomes applications from all sections of the community. Under its affirmative action programme it particularly welcomes applications from women for academic posts. It reserves the right to interview only those applicants who appear, from the information available, to be the most suitable in terms of experience, qualifications and other requirements of the post advertised.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS IN PLANT SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION Waksman Institute, Rutgers University

A postdoctoral research position is available immediately to study, at the biochemical, molecular and genetic levels, signal transduction during induction of disease resistance to viral infections of tobacco and *Arabidopsis*. Particular emphasis is being placed on defining the salicylic acid signal transduction pathway(s) (*Plant Cell* 4:359, 1992; *Plant J.* 2:643, 1992; *Plant J.* 4:593, 1993) and characterization of the salicylic acid receptor (*PNAS* 90:9533, 1993; *Science*, 262:1883, 1993).

Applicants should have research experience in protein purification/enzymology or genetics. Send curriculum vitae and a cover letter detailing experience and have sent three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Daniel Klessig, Waksman Institute, Rutgers University, P.O. Box 759, Piscataway, NJ 08855.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP available immediately to investigate the effects of alcohol on hepatocyte pathology, fibrogenesis, and liver-specific gene regulation. Applicants should have an M.D. or Ph.D. degree, and be citizens or permanent residents of the United States. Please send curriculum vitae and the names and telephone numbers of three references to: Dr. Esteban Mezey, Professor of Medicine, 921 Ross Research Building, The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine, 720 Rutland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21205.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

Position available for an M.D. or Ph.D. to study the pathogenesis of virus-induced demyelination as a model of multiple sclerosis. Research projects involve investigations of the immunopathogenesis of Theiler's virus infection and the role of Class I and Class II-MHC-restricted immune responses. Related studies utilize the generation of transgenic mice. A good background in immunology, virology or molecular biology is desirable. Send curriculum vitae to: Moses Rodriguez, M.D., Department of Immunology, Mayo Clinic, Guggenheim 4th Floor, Rochester, MN 55905. Mayo Foundation is an Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

Position available for an M.D. or Ph.D. to study promotion of remyelination in the central nervous system. Research projects involve investigations of the immunopathogenesis of virus-induced demyelination as a model for multiple sclerosis. Related studies utilize the characterization of monoclonal antibodies that promote remyelination. A good background in glial biology, immunology, or molecular biology is desired. Send curriculum vitae to: Moses Rodriguez, M.D., Department of Immunology, Mayo Clinic, Guggenheim 4th Floor, Rochester, MN 55905. Mayo Foundation is an Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS, molecular genetics and expression of human genes related to lysosomal and skeletal disorders. Studies include site-directed mutagenesis, developmental gene expression of lysosomal and collagen/extracellular matrix genes. Strong background in gene transfer, molecular biologic techniques, protein biochemistry and/or bone cell biology. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Gregory A. Grabowski, M.D., Director, Division of Human Genetics, Children's Hospital Research Foundation, 3333 Burnet Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45229.

POSTDOCTORAL/ ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST

Position available to study molecular aspects of radioresistance and radiation-induced changes in cell cycle progression in yeast and mammalian systems. Candidate should have a Ph.D. in molecular biology or a related field. Experience with recombinant DNA and yeast preferred but not essential. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Howard B. Lieberman, Center for Radiation Research, Columbia University College of Physiology and Surgery, 630 West 168 Street, New York, NY 10032. We are an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

The Molecular Hematology Section of the Department of Hematology at the University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center is offering a **POSTDOCTOR**. **AL FELLOWSHIP** in genetic therapy of human disease using retroviral mediated genetic modification of marrow cells and bone marrow transplantation for the therapy of single gene and multiple gene defects. The fellowship is for three years and will involve vector construction, design of vector transcription units, animal models for *in vivo* selection of genetically modified cells, and evaluation of the phenotype of genetically modified cells. Please write to: Albert Deisseroth, M.D., Ph.D. at **1515** Holcombe Boulevard, Box 24, Houston, TX 77030. FAX: (713) 794-4902; Telephone: (713) 792-8750.

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

The Department of Pharmacognosy at the University of Mississippi is seeking a Postdoctoral Research Associate. Primary responsibilities include investigation of the mechanisms of action of new antifungal compounds, and the development of new *in vitro* biological assays to detect novel antifungal agents. Qualifications include: Ph.D. in Biochemistry, Molecular/Cellular Biology, Microbiology or other related discipline and experience in enzyme purification and characterization, subcellular fractionation techniques, and microbiological techniques. Experience in determination of mechanism of action of antimicrobial agents and bioaffinity chromatography is strongly preferred. Salary is competitive and based on qualifications and experience. Application deadline: June 1, 1994, or until filled. Start date will be July 1, 1994. Candidates should send curriculum vitae, representative reprints, as well as the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to: Administrative Manager, School of Pharmacy Business Office, 206W Faser Hall, University of Mississippi is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/Americans with Disabilities Act Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL/RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

We seek an outstanding individual to participate in research projects aimed at elucidating the molecular mechanisms involved in the development and progression of human prostate malignancy. Specific areas of research include identification of tumor supressor loci, the regulation of Y chromosome encoded genes, and defining the gene expression events associated with prostate cancer progression. Qualified candidates should have a Ph.D. with experience in molecular biology or human molecular genetics. An interest in human prostate cancer and human cancer genetics is essential. Salary is commensurate with level of experience. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae and statement of research interests to: James V. Tricoli, Ph.D., c/o M. Sharp, Human Resources Department, Fox Chase Cancer Center, 7701 Burholme Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL/RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

A position is available to study the electrogenic Na/H exchanger (NHE) in invertebrates using molecular biology. Regulation of NHE mRNA and protein expression and molecular structure-function relationships will be pursued during summer months at Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory, Salsbury Cove, Maine, and during the academic year at Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois. Opportunity to collaborate with energetic undergraduate researchers. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. David W. Towle, Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory, Salsbury Cove, ME 04672. FAX: 207-288-2130.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE/POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the biochemical-molecular basis of DNA repair and mutation in mammalian cells using various repair deficient mutants. Applicants should have a strong background in biochemistry and molecular biology. We are located in the suburbs just outside of Philadelphia in a newly constructed research center equipped to support state-of-the-art biomedical research. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Thomas D. Stamato, Ph.D., The Lankenau Medical Research Center, 100 Lancaster Avenue, Wynnewood, PA 19096; or call (610) 645-2888. *Equal Opportunity Employer*.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL ASSOCIATE. Position available for research on structure-function and catalytic mechanism of carbonic anhydrases and superoxide dismutases. Our approach uses kinetic methods and magnetic resonance on site-directed mutants. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. David N. Silverman, Box 100267 Health Center, University of Florida College of Medicine, Gainesville, FL 32610–0267. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

Position available immediately for a recent Ph.D. in Cell Biology or Immunology to study tumor immunology and host leukocyte function. Experience in Western blot analysis, electron microscopy, cell culture, immunogold labeling, or leukocyte chemotaxis preferred. Very competitive salary and benefits. Send curriculum vitae and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to: Box 49, Science Classified Advertising, 1333 H Street, N.W., Room 814, Washington, DC 20005.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE POSITION IN SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION

Study the structure and function of GTP binding proteins and mechanisms of interaction with receptors and effector enzymes in the laboratory of **Dr. Heidi Hamm**. The project involves biochemical, molecular and biophysical approaches to identification of G protein mechanisms. Ph.D. in Biochemistry required. Please send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: **Business Manager, Department of Physiology and Biophysics, M/C 901, University of Illinois College of Medicine, 901 South Wolcott, Chicago, IL 60612.** *An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.*

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

A search committee chaired by Judy Thomas, Ph.D., has been formed to fill a position in the Division of Surgical Immunology and Transplantation. We are seeking a person with an interest in endothelial cell biology, immunology and a molecular biology background. The primary laboratory interest is in the interactions of the endothelial cell in transplant rejection, both allograft and xenograft. Applicants must have a Master's degree or equivalent. A Ph.D. is preferable. There are 5 Ph.D.-level persons in the division, with whom the individual will interact. Please send curriculum vitae to: Dr. Carl Haisch, Division of Surgical Immunology and Transplantation, Department of Surgery, East Carolina University, 4S-10 Brody Building, Greenville, NC 27858. Federal law requires proper documentation of identity and employability prior to final consideration for this position. East Carolina is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND School of Medicine, Research Molecular Hematology/Oncology

Department of Pathology invites applicants for the position of **RESEARCH ASSOCIATE**. Three-year appointment supported by a grant to work dependently to study tyrosine kinase signalling in TNF production by glia and also to teach medical immunopathology. Individual with Ph.D. and excellent training, proficient experience in molecular biology of TNF, tyrosine kinase signalling and monoclonal antibody production and glia isolation is sought.

Please forward curriculum vitae to: Moon Shin, M.D., Professor, c/o Cathy Brown, Department of Pathology, University of Maryland at Baltimore, 10 South Pine Street, Baltimore, MD 21201.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

Research will focus on the regulation of mammalian collagenase activity by biochemical mechanisms and their role in tumor cell growth. Emphasis will be on mechanisms of zymogen activation at the cell surface. Candidate should have a Ph.D. degree in cell or molecular biology with experience in proteinase research and RNA/DNA-based techniques. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. Ralph A. Reisfeld, Department of Immunology, The Scripps Research Institute, 10666 North Torrey Pines Road, IMM13, La Jolla, CA 92037.

NEW OPPORTUNITIES IN NEURONAL CELL BIOLOGY

Wyeth Research (UK) is part of the R&D Division of the Wyeth-Ayerst organisation, a major international pharmaceutical company. Drug discovery activities in the UK are targeted on the CNS with 150 staff dedicated to research into psychiatric disorders.

The discovery research facility at the Taplow site comprises Chemistry, Neuropharmacology, Molecular Pharmacology and Molecular and Cell Biology. created within the Molecular and Cell Biology Department to establish permanent neuronal cell lines from both rodent and human sources and to define relevant cell phenotypes and responses in support of neuronal cell signalling programmes. The section will also initiate research programmes, in collaboration with other groups within the Company's global CNS effort, directed towards receptor mediated gene expression and/or cell death mechanisms.

A new Neuronal Cell Biology Section is being

THE OPPORTUNITIES

We are currently seeking to recruit the following for this new group:

SECTION LEADER

- an innovative enthusiastic scientist, with at least 8 years post-doctoral experience and an excellent record of research in neuronal cell biology is required to head up the section. A strong interest in neuronal cell signalling systems and/or mechanisms of neurodegeneration will be an advantage.

The Section Leader will be responsible for developing and integrating in house cell biology techniques in the drug discovery process at Wyeth Research (UK) and will therefore require highly developed communication skills and the ability to train others in the associated techniques.

RESEARCH SCIENTIST

- applications are invited from experienced graduates or recently qualified PhDs with practical experience of cell culture techniques, ideally applied to neuronal cells, and a strong interest in signal transduction mechanisms.

The group will initially comprise the Section Leader, three Research Scientists (BSc/MSc/PhD) and a post-doctoral scientist.

In addition to salaries commensurate with the requirements and status of these positions, our benefits package includes a subsidised Company Pension & Life Assurance Scheme, free Medical Insurance and assistance with relocation where appropriate.

To apply, please write with full career details, including current salary, to: Personnel Manager, Wyeth Research (UK), Huntercombe Lane South, Taplow, Nr. Maidenhead, Berkshire SL6 0PH. Telephone: 0628 604377 ext. 4278. Closing date: 17th June 1994.



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PROFESSOR and **CHAIRPERSON BIOCHEMISTRY &** MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

The UMDNJ - New Jersey Medical School invites nominations and applications for the position of Professor and Chairperson of the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. The successful candidate will have a nationally recognized record of achievement in research and a strong interest in the development of effective medical and graduate teaching programs. For further information or to apply please send your curriculum vitae to:

Harvey L. Ozer, M.D., Chairman Biochemistry & Molecular Biology Search Committee:

c/o Ms. Linda C. Reich UMDNJ- New Jersey Medical School Office of the Dean University Heights 185 South Orange Avenue, MSB-C 662

Newark, New Jersey 07103-2714.

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The Human Gene Therapy Research Institute at Iowa Methodist Medical Center, located in Des Moines, Iowa, has excellent full time opportunities for the following positions:

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This individual will develop and conduct an independent line of research resulting in novel regulated heterologous expression cassette designs and selective tissue tropism strategies for use in advanced recombinant adenovirus gene therapy vectors. These vectors will be applied to the treatment of solid tumors in humans. Qualifications include a Ph.D. in molecular cell biology and a minimum of two years post-doctoral training from a leading academic center. This individual must be expert in a variety of eukaryotic and prokaryotic molecular biologic methods including genomic cloning, mapping of tissue-specific enhancer elements, mapping of inducible promoter elements, complex tissue-specific transgene design, epithelial and neuroglial cell line transformation, and computational molecular biology.

RESEARCH TECHNOLOGIST

This individual will be responsible for the operation of the tissue culture and virus production activities of the BL3 Recombinant Adenovirus Facility. Additional tasks will include junior staff training, SOP development, active participation in the facilities planning process and various admin-istrative duties associated with performance as a senior technologist. Qualifications include 8 years of research technologist experience in industry or academia, with at least 5 years experience as a supervisor in tissue culture/virus production under BL3/GMP conditions. Experience in vaccine production and testing, immunohistochemistry, and basic molecular biological methods is desirable. Salary to commensurate with experience, excellent benefit package available. Submit resume to Human Resources, 1313 High St. Suite 111, Des Moines, IA, 50309; FAX# 515-241-8515.



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We seek five Ph.D.-level scientists who will be responsible for applying peptide and carbohydrate chemistry to develop technologies for enhancing the cell recognition, entry and processing of DNA expression vectors. Post-doctoral training and evidence of productivity in this area are required.

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We seek both a Ph.D.-level scientist and a fixed-term postdoctoral fellow with at least two years of experience, to work on vesicular trafficking and/or antigen processing. These scientists will determine the cell entry and trafficking of genes. One of the successful candidates will have experience in immunology and the other in the use of electron and confocal microscopy for studying cell trafficking.

Scientist: Pharmacokinetics-Pharmacodynamics

We seek a Ph.D.-level scientist with at least two years of post-Ph.D. experience in the development and application of pharmacokinetic models and the pharmacodynamics of recombinant proteins. Experience in a biotechnology company is desired. This person will be responsible for determining the PK/PD of administered genes and their gene products.

<u>Scientists: Mammalian DNA Expression Vectors and</u> <u>Immune-Cell-Specific Gene Regulation</u>

We seek two Ph.D.-level scientists with at least two years of molecular biology experience who will be responsible for identifying and defining promoters and enhancers that function in human lymphocytes and mononuclear cells.

Scientists: Drug-Controlled Gene Therapy

We seek two Ph.D.-level scientists having at least two years of molecular biology experience to be responsible for a collaborative program with Baylor College of Medicine to develop a gene switch for gene therapy that utilizes steroidresponsive elements and transactivating proteins to control the *in vivo* expression of administered genes.

Scientists: Pharmacology and Animal Models

We seek four Ph.D.-level scientists and one B.S./M.S.-level scientist, each with at least three years of experience, to be responsible for establishing animal models of inflammation, peripheral neuropathy and hemophilia. This group will also be responsible for the evaluation of the pharmacology of novel gene therapy systems.

<u>Histologist</u>

We seek a B.S.-level certified Histologist, Histologist Technician (HT) or a Histotechnologist (HTL), with at least two ycars of post-training molecular biology experience, to be responsible for preparing conventional fixed and frozen sections, performing histological tests (including *in situ* hybridization and histochemistry) and to further develop the Company's histology program.

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We seek a Ph.D.-level scientist with experience in biochemistry, molecular biology (specifically nucleic acid, oligonucleotide, protein or plasmid purification) or a related field, to develop novel methods for preparing and purifying plasmid DNA.

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RESEARCH POSITION in the Center for Coastal Studies, Scripps Institution of Oceanography.

Applications are invited from scientists and engineers for appointment in the Research Oceanographer series, at the assistant, associate, or full rank. Fields of interest include, but are not limited to, nearshore hydrodynamics, sediment transport in shallow nearshore waters, and coastal meteorology. At time of appointment, applicant must hold a Ph.D. degree in physical oceanography, coastal engineering, or a related science. Candidates must also demonstrate ability to conduct independent research of high quality in their field. This position will be extramurally funded at the Assistant rank. In this career track, SIO will provide base salary support of 25% on appointment/promotion to the Associate Research rank and 50% on appointment/promotion to the Full Research rank as a supplement to extramural support obtained by the scientist, subject to the availability of funds. Salary and position rank will be determined based on experience and qualifications and based on UC salary scales. Applications are encouraged from scientists with an interest in conducting observational work. The clos-ing date for this position is 30 September 1994. Send a detailed résumé including copies of recent publications, and names of five references to: Chairman, Research Series Search, 9500 Gilman Drive, CCS-0209, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA 92093-0209. UCSD is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

SCIENTIST—Research hematologist. To work on a challenging sample preparation project. Small, fast-moving company, planning to expand a project in automated cytometry, is looking for a multidisciplined scientist with at least five years of postdoctoral experience in two or more of the following fields: Microscopic Hematology, FISH, Density Gradients, Enzymology, Cytochemistry, Cytogenetics. A very focused project will lead to future opportunities for more independent product innovation. We offer competitive salaries and benefits. Send letter of interest and résumé to: Ruth White, Applied Imaging Corporation, 2380 Walsh Avenue, Building B, Santa Clara, CA 95051.

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The Department of Emergency Medicine, Carolinas Medical Center, is seeking to fill a position with a senior-level research scientist with a primary interest in cardiovascular physiology, pharmacology, or toxicology. Candidates must have a Ph.D., M.D., or both and have a distinguished record of publications and extramural funding. The candidate will be responsible for conducting an active research program and training postdoctoral fellows, residents, and medical students. Applicants should submit curriculum vitae and names, addresses and telephone numbers of three references to: Marsha Ford, M.D., Division of Medical Toxicology or Richard Raymond, Ph.D., Division of Research, Department of Emergency Medicine, Carolinas Medical Center, P.O. Box 32861, Charlotte, NC 28232–2861; Telephone: 704/355-3181.

VETERINARY PATHOLOGIST: The Oregon Regional Primate Research Center (ORPRC) has a core staff position for a Veterinary Pathologist at the AS-SISTANT or ASSOCIATE SCIENTIST level. Candidates must hold a D.V.M. or equivalent degree, be certified or eligible for certification by the American College of Veterinary Pathologists, and have experience with the pathology of nonhuman primates and other laboratory animals. Duties include responsibility for diagnostic pathology service, supervision of pathology and histology laboratories, interaction with the Center's research staff on matters pertaining to pathology, and participation in the Center's research mission. The development of an independent research program or participation in collaborative research is highly desirable. The research activities of the Center include: infectious diseases, neuroscience, and reproductive biology. Joint academic opportunities are available at the nearby Oregon Health Sciences University. Appointment level and salary are commensurate with qualifications. For consideration for this position, please submit a résumé, letter of nterest, and the names of three references to: Dr. Don P. Wolf, Chairman, Veterinary Pathologist Search Committee, Oregon Regional Primate Research Cen-ter, 505 NW 185th Avenue, Beaverton, OR 97006. Applications will be accepted through July 15, 1994, or until a suitable candidate is identified. The ORPRC is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

RESEARCH TECHNOLOGIST I MOLECULAR ONCOLOGY/ GYNECOLOGIC ONCOLOGY

Immediate opening for a Research Technologist I in the Molecular Oncology Laboratory at the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Potential candidates must have B.S. or M.S. degree in biology/biochemistry or chemistry, and have practical knowledge of protein electrophoresis and Western blotting. Experience with monoclonal antibody labeling with radioactive ligands, cancer cell fractionation, cell culture, and tumor growth in nude mice is highly desirable. Salary negotiable, depending on qualifications. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae with letters of reference to: Dr. Ewa Rakowicz-Szulczynska; Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology; UNI-VERSITY of NEBRASKA MEDICAL CENTER; 600 South 42nd Street; Omaha, NE 68198–3255; or FAX: (402) 559-8112. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

NEUROPATHOLOGIST. The Department of Pathology at the University of Chicago Medical Center is seeking a faculty member specializing in Neuropathology. Applicants should be board certified/eligible in AP or AP/NP. The successful applicant is expected to be interested and trained in research related to the nervous system. Additionally, the applicant will have responsibilities in diagnostic neuropathology and teaching of medical students, residents, and graduate students. Opportunities for both independent and collaborative research are available. Academic rank will be based on experience and accomplishments. Salary negotiable. An excellent benefit package is included. Please send curriculum vitae with the names and addresses of three references to: Godfrey S. Getz, M.D., Ph.D., Chairman, Department of Pathology, MC 3083, The University of Chicago, S841 South Maryland Avenue, Chicago, IL 60637. *An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.*

LAND USE/CONSERVATION RESEARCH SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

The Migratory Bird Center at the National Zoo is seeking a person to conduct research emphasizing tropical agro-ecosystem and natural habitat conservation policy issues that impact migratory songbird populations. Incumbent will utilize research to develop "white papers", articles in the professional and popular media, and propose policy alternatives to governments and international funding organizations. Successful applicant will have a relevant M.A. or Ph.D. or combination of appropriate education and experience, and be actively pursuing research and publications in agro-ecosystem issues impacting wildlife conservation. This is a Federal Civil Service position. Starting salary \$35,045 to 42,003. For complete application package call 202-287-3102 (24-hour automated line) press 9 and ask for package #94-30378. Completed application must be postmarked by 8 July 1994. Equal Employment Opportunity/ Affirmative Action.

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The courses are supported jointly by the Department of Energy Plant and Microbial Carbohydrate Center, and the NIH Biomedical Carbohydrate Resource Center of the CCRC. For further information or to apply for the courses contact: Dr. Roberta K. Merkle, Technical Director for Biomedical Carbohydrates, Complex Carbohydrate Research Center, 220 Riverbend Road, The University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia 30602-4712. Phone: 706-542-4402. Facsimile: 706-542-4412.



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