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Comparison of a structural and functional binding domain in human growth hormone using real-time BIA

B. C. Cunningham and J. A. Wells (J. Mol. Biol. (1993) 234, 554-563) From a structural point of view, the complex between human growth hormone (hGH) and the extracellular domain of its receptor (hGHbp) is one of the best characterized hormone-receptor complexes. One molecule

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A new tenure-track pathway has been created within the intramural program of the National Institutes of Health, National Cancer Institute, to provide an opportunity for outstanding candidates completing postdoctoral training to establish themselves as independent investigators. Successful applicants for tenure-track positions will be provided with a long-term commitment of salary, personnel, and other research resources needed to conduct an independent research program. The following positions are available at a level equivalent to that of an Assistant Professor:

#### Drug Development for the Treatment of Childhood Cancers Philip Pizzo, M.D.

Position available to develop new anticancer drugs for the treatment of childhood cancers with an emphasis on central nervous system and meningeal tumors, the study of the clinical pharmacology of anticancer and antiretroviral drugs in children, and the delineation of new approaches to the treatment of childhood acute lymphoblastic leukemia with an emphasis on effective, less toxic central nervous system preventive therapy. These new therapies are investigated in preclinical in vitro and animal models and in phase I, II, and III collaborative clinical trials. Resources include laboratory space, shared facilities, equipment and supplies, and support of two postdoctoral fellows and one technician. Candidate must have M.D. degree with training and experience in Pediatric Hematology/Oncology, clinical pharmacology (including pharmacokinetics) and drug development. Candidate should also have experience with preclinical animal models (including primates) and in vitro tissue culture models. Pediatric Branch, NCI, Building 10, Room 13N240, 10 Center Drive MSC 1928, Bethesda MD 20892-1928.

#### Late Radiation Effects Paul Okunieff, M.D.

Position available to focus on the understanding and prevention of late radiation effects including fibrosis, organ dysfunction, vascular damage, and carcinogenesis. Resources include clinical and labo-ratory space, shared facilities, equipment and supplies, and support of two fellows and shared clinic personnel. Candidate must have M.D. degree and be board certified in radiation oncology. Candidate should have proven ability to develop clinical protocols that test hypotheses based on pre-clinical studies and have solid experience and understanding of radiobiological laboratory techniques, assays for repair of radiation damage, as well as molecular biological studies of growth factors and cytokines. The candidate would be expected to conceive and perform clinical and laboratory studies to better understand the interaction between radiation and cytokines in tumor and normal tissue.

Radiation Oncology Branch, NCI, Building 10, Room B3B69, 10 Center Drive MSC 1002, Bethesda MD 20892-1002.

#### Gene Cloning Steven Rosenberg, M.D.

Position available to clone the genes that encode cancer antigens. The Surgery Branch, NCI, has begun a major program in which gene cloning will be an important step in developing effective cancer vaccines for the treatment and prevention of cancer. Resources include laboratory space, equipment and supplies, and support of one technician. Candidate must have M.D. or Ph.D. degree and be experienced in molecular biology and cellular immunology. Extensive experience in gene cloning and analysis of human cellular immune reactions is essential. Surgery Branch, NCI, Building 10, Room 2B42, 10 Center Drive MSC 1502, Bethesda MD 20892-1502.

#### Pharmacokinetics Louis Malspeis, Ph.D.

Position available to perform basic and applied research on newly identified anticancer and anti-HIV agents to bring new chemothera-peutic agents to clinical trial. Pharmacokinetics research on new drug candidates will contribute to a basic understanding of their in vivo disposition and will support appropriate selections for development. The studies will contribute to the optimization of preclinical, and subsequently the clinical, efficacy eval-uations. Resources include laboratory space, equipment, supplies, and technical support. Candidate must have Ph.D. degree and have demonstrated ability to (1) develop specific quantitative analytical and pharmaceutical chemistry methods for anticancer and anti-HIV drug candidates of broadly diverse chemical structures in biological fluids with sensitivity in the nanomolar to low micromolar concentration range; (2) design and conduct preclinical pharmacokinetic studies in rodents, dogs, and monkeys; (3) characterize and identify the major metabolites of the chemotherapeutic agents; (4) chemically synthe-size identified and potential metabolites; and (5) employ phar-macokinetic parameters for the selection for the compound with the greatest potential for clinical efficacy among a series of congeners. Laboratory of Pharmaceutical

Chemistry, NCI-Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center, Fairview Center, Room 206, P.O. Box B, Frederick, MD 21702-1201.

#### Development of Novel Therapeutic Agents Edward A. Sausville, M.D., Ph.D.

Position available to serve as the leader in the development of novel therapeutic agents directed at protein kinases that mediate signal transduction. The incumbent will be expected to acquire a nationally recognized prominence in the regulation of cell growth by protein kinase-dependent signaling pathways. In particular, delineation of structural motifs or regulatory relationships in kinase networks that could serve as a basis for drug discovery efforts will be approached at a fundamental level. Resources include laboratory space, shared equipment, supplies, and support of one technician and up to two postdoctoral fellows. Candidate must have M.D. or Ph.D. degree and must demonstrate capacity to develop assays for, clone, express, and purify protein kinases and have experience in biochemical pharmacology and pharmacokinetic meth-odology. Office of the Associate Director, Developmental Thera-peutics Programs, NCI, Executive Plaza North (EPN) Room 843, 6130 Executive Boulevard MSC 7458, Bethesda MD 20892-7458.

#### Translation Studies Dan L. Longo, M.D.

Position available to conduct preclinical and clinical studies designed to determine whether the immune system can be used to target cancer cells *in vivo*. Studies will target specific tumor antigens and use modern immunologic and genetic technologies to attempt to induce immunity and to monitor the results. Resources include laboratory space, equipment and supplies, and support of two postdoctoral fellows. Candidate must have M.D. degree and have a thorough understanding of basic science and possess the clinical acumen necessary to manage cancer patients and apply basic laboratory findings to clinical problems. Clinical Research Branch, NCI, NCI-Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center, Building 576, Room 101, P.O. Box B, Frederick, MD 21702-1201.

Please send a cover letter, curriculum vitae, bibliography, and a two-page statement including research interests and career goals to the address listed with each position. In addition, arrange to have letters of reference sent to the same address from three scientists who can provide an evaluation of your qualifications. Applications must be received within six weeks of the publication of this advertisement.

**TO APPLY** 

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### RETINAL NEUROBIOLOGY

A POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is available beginning July 1, 1995, to study synaptic plasticity in the vertebrate retina. The project employs electrophysiological (intracellular and patch clamp recording, ion-selective microelectrodes), pharmacological and anatomical techniques to investigate a circadian rhythm in neuronal light responses in fish and rabbit retinas. Experience in electrophysiology and/or anatomy/pharmacology is desirable. Please send curriculum vitae, a brief description of research experience and the names and addresses of three references to: Dr. Stuart Mangel, Department of Ophthalmology, University of Alabama School of Medicine, Birmingham, AL 35294. Email: smangel@ vision.vsrc.uab.edu. An Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION. Electrophysiological experience required. Intracellular recording and brain slice work desirable. Fellow will study LTP and plasticity in hippocampal slices from mutant mice. Position available immediately; start date flexible. Up to four years of support possible. Salary commensurate with experience. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. B. E. Alger, Department of Physiology, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD 21201. The University of Maryland is an Affinative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

A research position is available for an experimental hematologist to collaborate with a multidisciplinary team investigating the role of altered stem and progenitor cell regulation in drug- and chemical-induced bone marrow toxicity and leukemogenesis. A recent Ph.D. with experience investigating differentiation of hematopoietic stem and/or lineage-committed progenitor cells at cellular and molecular levels is required. Specific background and interest in signal transduction events and changes in gene expression in response to regulatory cytokines is preferred. Send résumé by June 23, 1995, to: Dr. Richard D. Irons, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, 4200 East Ninth Avenue, Box C235, Denver, CO 80262. The University of Colorado is committed to Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action.

#### VISITING POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH PHYSICIST

A **POSTDOCTORAL POSITION** is available immediately to study the structure and motion of proteins with the Atomic Force Microscope. Experience with protein purification and activity analysis is essential. The successful candidate will be a talented biochemist or molecular biologist who looks forward to the challenge of learning Atomic Force Microscopy. No experience with Scanning Probe Microscopy or physics is necessary. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae, research experience and interests and names of three references to: **Professor Paul Hansma, Department of Physics, University of California, Santa Barbara, CA 93106**. An Equal Opportunity/Affinative Action Employer.

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Position available (two to four years) to study the molecular pathogenesis of neuromuscular disorders associated with mtDNA mutations. Studies will include biochemical and molecular biology approaches to mammalian and/or yeast cells. Expertise in one of the above areas required. Send curriculum vitae and name/telephone number of three references to: Carlos T. Moraes, Ph.D., 1501 N.W. 9th Avenue, Miami, FL 33136. Email: E-cmoraes@mednet.med.miami.edu. Equal Opportunity Employer/Affimative Action.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP is available immediately to study the pharmacology of potassium channel blockers using molecular biologic and electrophysiologic techniques. Ph.D. with training and experience in either area is required. Send or FAX curriculum vitae to: Christopher T. Bever, Jr., M.D., Maryland Center for Multiple Sclerosis, Department of Neurology, University of Maryland Hospital, 22 South Greene Street, Baltimore, MD 21201. FAX: 410-605-7937.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS Penn State University University Park Center for Biomolecular Structure and Function

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Penn State University, Center for Biomolecular Structure and Function has two **POSTDOCTORAL POSI-TIONS** to be filled between June 1 and September 1, 1995, for studies of enzyme mechanisms in cicosanoid metabolism. Applicants should have demonstrated, by refereed publications, expertise in two or more of the following areas: enzyme kinetics/mechanism studies; molecular biology with emphasis on site-directed-mutagenesis and expression of recombinant proteins; and protein purification/characterization. Experience with stopped flow kinetics, EPR spectroscopy or molecular cloning and protein overexpression are especially desirable. Enzyme systems under investigation are a potato lipoxygenase as well as several glutathione-dependent transferases and peroxidases. Positions are funded for one year with strong prospects for extension.

Send curriculum vitae plus names and addresses of three references to: C. Channa Reddy, Distinguished Professor, Department of Veterinary Science, Penn State University, 226 Fenske Laboratory, University Park, PA 16802.

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#### CARDIOVASCULAR DEVELOPMENT

The University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey (UMDNJ)-Department of Cell Biology has a **POST-DOCTORAL POSITION** immediately available to study molecular and cellular mechanisms regulating early heart development in avian and mammalian embryos. Experience in molecular biology will be necessary. Experience with protein and immunological techniques would be an asset.

UMDNJ-Stratford provides an excellent research environment in a growing institution with new laboratories and modern research facilities. This campus is located in a pleasant suburb near Philadelphia. Please send curriculum vitae and names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to: Dr. Kersti K. Linask, Department of Cell Biology, UMDNJ, Science Center, 2 Medical Center Drive, Stratford, NJ 08084. UMDNJ is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer/Minority/Fenale/ Disabled/Veteran, and a member of the University Health System of New Jersey.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Apoptosis Research University of Pennsylvania

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to continue project investigating molecular events in neural apoptosis including characterizing newly cloned cDNAs induced during neural cell death. Strong molecular background required. Send/FAX curriculum vitac and names of three references to: Dr. Randall N. Pittman, Department of Pharmacology, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, Philadelphia, PA 19104-6084. FAX: 215-573-2236. The University of Pennsylis an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS to apply advanced Optical Mapping approaches to human genome analysis (see Science, 262:110-114, 1993; Nature Genetics, 9:432-438, 1995; PNAS, 92:165-169, 1995; C&E News, May 15, 1995). Develop new approaches to sequencing, applications of new genotyping methodologies, whole genome approaches to restriction mapping and gene hunting. Send curriculum vitae, summary of past research, and three letters of reference to: Dr. David C. Schwartz, New York University, W. M. Keck Laboratory for Biomolecular Imaging, Department of Chemistry, New York, NY 10003.

**POSTDOCTORAL POSITION** available immediately to study glutamate-receptor ion channels with patch-clamp techniques. The current focus of the work is on determining the properties of recombinant channels expressed transiently or stably in HEK 293 cells. We are also interested in developmental changes in the properties of native channels. Send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Dr. James Howe, Department of Pharmacology, Yale University School of Medicine, 333 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT 06520-8066.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study mechanisms regulating the beginning of gene expression and the process of neural differentiation during mammalian embryonic development. Experience in molecular biology/developmental biology preferred. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Sadhan Majumder, Departments of Neuro-Oncology and Molecular Genetics, University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Box 316, 1515 Holcombe Boulevard, Houston, TX 77030. Telephone: 713-792-8920; FAX: 713-794-4999. Equal Opportunity Employer/non-smoking environment.

**POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE.** Applicants are sought to study phytohormone receptors and ion channels. Candidate must have earned Ph.D. in the biological sciences and have experience in electrophysiological techniques. Successful candidate will become part of a NASA/NSF network of investigators studying plant signal transduction. Send curriculum vitae and three current reference letters to: Dr. Fedora Sutton, South Dakota State University, Plant Science Department, Box 2108, Brookings, SD 57007. FAX: 605-688-4024; Email: SuttonF@mg.sdstate.edu. An Affimiative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Salmonella genetics

Available immediately. Second year of five year NIH project. Contig of lambda clones for the entire Salmonella genome was compared to E. coli. Point and deletion mutants in Salmonella-specific loops to be characterized by conventional methods and by RNA fingerprinting (differential display). Supervise technician. See PNAS, **91**:639; J. Bat., **176**: 5729; TIG, June 1995. Inquiries to: **Dr.** Michael McClelland, Director, California Institute of Biological Research, **11099** North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, CA 92037. FAX: 619-535-5472. Email: McClelland@lifsci.sdsu.edu.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION RIBOSOME SYNTHESIS

Synthesis and processing of ribosomal RNA in S. cerevisiae and other eukaryotes; and regulation of ribosomal protein synthesis in E. coli. Strong background in molecular biology or biochemistry required. Send curriculum vitae, names of three references, and statement of research interests by July 1, 1995, to: Lasse Lindahl, Department of Biological Sciences, UMBC, Baltimore, MD 21228-5398. FAX: 410-455-3875; Email: lindahl@ umbc.edu. University of Maryland Baltimore County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### FILARIASIS RESEARCH

**POSTDOCTORAL POSITION** for NIH-sponsored studies of immunological aspects of filariasis with an emphasis on early diagnosis and targets of protective immunity. A strong background in molecular biology with experience in cloning and expression is required. Please reply with a letter and curriculum vitae to: **Dr. Gary J.** Weil, **Infectious Disease Division**, **The Jewish Hospital at Washington University Medical Center**, 216 South Kingshighway, St. Louis, MO 63110.

**POSTDOCTORAL POSITION** starting in July 1995 in the Department of Medicine, Division of Endocrinology at Cornell University School of Medicine, to conduct studies of molecular genetics of sexual differentiation, particularly  $5\alpha$ -reductase deficiency. The project requires experience in basic molecular biology, including cloning techniques and DNA sequencing. M.D./Ph.D. in molecular biology or genetics or an M.D. with training in molecular medicine is preferred. Ability to work independently is strongly advantageous.

Please send curriculum vitac, name and telephone numbers to: Dr. Julianne Imperato-McGinley, Cornell University Medical College, Division of Endocrinology, 525 East 68th Street, New York, NY 10021.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

Available summer 1995 to study transcriptional regulation and identification of nuclear proteins which control TGF- $\beta$  receptor gene expression in vascular tissues. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: **Dr. Alan Fine**, **Boston University School of Medicine**, The Pulmonary Center, K-606, 80 East Concord Street, Boston, MA 02118.

#### READVERTISEMENT FACULTY POSITION ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE OR FULL RESEARCHER (One vacancy only)

Position number 86062, Hawaii Natural Energy Institute, School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology, full-time, general and extramural funds, 11-month, tenure track position. To begin approximately August 1, 1995, continuation dependent upon satisfactory performance and availability of funds. DUTIES: Plan, develop, organize and supervise activities in the biochemical areas of renewable hydrogen and ocean resource systems. Identify and seek new funding sources to conduct and manage research related to hydrogen, biopharmaceuticals, marine biotechnology and natural products. Serve as an international liaison for the Institute in marine biotechnology. Publish articles in journals and proceedings, make presentations to local, national and international audiences as appropriate. Develop program for teaching and training of graduate assistants and postdoctoral fellows in these areas. Direct and/ or conduct research in the Bioresources Laboratory, home of the Mitsui-McKinley Marine Microbiological Memorial Collection. Perform related duties as assigned. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Ph.D. from an accredited college or university in biochemical or ocean science or engineering. Ten years (for Full Researcher level) of university, national laboratory or industrial experience in applied research on bioproduct development and/or marine biotechnology development. Proven ability to secure extramural funding. Familiarity with design, implementation and management of projects in these areas. PAY RANGE: R3-5, \$40,524 - \$101,880/annually (to be determined based on qualifications and experience.) INQUIRIES: Dr. Patrick Takahashi at (808) 956-8346, To apply: Submit statement of research interest, C.V., and three letters of recommendation from work-related references to Personnel Officer, Hawaii Natural Energy Institute, 2540 Dole Street, Holmes 246, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822. CLOSING DATE: June 27, 1995.

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The Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics and the Department of Medicine at the University of California, Irvine are jointly seeking applicants for faculty positions at the Assistant or Associate Professor level, depending upon qualifications. As part of our ongoing effort to expand our program in molecular pathogenesis, we are soliciting applicants who have demonstrated superior talent and productivity in the area of molecular mechanisms of microbial pathogenesis. His/her previous work should have been judged by peer review to have been scientifically rigorous and clinically relevant, and he/she should have been successful in obtaining sufficient funds from peer-reviewed grants to support these efforts. The latter can include postdoctoral fellowship support for Assistant Professor candidates.

Candidates must have an M.D./Ph.D. or M.D., and board eligibility in Infectious Diseases is required. The successful candidate will be expected to participate in teaching and research conferences in both departments.

Please send curriculum vitae, summary of research interests and three letters of reference to:

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# CHIEF

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Opening Date: May 22, 1995 Closing Date: July 7, 1995 (All applications must be postmarked by the closing date.)

The National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) is recruiting for the position of Chief, Laboratory of Molecular Genetics (LMG), NIDCD. The Chief will be responsible for directing a Laboratory consisting of two sections within the Division of Intramural Research. The Chief, LMG, has responsibility for developing and directing research programs whose major goals are to identify, map, and clone genes of importance in the physiology of normal hearing, as well as genes altered by mutation involved in inherited hearing impairment as revealed in both human and animal model systems. The Chief, LMG, will oversee intramural research to determine the molecular basis for cell type specific gene regulation in auditory and olfactory systems. He/She will formulate the overall research goals of the laboratory, design and supervise all research projects, select the staff, and coordinate all activities within the general goals and policies of the NIDCD.

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Further information about the position, qualifications and the knowledge, skills and abilities (KSA's) requirements may be obtained by contacting Ms. Christine A. Clements at (301) 402-0508 (Voice or TDD) or TDD (301) 402-1134. You may submit a resume, curriculum vitae, Optional Application for Federal Employment (OF-612), Application for Federal Employment (SF-171), or any other written format which provides the required information, and a bibliography to:

Ms. Christine A. Clements Personnel Management Specialist National Institutes of Health Personnel Management Branch 31 Center Drive MSC 2320 Bethesda, Maryland 20892-2320

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# Public Announcement Regarding an Industrial Science and Technology Frontier Program Project on "Femtosecond Technology"

Announced by the New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization on June 2, 1995

In order to promote the research and development of industrial technology, the New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization (NEDO) would like to inform all interested companies and research organizations regarding the research and development project described below. This new project is being undertaken as part of the Industrial Science and Technology Frontier Program of the Agency of Industrial Science and Technology, Ministry of International Trade and Industry of Japan.

# Theme of the Research Project

"Fematosecond Technology"

# Outline of the Research and Development Work to be Entrusted.

The objective of this project is to establish the fundamental technology needed for realization of ultrafast optoelectronics which will exceed the speed limit of current electronics and also encompass new functionality through research and development of technology that controls protons and electrons in the femtosecond time domain (10<sup>-15</sup> to 10<sup>-12</sup> seconds).

# **Procedure for Application**

# (1) Qualification Criteria

All companies or research organizations who meet the following qualification criteria may submit an application to participate in the above project.

1. The applicant must be a company or organization having human resources who are experienced and well qualified to carry out the research and development in the field covered by or related to the project.

2. The applicant must be in sound financial condition and have the ability to manage finances as necessary to fully carry out the project work.

3. The applicant must be able to comply with NEDO's instructions, if such are necessary, to fully carry out the project work.

4. The applicant must have attended the explanatory meeting held by NEDO as set forth in item (2) below or been represented at the meeting by a responsible agent or representative who is capable of accurately conveying the contents of the meeting in detail.

# (2) Explanatory Meeting

An explanatory meeting will be held on the date shown below in order for NEDO to fully explain the details of the project's research and development work to be entrusted and the application documents to be submitted. All companies or research organizations who are interested in submitting an application to participate in the project are required to attend this meeting or to send an agent or representative to attend on their behalf. Japanese will be the only language used during the meeting.

Date: Monday, June 12, 1995 Time: 14:00 to 15:00 Place: NEDO's Head Office, Meeting Room 360 30th Floor, Sunshine 60 Building, 1-1, Higashi-Ikebukuro 3-Chome Toshima-ku, Tokyo 170

# (3) Further Information

For further information regarding the research and development work to be entrusted under the above project, please contact NEDO by telefax as follows:

New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization Contract Division, Accounting Department 28th Floor, Sunshine 60 Building, 1-1, Higashi-Ikebukuro 3-Chome Toshima-ku, Tokyo 170 Telefax: 03-5992-1184 42nd Rachford Lectures September 18 and 19, 1995

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For hotel information or to register, contact: Shirley Courtney Division of Endocrinology Children's Hospital Medical Center 3333 Burnet Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45229-3039 Phone: 513-559-4209 Fax: 513-559-7486



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Burroughs Wellcome Fund (BWF) is pleased to recognize the 14 outstanding young investigators who received the first round of Career Awards in the Biomedical Sciences for 1995. They will each receive approximately \$500,000 for up to six years of stipend and research support during their postdoctoral and beginning faculty years, representing a BWF commitment of \$7 million for the year.

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The deadline for the 1996 Career Awards program is October 1. For information, contact Burroughs Wellcome Fund, 4709 Creekstone Drive, Suite 100, Morrisville, NC 27560-9771. Tel. (919) 991-5100 Fax (919) 941-5884 Email-cagyapong@bwfund.org. BWF is a private nonprofit foundation that provides financial aid for the advancement of medical knowledge by research, or for other scientific, scholarly, and educational purposes.

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#### Medical Genetics and Research Genetics Positions Atlantic Research Centre and Department of Pediatrics Dalhousie University

Applications are invited for two full time faculty positions within the Faculty of Medicine at Dalhousie University: (a) one medical geneticist to be ap-pointed to a tenure track position at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor with primarily clinical responsibilities (>80% time), and (b) one molecular genetics researcher appointed at the Assistant Professor level on a limited term appointment with primary responsibilities in research (>70% time). For the medical geneticist position, clinical care participation would involve interaction primarily with clinical geneticists and a team of genetic counsellors and coordinators to serve the population of the Maritime Provinces. Expertise in clinical diagnosis, counselling and treatment including prenatal diagnosis and predictive testing is expected. Candidates for the medical genetics position should be certified or eligible in Clinical (Medical) Genetics by the Canadian College of Medical Geneticists, Royal College of Physicians of Canada or the American Board of Medical Genetics. Qualifications for the researcher position should be based on skills in experimental application of molecular techniques to investigations of human disease genes and animal models of disease. Research efforts will interact primarily with an established program focusing on regulation and alteration of signal transduction systems, lipid second messengers and lipid metabolism in normal and disease states, and inolecular and epidemiological studies. Experience with neurological systems would be an asset. The candidate in this research position would be expected to compete successfully for external or internal sources of salary support within an initial three year appointment. Successful candidates for both positions will participate in some undergraduate, postgraduate and continuing medical education teaching (10% time) through Pediatrics, Biology, Biochem-istry or Pathology. Collaborations with local experts in molecular genetics, biochemistry, provide the methode would be articipated in both biochemistry, perinatal medicine and pathology would be anticipated in both positions. The Atlantic Research Centre is the major clinical genetics referral centre for the Maritime provinces, providing comprehensive clinical genetics centre for the Maritime provinces, providing comprehensive clinical genetics services, and operates in association with the Department of Pediatrics of Dalhousie University, the IWK Children's - Grace Maternity Hospital. For-ward application including curriculum vitae and names, addresses and phone numbers of three references to: Dr. Harold W Cook, Director, Atlantic Research Centre, Dalhousie University, 5849 University Avenue, Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada (fax 902-494-1394; E-mail h.cook@dal.ca) before July 1, 1995. Dalhousie University is an Employment Equity/Affirmative Action employer. The University recourance and incomes from qualified women employer. The University encourages applications from qualified women, aboriginal peoples, racial minorities and persons with disabilities. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement initially is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

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Nominations and applications, accompanied by a complete *curriculum vitae* and the names/addresses of three references must be received by August 30,1995, and should be mailed to:

Frank A. Catalanotto, D.M.D. Chairman of the Pharmacy Dean Search Committee and Dean, College of Dentistry P.O. Box 100405, JHMHC University of Florida Health Science Center Gainesville, FL 32610-0405 Telephone: 904-392-2911 or Fax: 904-392-2070

# Tenure-Track and Postdoctoral Opportunities.

Listed below are some of the outstanding research training opportunities that are currently available at the National Institutes of Health.

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Position available for a junior research scientist to initiate an independent tenure-track program of laboratory and clinical research in the area of Fanconi's anemia and related genetic syndromes, including paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria and constitutional cytopenias. Laboratory experience in molecular biology, especially the design of gene transduction vectors, and training in hematology or oncology is desirable. Applicant will be a clinically responsible physician for gene therapy protocols. A brief statement of research interests and goals should be submitted in addition to three letters of recommendation. Applications must be received within six weeks of the publication of this advertisement. Office of the Scientific Director (OE-83), NHLBI, Building 10, Room 7N214, 10 CENTER DR MSC 1668, BETHESDA MD 20892-1668.

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# - Postdoctoral Positions — Calcium Signal Transduction Seung Hyun Yoo, PhD

Biochemical and molecular biological approaches are used to study the calcium signal transduction mechanisms. Ongoing projects include studies of the inositol 1,4,5-trisphosphate receptor, the calcium storage protein chromogranin, and the secretory vesicles. Applicants should have training in molecular biological and biochemical techniques and have less than five years of postdoctoral experience. Laboratory of Neurochemistry (OE-83), NIDCD, Building 5 Research Court, Room 2A37, Bethesda, MD 20892-3320.

#### Glucose Transporters Ian A. Simpson, PhD

The transport of glucose into the mammalian brain is mediated by a family of transporter proteins. The role of these transporters in cerebral development and metabolism is currently under investigation. Altered expression of these proteins in humans is associated with a variety of neuropathological conditions. Candidates must have a strong background in molecular biology/genetics with a clear interest in neuroscience and must have less than five years postdoctoral experience. Diabetes Branch (OE-83), NIDDK, Building 10, Room 5N102, 10 CENTER DR MSC 1420, BETHESDA MD 20892-1420.

#### Insulin-Like Growth Factors Matthew M. Rechler, MD

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# Tumor Suppressor Genes

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#### Additional Postdoctoral Fellowship Opportunities

For an on-line listing of additional postdoctoral openings, you may access the NIH EDNET Bulletin Board POSTDOC conference via Internet (wylbur.cu.nih.gov) or modem (1,301-402-2221 or 1,800-358-2221) with parameters set at "7,Even,1". When connected to NIH, type in ",vt100" for terminal emulation, "F5E" for initials, and "AJL1" for account number.

The Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Opportunities catalog, which describes intramural laboratories at the NIH, is also available by request. An electronic version of the catalog may be accessed via the Internet using either the Gopher Information System (gopher.nih.gov) or the World Wide Web (http://www.nih.gov/). When connected, select *Research Opportunities at the NIH*. If you would like to request a catalog or have further questions, please contact the NIH Office of Education, Building 10, Room 1C129, 10 CENTER DR MSC 1158, BETHESDA MD 20892-1158, 301-402-1603, Fax 301-402-0483.

#### To Apply

If you hold a doctoral degree (e.g., PhD, MD/PhD, MD, DO, DDS, DMD or DVM) accompanied by previous laboratory research experience, and would like to be considered for one of these positions, please send a cover letter, *curriculum vitae*, bibliography,

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Applicants must have a degree in one of the basic animal sciences or physiology; or related discipline or field of science that included at least 24 semester hour requirement in the basic animal sciences. In addition, applicants must have one year of specialized experience at the level of difficulty and responsibility comparable to the next lower grade in the Federal Service. Applicants may apply with a resume, Optional Application for Federal Employment (OF-612), Application for Federal Employment (SF-171) or any other written format you choose. This position is included in the Federal Equal Opportunity Recruitment Program (FEORP) and is therefore targeted for EEO recruitment efforts. Consideration is limited to citizens of the United States. Applications must be postmarked by July 10, 1995.

Further information and qualification requirements can be obtained by contacting:

Ms. Rosemary Carter National Center for Research Resources National Institutes of Health Building 31, Room 3B-38 9000 Rockville Pike Bethesda, MD 20892 Telephone: 301-496-5621; Fax: 301-402-2110

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Interested candidates should submit their curriculum vitae and bibliography, a statement of research goals, l-3 representative publications, and the names of three references to:

John W. Belmont, M.D., Ph.D. Chair, Faculty Search Committee Center for Human Gene Therapy Baylor College of Medicine Room T826, One Baylor Plaza Houston, TX 77030 Tel: (713) 798-4634 Fax: (713) 798-5386 belmont@bcm.tmc.edu

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Applicants should be recognized as national/international authorities in their specialty, have planned and executed difficult programs of national significance or specialized programs that show outstanding attainments in their field of research or consultation. Salaries range from \$81,529 to \$115,700 (plus locality pay) per year. Detailed resumes or application documentation must reach offices listed above by August 1, 1995. Prior to applying, contact the cognizant HRO for specific application procedures.

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