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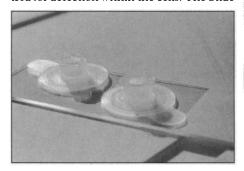
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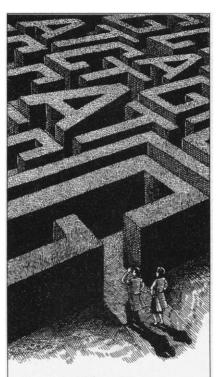


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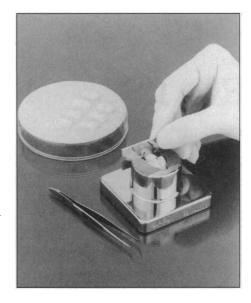
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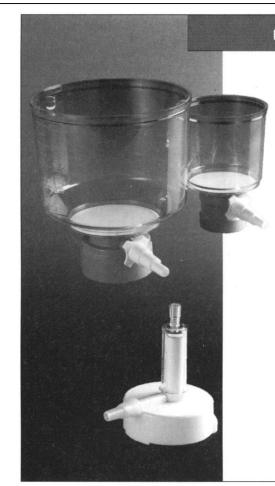
#### Literature

Chiral Applications Guide is a brochure that describes the capabilities of a capillary electrophoresis system for enantiomeric separations. Beckman Instruments. Circle 147.

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The Department of Pathobiology at the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicine has a tenure-track position for an experimental pathologist at the rank of ASSOCI-ATE/ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. Applicants should have D.V.M. and Ph.D. degrees or equivalents and a record of accomplishment in research. Responsibilities will include development of a competitive research program, teaching general pathology to veterinary students, and graduate instruction. ACVP board-certification is desirable, but not required. The Department has excellent research facilities within a dynamic Health Science Center complex and strong. extramurally funded research programs in molecular parasi-tology, viral and mycoplasmal disease pathogenesis, vaccine development, and wildlife diseases. Applicants should submit a letter outlining professional goals, a curriculum vitae, and a list of three professional referees to: **Dr. William L. Castle**man, Chairman, Department of Pathobiology, College of Veterinary Medicine, P.O. Box 110880, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL 32611-0880. Department World Wide Web Page: http://www.vetmed.ufl.edu/path/ path.htm. Review of applications will begin after January 1, 1996 and will continue until the position is filled. The position will start on or after July 1, 1996.

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#### ASSISTANT PROFESSOR/BIOCHEMIST

The University of Southern Indiana invites applications for a TENURE-TRACK position beginning fall 1996. Responsibilities will include teaching biochemistry, advanced biology courses appropriate to the candidate's expertise, and introductory-level courses in both chemistry and biology. Ph.D. required. Evidence of strong teaching and potential for scholarly research/grant writing required. The University is committed to excellence in teaching, scholarship and professional activity, and service to the University and the community. Biochemists with interest or experience in environmental areas are encouraged to apply. Application deadline is January 15, 1996, or until position is filled. Submit letter of application, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three professional references to: Dr. Marie Hankins, Chair, Department of Chemistry, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### FOOD SAFETY/THERMAL PROCESSING

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. The Department of Nutrition and Food Science, University of Maryland, invites applications for a nine and a half-month tenure-trask research/teaching position. Applicants must have a Ph.D. in food science or related discipline; postdoctoral research or relevant industrial experience in microbial food safety and thermal processing is preferred. Responsibilities include 1) establishing an independent research program on heat preservation/processing including microbial survival and the application of molecular biological methods for pathogen detection in food; and 2) teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in thermal food processing and food safety. Send curriculum vitae, statement of research and teaching interests, academic transcripts, and addresses of three references to: Dr. Donald V. Schlimme, Department of Nutrition and Food Science, Room 3304 Marie Mount Hall, The University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742-7521. Deadline for application is March 1, 1996 or until position is filled. The University of Maryland is an Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT PROFESSOR or POSTDOCTORAL position in the Department of Pediatrics, Duke University Medical Center. This is a position working in the laboratory of Dr. Michael M. Frank, Chairman, Department of Pediatrics. This well-funded laboratory explores the mechanism of action of the complement system proteins and the biochemistry of mediators of immune damage. Candidates should submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae and bibliography, and the names of three references to: Dr. Frank, Box 3352, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC 27710. Duke University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action Employer.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### MAMMALIAN OR AVIAN PHYSIOLOGIST

Tenure-track, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR position anticipated for fall 1996, in Biological Sciences at the University of New Orleans (UNO), Ph.D. required and postdoctoral research experience in physiological adapta-tions of mammals or birds preferred. The Department is affiliated with the Audubon Institute's Center for Research of Endangered Species providing research opportunities involving threatened and endangered mammals and birds. Initially, duties include developing an upperlevel animal physiology laboratory, and later, participating in upper-level physiology courses and Introductory Biology. Our twenty-four Graduate Faculty are expected to seek outside funding and engage in research, direct graduate student research, and teach courses. UNO (approximately 16,000 students) is in the LSU System on a campus overlooking Lake Pontchartrain. A statement of research interests, recent reprints, curriculum vitae, and three letters of recommendation should be sent by February 23, 1996 to: Dr. Britt Bromberg, Search Committee, Biological Sciences, University of New Orleans, New Orleans, LA 70148. Email: BBBBS@ UNO.EDU. UNO is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES/BIOLOGY

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. Randolph-Macon College invites applications for an entry-level, nine-month tenure-track position in environmental studies/biology beginning in August 1996. Candidates should have a Ph.D. in environmental studies or a related field, with a specialty in wetlands study, aquatic biology, wildlife biology, or resource management. Candidates must be committed to undergraduate teaching in the liberal arts tradition, research involving undergraduate students, and development of the environmental studies program. Teach ing responsibilities will include the introductory environmental studies sequence, and existing or new courses in environmental studies or biology, especially field biology. Candidates should submit curriculum vitae, a statement of teaching and research goals, and three a statement of teaching and itseatch goals, and the letters of reference by January 17, 1996 to: C. Barry Knisley, Chair, Environmental Search, Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, VA 23005. Randolph-Macon College is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### AQUATIC BIOLOGIST

Lake Superior State University is seeking a tenure-track aquatic biologist **FACULTY MEMBER**. The academic program in biology is undergraduate. Teaching load will be 12 contract hours per semester (1 per lecture 2/3 per lab). Duties will include advisement, committee work, and supervision of senior thesis projects. Opportunity to develop a course in area of expertise and opportunity for research in conjunction with the Lake Superior State University Aquatic Research Lab.

Qualifications: A Ph.D. in aquatic biology, interest and excellence in undergraduate teaching and advising, and the ability to lead students in undergraduate research. Experience in aquatic ecotoxicology and federal or state agency experience is preferred.

Complete applications consist of a letter of application addressing the above qualifications, curriculum vitae, unofficial transcripts, and three letters of reference to Aquatic Biology, Office of Employee Relations, Lake Superior State University, Administration Building, Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783. FAX: 906-635-2111. For further information, contact Karel Rogers, Telephone: 906-635-2266; Email: krogers@lakers.lssu.edu.or www.lssu.edu.

Application deadline: January 15, 1996.

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#### FACULTY FOR EUROPE AND ASIA

The University of Maryland anticipates openings for FACULTY to teach undergraduate science courses on U.S. military bases overseas. Requirements include the Ph.D. or two Master's degrees, recent college teaching experience, U.S. aitizenship, and competence to teach in two of the following fields: astronomy, biology, chemistry, computer studies, geology, mathematics, and physics. Renewable annual appointments begin August 1996. Frequent relocation and the cost of schooling make these positions difficult for those with children. Send résumé to: Dr. Rosemary Hoffmann, University of Maryland University College, College Park, MD 20742-1642. Affinnative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

# TWO FACULTY POSITIONS DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Applications are invited for two tenure-track positions at the ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level in the Department of Biology with a joint appointment in the Center for Advanced Invertebrate Molecular Sciences. We seek outstanding individuals who use cellular, molecular, and genetic approaches to address fundamental questions using model invertebrate systems. Preference will be given to candidates working in the areas of Drosophila development and invertebrate immunity or receptor biology. Successful candidates will be expected to establish a vigorous research program and to participate in undergraduate and graduate teaching. Interested individuals should send curriculum vitae and a statement of research and teaching interests, and should arrange to have three letters of reference sent to: Invertebrate Molecular Biology Search Committee, Department of Biology, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843-3258. FAX: 409-845-2891. Deadline: January 22, 1996. Texas A&M University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action Employer.

### MOLECULAR BIOLOGIST FORDHAM UNIVERSITY

Individuals are invited to apply for a tenure-track position at the ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR level. The department has an active research program and provides excellent physical facilities, state-of-the-art equipment, a stimulating research environment, start-up funds, and competitive salaries and benefits. Candidates should possess expertise in the area of cell/molecular biology and have an ongoing grant-supported research effort underway. The appointee will be expected to establish an active research program and participate in teaching at the graduate and undergraduate levels. Please submit a curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of three references by 15 January 1996 to: Dr. Berish Y. Rubin, Chairman, Department of Biological Sciences, Fordham University, Bronx, NY 10458. Fordham University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### LOYOLA UNIVERSITY CHICAGO STRITCH SCHOOL OF MEDICINE FACULTY POSITION Department of Microbiology and Immunology

The Department of Microbiology & Immunology (Chair: Dr. Katherine L. Knight) invites applications for a TENURE-TRACK appointment. The candidate is expected to develop an independent, extramurally funded research program using mammalian, yeast, or prokaryotic models to study molecular aspects of immunology, virology, or bacteriology. Excellent new facilities and attractive start-up funds are available. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, a concise statement of their present and future research interests, and names and addresses of three references to: Dr. Hans-Martin Jäck, Chair, Search Committee, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Loyola University Chicago, 2160 South First Avenue, Maywood, IL 60153.

Environmental Chemistry FACULTY POSITION, tenure-track, any rank, in the Chemistry Department, State University of New York-College of Environmental Science and Forestry (SUNY-CESF). A Ph.D. in chemistry or related discipline, with emphasis in environmental chemistry, is required. Strength in physical chemistry and postdoctoral experience are preferred. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a strong, extramurally funded research program and teach effectively at the undergraduate and graduate level. The department has 13 faculty members and offers B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. degrees with specializations in biochemistry, environmental, natural products and polymer chemistry. Information on the Department and its new building can be found at http://www.esf.edu/. The position is available starting August 15, 1996. To apply, submit a detailed curriculum vitae, research plans, and three letters of recommendation to: John P. Hassett, Faculty of Chemistry, SUNY-CESF, 1 Forestry Drive, Syracuse, NY 13210-2778. Deadline is January 15, 1996. SUNY-CESF is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are especially encouraged to apply.

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For application packets, contact:

Rebecca Bennett, The College Fund/UNCF, 1-800-331-2244

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#### Executive Director

## American Association for Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care (AAALAC)

The Executive Director is the Chief Executive Officer of the American Association for Accreditation of Laboratory Animal Care in Rockville MD to start July 1996. Duties are in four areas: 1) operation of the AAALAC office; 2) fiscal and personnel management for the Association; 3) oversight of the accreditation program; 4) professional spokesperson for the organization. In all matters, the Executive Director accepts policies formulated by the Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee and implements programs consistent with those policies.

The following qualifications are required: An earned post-graduate degree; Familiarity with the function of NIH, USDA, and other federal agencies in animal care and use programs; Ability to communicate the position of AAALAC to professional and public constituencies. The following qualifications are desirable: Expertise in the management of non-profit organizations; Experience in the administration of animal care and use programs; Familiarity with the role of AAALAC as an accrediting agency, and with the issues of animal care and use in research, teaching, and testing.

Send Resume and at least 3 letters of recommendation to: Hugh L. Evans, Ph.D., Chair, AAALAC Search Committee, Nelson Institute of Environmental Medicine, New York University Medical Center, Long Meadow Rd., Tuxedo, N.Y. 10987.



# MAYO CLINIC MAYO CANCER CENTER

#### **Associate Director for Cancer Prevention and Control**

The NCI-designated Mayo Cancer Center in Rochester, Minnesota, invites applications for Associate Director of Cancer Prevention and Control. Investigators with established research programs in cancer prevention and control and with demonstrated leadership skills are encouraged to apply. The Mayo Clinic provides an outstanding environment for conducting cancer prevention and control research, with particular strengths in epidemiology biostatistics and health services research. Interested candidates should submit a letter of application including a statement of research interests, curriculum vitae, bibliography, and list of references to:

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#### SCIENCE EDUCATOR PHYSICAL SCIENTIST

The College of Science seeks an ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, tenure track, to begin August 1996. A doctorate is required in atmospheric sciences, geology, or physics coupled with knowledge and experience in pre-college teaching and teacher preparation. Teaching will be at least 50% in the Science Education Program, including Secondary Science Methods and Student Teacher Supervision. Appointment and science teaching will be in the appropriate science department. Scholarship in physical science and/or teaching and learning, including research and publication and external funding, is expected. San Jose State University is a multicultural metropolitan California State University in the Silicon Valley, with a wide array of academic programs for its diverse population of about 26,000 students.

Curriculum vitae, statement of academic priorities, and three letters of reference must be received by February 16, 1996. Send to: Dr. Jean Beard, College of Science, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA 95192-0099. San Jose State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### COGNITIVE SCIENCE

The University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB) invites applications and nominations for a position in Cognitive Science. Candidates must have a strong record of research accomplishment and are expected to maintain an active extramurally funded research program. The successful candidate is expected to take a leadership role in a new interdepartmental graduate program in Cognitive Science. The appointment will likely be at the ASSOCI-ATE or FULL PROFESSOR level but applications from excellent candidates at the Assistant Professor level are also welcome. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, summary of research interests, representative reprints, and the names of three referees to: Michael Sloane, Ph.D., Cognitive Science Search Committee, Department of Psychology, UAB, Birmingham, AL 35294-1170. FAX: 205-975-6110; Email: sloane@eyes.uab.edu. UAB is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### MALACOLOGIST AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

The Department of Invertebrates invites applications for a TENURE-TRACK curatorial position in malacology to be available September 1, 1996. The prime requisite is a strong program in collections-based research in malacology including active fieldwork and appropriate laboratory and analytic approaches. The focus should be in one or more of the following areas: systematics, phylogenetic analysis, biogeography, analyses of life history or other ecological traits, or evolution. The new curator will also be responsible for managing the Department's large collection of molluses in addition to participating in Museum committees, educational programs, and exhibition programs. The salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The successful candidate must have the Ph.D. by time of appointment. Applications should include (1) a brief statement of research interest; (2) curriculum vitae; (3) complete bibliography; and (4) three letters of recommendation from persons familiar with the applicant's qualifications. Applications must be submitted by February 15, 1996 to: Dr. Neil H. Landman, Chairman, Search Committee, Department of Invertebrates, American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West at 79th Street, New York, NY 10024. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY

Carnegie Mellon's Department of Engineering and Public Policy has **FACULTY OPENINGS** for people with Ph.D.'s in engineering or science to teach and do research on: the social dimensions of global change; manufacturing and industrial policy; arms control and security policy. Résumé with publication list and references to: **Granger Morgan, Head EPP, Carnegie Mellon, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.** 

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES Director—Environmental Research Center

The Academy of Natural Sciences has an immediate opening for **DIRECTOR** of its Patrick Center for Environmental Research, in Philadelphia. The Center's staff of over 40 full-time professionals (including 10 Ph.D.s) perform research on the effects of natural processes and human activities on the structure and function of aquatic ecosystems, and apply this knowledge to the sound management of watersheds. The Director is responsible for all aspects of the Center's operation, including program, fiscal, and general management, and coordination with the Academy's other research centers. Requires Ph.D. in an appropriate environmental/ecological discipline, a strong understanding of and commitment to basic and applied ecological research, and demonstrated leadership experience in an academic research setting. The successful candidate will be articulate, highly organized, and capable of using excellent interpersonal skills to interact well with Patrick Center scientists, the Academy's administration, potential sponsors in governmental agencies and the private sector, and the public. The Director must develop and lead an aggressive marketing effort aimed at obtaining grants and contracts from governments and industries concerned with the environmental quality of aquatic ecosystems. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference by January 15, 1996 to: Chair, PCER Director Search Committee, Academy of Natural Sciences, 1900 Benjamin Franklin Parkway, Philadelphia, PA 19103-1195. Full benefit package. Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Denver Museum seeks applicants for CHAIR and CURATOR in the Department of Earth Sciences. The Chair will supervise a department of three curators, a collection manager, office manager, two preparators, and over 100 volunteers. Collection strengths are in fossil vertebrates and plants, and minerals from Western North America (about 30,000 specimens each). The successful candidate must be committed to museum exhibition, education, and research, and be able to manage and teach in a certification program in paleontology for amateurs with an emphasis on terrestrial ecosystems. Experience in managing large projects and budgets and a record of successful grant-funded research is required. Candidates must have a Ph.D. with demonstrated research excellence in area of collection strengths of the Museum and at least five years' experience as a curator. Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, three publications (scientific and popular), and arrange to have three letters of recommendation sent to: Personnel Office, Denver Museum of Natural History, 2001 Colorado Boulevard, Denver, CO 80205. Closing date is January 9, 1996. FAX: 303-331-6492; Email: paleo@dmnh. org. The Denver Museum is an Affirmative Action/Equal Employment Opportunity/ADA Employer.

#### ASSISTANT PROFESSOR HUMAN ANATOMY

The Department of Anatomy, Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine, is seeking a TENURETRACK FACULTY MEMBER to participate in teaching medical gross anatomy/embryology, and to contribute to the research program of the Department. Applicants should have an active research program in morphological aspects of mammalian evolution and experience in teaching dissection-based human gross anatomy. The Department is interested in expanding its strengths in functional morphology, paleontology, and/or biological anthropology.

The Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine is part of a consortium that includes Kent State University, The University of Akron, and Youngstown State University. Also included in the research base of the consortium is the Cleveland Museum of Natural History. A doctoral program in biological anthropology is offered through the School of Biomedical Sciences at Kent State University. Applications consisting of a cover letter stating research interests, curriculum vitae, and three letters of recommendation should be sent to: Dr. Steve Ward, Department of Anatomy, Northeastern Ohio Universities College of Medicine, P. O. Box 95, 4209 State Route 44, Rootstown, OH 44272. The appointment begins July 1, 1996. The deadline for applications is February 15, 1996. Affinnative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

FACULTY POSITIONS
The University of Texas
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Hamon Center for Basic Research in Cancer

The Hamon Center for Basic Research in Cancer at The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center invites applications for tenure-track faculty positions at the level of ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR. We are seeking individuals who will interact effectively within a center with strengths in developmental biology, molecular biology, and genetics. Successful applicants should be capable of establishing a vigorous independent research program and should be prepared to participate in teaching in one of several vigorous graduate programs. Scientists working in the areas of signal transduction, gene regulation, and differentiation are particularly encouraged to apply.

Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae containing a brief summary of past research accomplishments, a statement of future research objectives, and three letters of reference to:

Dr. Eric N. Olson, Director Hamon Center for Basic Research in Cancer University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas 5323 Harry Hines Boulevard Dallas, TX 75235-9038

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DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGIST: The Department of Biology, Hofstra University, invites applications for an ASSISTANT PROFESSOR tenure-track position. Applicant must be capable of maintaining an active research program involving undergraduate and Master's degree students and developing a modern laboratory/lecture course in developmental biology. Teaching experience in embryology desired. Ph.D. required; postdoctoral experience preferred. Submit curriculum vitae, statements of teaching goals and research interests (including a short description of plan to involve students in research), three representative reprints, and three letters of reference to: Developmental Biologist Search, Dr. Dorothy E. Pumo, Chair, Department of Biology, 114s Hofstra University, Hempstead, NY 11550. Deadline: 31 January 1996. Hofstra University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, Department of Chemistry invites applications for a tenure-track ASSISTANT PROFESSORSHIP in Analytical/Biochemistry to begin fall 1996. Particular consideration will be given to applicants with research interests in biological, biomaterials or environmental applications of analytical chemistry. Exceptional candidates may be considered for appointment at a higher rank. Applications should include a curriculum vitae with a brief description of proposed research projects and letters of recommendation from three professional references. Applications must be submitted by January 30, 1996 and sent to: Professor Joseph T. Warden, Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Department of Chemistry, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY 12180-3590. Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer and encourages applications from women and minority candidates.

#### GENETICIST/DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGIST

The Whittier College Biology Department seeks AS-SISTANT PROFESSOR for tenure-track position, subject to funding (to begin fall term, 1996), to teach lectures and labs for upper-division courses in genetics and developmental biology. Duties will also include teaching introductory biology for majors and non-majors. Faculty are expected to establish a research program that involves undergraduates. Ph.D. required; postdoctoral experience preferred. Submit letter of application (including statements of teaching and research interests), curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference that evaluate teaching and research. Files will be reviewed beginning January 31, 1996, continuing until position is filled. Send all documents to: Dr. Clifton Morris (Chair), Biology Department, Whittier College, P.O. Box 634, Whittier, CA 90608. Equal Opportunity/Assimative Action Educator/Employer.



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For further information or to apply, please send your curriculum vitae to:

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The department seeks an innovative and dynamic indi-

vidual to fill the position by September 1996. Candidates must have a Ph.D., an internationally recognized record of scholarly research, proven administrative and leadership skills, and must qualify for appointment as full professor with tenure. The chairperson will be expected to maintain a well-funded research program, to provide outstanding leadership in enhancing both research and educational programs at the undergraduate and graduate levels, and to have a demonstrated commitment to issues of diversity

Applicants should submit their curriculum vitae, a letter describing their qualifications for the position, and three letters of recommendation to: Carol M. Warner, Biology Search Committee Chair, Faculty Senate Office, 442 Ryder, Northeastern University, Boston, MA 02115. Full consideration will be given to applications received by February 15, 1996. Northeastern University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Title IX Employer

Aquatic Invertebrate Biologist, ASSISTANT PROFES **SOR.** The Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse invites applications for an academic year, tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level to start August 26, 1996. Applicants should have a strong commitment to undergraduate education. The successful candidate must have a Ph.D. and will be expected to (1) teach a course in aquatic invertebrate biology, (2) develop a course in an area of specialization, (3) assist in lectures and laboratories in introductory biology and/or zoology, and (4) develop an externally funded research program and direct undergraduate and graduate (M.S.) research. Candidates must have background and/or experience in one or more of the following areas: ecotoxicology, molecular toxicology, transport and fate of contaminants, environmental impact and risk assessment, GIS, physiological ecology. Send curriculum vitae, statements of teaching philosophy and research interests, graduate and undergraduate transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to: **Dr. James E. Parry, Chair**man, Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI 54601. Deadline for receipt of materials is February 15, 1996. The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportu-nity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

Geneticist, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. The Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse invites applications for an academic-year tenuretrack Assistant Professor, to begin August 26, 1996. Applicants should have a strong commitment to undergraduate education and must have a Ph.D. in genetics with an emphasis in plant molecular genetics. The successful candidate will be expected (1) to teach a general genetics course, (2) to develop a course in an area of specialty, (3) to participate in a plant biology course and (4) to develop an externally funded research program and to direct undergraduate and graduate (M.S.) research. Send curriculum vitae, statements of teaching philosophy and research interests, graduate and undergraduate transcripts and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. James E. Parry, Chairman, Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI 54601. Deadline for receipt of materials is February 23, 1996. The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to carry out structure/function analysis of a novel class of small Zn<sup>2+</sup>-binding transcriptional activators. Applicants should have a strong background in protein biochemistry, including experience with protein overexpression and purification. Send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and names of three references to: Dr. Gail Christie, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Virginia Commonwealth University, Box 980678, Richmond, VA 23298-0678.

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#### NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY DIRECTOR

Biomedical/Biotechnology Research Institute

The DIRECTOR of the Biomedical/Biotechnology Research Institute will provide leadership for a broadly based modern research and training program that includes a variety of subdisciplines, such as environmental health, toxicology, and carcinogenesis. Responsibilities include setting research priorities; recruiting and hiring a staff of investigators and guiding them to secure external research and training funding; and insuring collaborative interactions among other relevant North Carolina Central University (NCCU) programs, local universities, and federal and corporate research communities.

Candidates for the position must hold the Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree, preferably in the biomedical sciences, have expertise in one of the biomedical research disciplines, and be an experienced scientist, academician, and administrator. The applicant should have published in refereed journals, possess an extensive record of research funding, and be experienced in directing an established and successful research program.

This is a twelve-month appointment. Rank and salary depend upon qualifications and experience. Review of candidates will begin on February 19, 1996, and will continue until the position is filled.

Please send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and names of references to: The BBRI Search Committee, c/o Gloria A. Haynes, Personal Assistant to the Chancellor, North Carolina Central University, Post Office Box 19617, Durham, NC 27707. NCCU com plies with the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.

#### ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR CANCER PHARMACOLOGY

The School of Pharmacy and the Norris Cancer Center, University of Southern California (USC), Los Angeles, are seeking experienced investigators with background in chemistry, biochemistry, or molecular biology for a TEN-URED/TENURE-TRACK position. Persons conducting research in the general area of cancer pharmacology, and specifically oriented toward novel therapies based on molecular mechanisms, will be given the highest consideration. Teaching at the graduate and professional levels in the School of Pharmacy is required. Candidates should send the names of three individuals who can provide letters of reference and should send a curriculum vitae and a brief summary of research accomplishments and future research goals to: Michael B. Bolger, Ph.D., School of Pharmacy, University of Southern California, 1985 Zonal Avenue, PSC 700, Los Angeles, CA 90033. Evaluation of applications will begin February 1, 1996 and continue until the position is filled. USC is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Mycologist, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR. The Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse invites applications for an academic year, tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level to start August 26, 1996. Applicants should have a strong commitment to undergraduate education. The successful candidate will be expected to teach general mycology and medical mycology, and to participate in introductory microbiology and/or biology courses. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an externally funded research program and direct undergraduate and graduate (M.S.) research. A Ph.D. required with an emphasis in mycology. Send curriculum vitae, statment of teaching philosophy and research interests, graduate and under graduate transcripts, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. James E. Parry, Chair, Department of Biology and Microbiology, University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, La Crosse, WI 54601. Deadline: materials to be received by February 15, 1996. The University of Wisconsin-La Crosse is an Affinnative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the mechanisms and genetics of human retinal degenerations. Experience with genetic screening, cloning, expression and site-directed mutagenesis preferable. Funding is available for two years with the potential for evolving into an independent self-supporting investigator in an active research environment. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Ted Acott, Ph.D., CERES, Casey Eye Institute, Oregon Health Sciences University, 3375 SW Terwilliger, Portland, OR 97201. Email: acott@ohsu.edu. Equal Opportunity Institution

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### FACULTY POSITION IN X-RAY CRYSTALLOGRAPHY

The Department of Biological Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology at Harvard Medical School and the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute are seeking applications for a position at the ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level to be located at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute. Applicants should have an interest in the application of x-ray crystallography to address significant problems in structural biology, biochemistry, pharmacology, and cancer. The successful candidate will join an outstanding interactive group of structural biologists in the Harvard Medical School community. Interested applicants should send an outline of future research plans, a curriculum vitae, bibliography, and the names of three to four references to: Professor James M. Hogle, Search Committee, Department of Biological Chemistry and Molecular Pharmacology, Harvard Medical School, 240 Longwood Avenue, Boston, MA 02115. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Harvard University and Dana-Farber Cancer Institute are Equal Opportunity Employers.

POSTDOCTORAL APPOINTMENT available for study of the role of oxidative stress in Alzheimer's disease and aging. Experience with contemporary molecular biology and protein biochemistry methods is desired. Our research emphasizes recombinant protein processing and trafficking. The Department of Pathology at the University of Texas provides stimulating scientific atmosphere and is part of the Texas Medical Center, the world's largest medical and scientific conglomerate. This also provides unlimited possibilities for collaborative research. Candidates should send curriculum vitae, transcripts, statement of research interests, and three letters of reference to: Miguel Pappolla, M.D., Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine, University of Texas at Houston, P. O. Box 20708, Houston, TX 77225. Email: pappolla@casper.med.uth.tmc.edu. The University of Texas is an Equal Opportunity/Assimulative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

#### UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine

The Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at the University of Cincinnati is recruiting for two POST-DOCTORAL POSITIONS for those scientists with a recent doctorate degree and a strong background in molecular biology techniques. The successful candidate's studies will involve the generation and use of transgenic and gene knockout mice in delineating the mechanisms for dietary regulation of lipid absorption genes and in the relationship between dietary lipid absorption and atherosclerosis.

Interested applicants should send a curriculum vitae and the names of three references. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Applications and inquiries should be directed to:

David Hui, Ph.D. Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine University of Cincinnati College of Medicine P.O. Box 670529 Cincinnati, OH 45267-0529

Vertebrate Zoology, Biology Department, College of Staten Island, City University of New York (CUNY), anticipates a tenure-track appointment as ASSISTANT PROFESSOR for September 1996. Ph.D., college instruction, curriculum development, and record sufficient for appointment to CUNY graduate faculty required. Postdoctoral experience and grant activity preferred. Send curriculum vitae, research plans, and names and addresses of three references to: Prof. J. LeBlanc, Search Committee Chair, Biology Department, College of Staten Island/CUNY, 2800 Victory Boulevard, Staten Island, NY 10314. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/ADA Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS Molecular and Cell Biology of Apolipoproteins

Positions are available to study the regulation and func-tions of apolipoproteins involved in lipid transport in both cell and transgenic mouse models. Candidates must have a Ph.D., M.D., or both. A strong background in cell and/or molecular biology is preferred. Positions available through an NIH training grant: U.S. citizens or permanent residents only. Contact: Ms. Irene Franck, Division Administrator, Department of Medicine, P&S 9-510, Columbia University, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. We take Affirmative Action toward Equal Opportunity

The DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY at the University of Alberta invites applications for a FACULTY POSITION preferably at the Assistant Professor level (Salary Range \$39,230-\$55,526). This position is an entry into the regular academic progression of the university. The candidate is expected to secure extramural funding to support a high quality research program in an area that complements existing strengths of the department. These include: control of protein and mRNA turnover, molecular biology of lipids and lipoproteins, molecular immunology and virology, protein structure and function, proteolysis mechanisms, recombination and re-pair, signal transduction and transcriptional control (see http://www.biochem.ualberta.ca). We offer an outstanding research environment and graduate training program in these areas. An attractive start-up package, including three years of initial salary support, will be provided. In accordance with Canadian Immigration regulations, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. Individuals with a Ph.D. or equivalent and appropriate postdoctoral experience should send a letter of application, curriculum vitae, brief description of research plans, and arrange to have three letters of reference sent to: Dr. Vern Paetkau, Chair, Department of Biochemistry, University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada T6G 2H7. The application deadline is January 31, 1996. The University of Alberta is committed to the principle of equity in employment. As an employer we welcome diversity in the workplace and encourage applications from all qualified women and men, including Aboriginal peoples, persons with disabilities and members of visible minorities.

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#### RESEARCH ASSOCIATES

Positions will include the functional characterization of novel proteins expressed in cells of the immune system. Candidates will have a variety of responsibilities including mammalian cell culture, molecular biology, protein purification and analysis, and cellular biology. An MS and 3-5 years of experience is required.

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   Karen-Beth Scholthof
- 2. Satellite Viruses and Satellite RNAs
  Drs. Karen-Beth Scholthof and
  Marilyn Roossinck
- 3. Long Distance Movement of Tombusviruses Dr. Herman B. Scholthof
- 4. Interactions Between Different Furoviruses Dr. Charlie Rush
- 5. Engineered Resistance and Molecular Farming in Transgenic Sugarcane and Sorghum

Drs. T. Erik Mirkov and James Irvine

For category 1-3, send applications or requests for additional information to the Department of Plant Pathology and Microbiology at Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843, Fax: 409-845-6483. For category 4, send correspondence to the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES), P.O. Drawer 10, Bushland, TX 79012, Fax: 806-354-5829, and for category 5 to TAES, 2415 EHwy 83 Weslaco, TX 78596, Fax: 210-968-0641, or e-mail:e-mirkov@tamu.edu.



# MAYO CLINIC MAYO CANCER CENTER

#### Staff Scientist in Cancer Research

The NCI-designated Mayo Cancer Center in Rochester, Minnesota, invites applications for several staff scientist positions in cancer research. Investigators with established research programs in areas of cancer biology with clinical/translational applicability are especially encouraged to apply. Areas of particular emphasis in the Mayo Cancer Center include breast and gynecologic malignancies, neuro-oncology (adult and pediatric primary brain tumors), prostate and genito-urinary malignancies, gastrointestinal malignancies, soft tissue sarcomas (including pediatric solid tumors), and hematologic malignancies. The Mayo Clinic provides an outstanding environment for investigators interested in applying modern advances in the cellular and molecular basis of cancer to improved methods in the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of cancer. Interested applicants should submit a statement of research interests, curriculum vitae, bibliography and list of references to:

Nita J. Maihle, Ph.D. Associate Director for Basic Research Mayo Cancer Center Mayo Clinic 200 First Street SW Rochester, MN 55905

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### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION EPITHELIAL STEM CELLS

Position available to study the biological properties of corneal and conjunctival epithelial stem cells. Candidates must have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. with a strong background in cell culture and molecular biology. Additional experience in conducting studies with laboratory animals (rodents, rabbits) is a strong asset. Send curriculum vitae, including description of research experience and letters of three references to: Robert M. Lavker, Ph.D., Department of Dermatology, University of Pennsylvania Health System, 235 CRB, Philadelphia, PA 19104-6142.

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#### POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

A POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP is available in protein chemistry. Incumbent will study the structural changes of proteins and starch-protein interactions during food processing. Salary is \$30,000.00 per year. Applicants with doctoral degree and a strong background in protein chemistry and/or starch-protein interaction should apply to: Dr. Gour Choudhury, Associate Professor, Fishery Industrial Technology Center, University of Alaska, 900 Trident Way, Kodiak, AK 99615, USA. Telephone: 907-486-1535.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS wanted for electrophysiological and electrochemical studies of transmitter release using midbrain dopamine and PC12 cell lines. Individuals will collaborate with group providing transfected lines expressing mutant synaptic proteins. Applicants must have Ph.D. or M.D. with equivalent experience. Candidates should have electrophysiology experience. Strong interest in synaptic plasticity desirable. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Dr. David Sulzer, Department of Neurology, Parkinson's Disease Research Center, Black Building 3-307, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. Columbia University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

University of California and Veterans Administration Medical Center (VAMC), San Francisco, has a position available immediately for a qualified individual to join a group studying the regulation of breast cancer by growth factors and hormones including vitamin D. Applicants should have a Ph.D. in molecular and/or cellular biology. Please send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Daniel Bikle, M.D., Ph.D., Department of Medicine, VAMC (111N), 4150 Clement Street, San Francisco, CA 94121.

### POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATES Molecular Oncology

Positions available immediately in a laboratory developing new methods for diagnosis and therapy of breast and gynecological cancer. The candidate must be less than three years after obtaining a Ph.D. in biochemistry or molecular biology, and have documented experience with PCR, DNA, and RNA analysis and gene cloning. Candidates will be involved in cloning and characterization of the new female cancer virus and PCR analysis of human samples.

Please send or fax curricula vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Eva M. Rakowicz-Szulczynska, Associate Professor, Director, Molecular Oncology Laboratories, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Nebraska Eppley Cancer Center, 600 South 42nd Street, Omaha, NE 68198-3255. FAX: 402-559-8112.

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#### FELLOWSHIPS IN MATHEMATICS AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

The Program in Mathematics and Molecular Biology has GRADUATE and POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP support available. Current topics in the Program include geometry, topology, and sequence analysis of DNA, molecular dynamics, phylogenetic comparison, and RNA, and algorithms for molecular structure prediction. Other areas will be considered. Fellowships can be held at any university or college in the United States. Postmark deadline for applications: February 1, 1996. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. Apply to: PMMB, 103 Donner Lab, Number 3206, University of California at Berkeley, Berkeley, CA 94720-3206. Email: sylviaj@violet.berkeley.edu.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

A POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is available to study structural/functional aspects of LDL receptor family members. Projects include investigating the role of LRP in catabolism of amyloid precursor protein (see Cell, 82:331–340, 1995), and the role of the VLDL receptor in regulating proteinase catabolism in vascular cells (see J. Biol. Chem., 270:26550–26557, 1995). Submit curriculum vitae with the names and addresses of three references to: Dr. Dudley K. Strickland, Holland Laboratory, Department of Biochemistry, American Red Cross, 15601 Crabbs Branch Way, Rockville, MD 20855. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in molecular biology of nuclear hormone receptors, primarily studying mechanisms of gene regulation by thyroid hormone, retinoid and vitamin D receptors. Experience in molecular biology is required. Send curriculum vitae and letters of reference to: Dr. Ron Koenig, University of Michigan Medical Center, 1150 West Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-0678. FAX: 313-936-6684. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Boston Heart Foundation, Harvard/MIT Division of Health Sciences and Technology offers a POSTDOCTORAL POSITION, focussing on the earliest steps in atherogenesis. Ph.D. degree with experience in molecular biology is essential; protein characterization experience is helpful. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Robert S. Lees, Boston Heart Foundation, 139 Main Street, Cambridge, MA 02142. FAX: 617-253-3653; Email: rsl@MIT.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study the roles of free radicals in neuronal injury and degenerative disorders. Ph.D. in neuroscience, biochemistry, or related area. Experience in microdialysis, HPLC, and apoptosis are helpful. Send curriculum vitae, three references, and reprints to: Dr. Danxia Liu, Hall Magnet 1143, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX 77555. FAX: 409-747-2182. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

For the identification of ataxia genes (Pulst et al., Naturegenetics, 1993) and the analysis of familial brain tumors (Sainz et al., Hum. Mol. Genet., 1994), we are looking for two scientists with Ph.D. and established background in positional cloning and molecular genetics. Fax curriculum vitae with three references to: Cedars-Sinai Medical Center, Job 1950372 at 310-967-0130 or Email: Pulst@CSMC.EDU.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to develop novel somatic cell genetics strategies for the study of signal transduction. Requires Ph.D. in medical genetics and previous experience in hematopoesis, retrovirology, somatic cell genetics, fluorescence activated cell sorting, and molecular biology. Ability to perform human karyotype analysis essential. Send curriculum vitae by January 15, 1996 to: Professor Brent Cochran, Department of Physiology, Tufts University, 136 Harrison Avenue, Boston, MA 02111.

#### Doctoral Program in Molecular and Cellular Biology and Pathobiology

Interdisciplinary program in fundamental molecular and cellular biology and its application to disease. Competitive stipends of \$15,000 available. Contact: Director, MCBP Program, College of Graduate Studies, Medical University of South Carolina, 171 Ashley Avenue, Charleston, SC 29425-2501.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in Cellular and Molecular Neurobiology—The Department of Neurobiology has postdoctoral positions available to study various aspects of molecular, cellular, and developmental neurobiology. Some major areas of interest are cell-cell and cell-substratum adhesion molecules, neurite outgrowth, and nerve regeneration. Specific studies include: analysis of overexpression, mutation or deletion of adhesion molecules in animals; analysis of genes such as Hox and Pax that control the expression of adhesion molecules, and their subsequent roles in the formation of morphogenetic pathways during neural development; identification of signal transduction pathways and the gene programs activated by adhesion molecule binding. Applicants should have a strong background in cellular and/or molecular biology. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Dr. Gerald M. Edelman, Chairman, Department of Neurobiology, The Scripps Research Institute, 10666 North Torrey Pines Road, SBR14, La Jolla, CA 92037. Affinnative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

TWO positions are available immediately to study Mycobacterium tuberatlosis. Candidates must have laboratory experience in molecular genetics, automated DNA sequence analysis, or IS6100 typing. Two positions are also available to study Streptococcus pyogenes pathogenesis. Candidates must have experience in molecular genetics, recombinant protein expression and purification systems, or a broad background in immunology. Send curriculum vitae, including the names and telephone numbers of three references, to: James M. Musser, M.D., Ph.D., Section of Molecular Pathobiology, Department of Pathology, Baylor College of Medicine, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX 77030. FAX: 713-798-4595. Baylor College of Medicine is an Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action and Equal Access Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION—Tuberculosis drug development. A Ph.D. molecular biologist to clone, express, and "knock-out" genes required for cell wall biosynthesis in mycobacteria. Work would be part of extensive mycobacterial research done at Colorado State on drug development, physiology, genetics, and immunology of mycobacteria. Contact: Dr. Michael McNeil, Department of Microbiology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO 80523. Email: mmcneil@vines.colostate.edu; Telephone: 970-491-184; FAX: 970-491-1815.

POSTDOCTORAL OR RESEARCH ASSOCIATE POSITION available immediately to study the pathobiology of progressive renal disease in animal models and in cell culture. Techniques include Northern and Western analysis, reverse transcription PCR, in situ hybridization, ELISA detection of cytokines, immunohistochemistry, cell and tissue culture. Send curriculum vitae to: Jonathan R. Diamond, M.D., Division of Nephrology, The Milton S. Hershey Medical Center, P.O. Box 850, Hershey, PA 17033. The Pennsylvania State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS (two) and one RESEARCH COORDINATOR position available immediately to study receptors, G-proteins, and ion channels involved in sensory transduction in vertebrate taste cells (Nature, 376:80, 1995; Nature, 376:85, 1995; Nature, 357:563, 1992). Strong background in molecular biology, protein biochemistry, or transgenic technology required. Send curriculum vitae, names and addresses of three references, and a statement of research interests to: Dr. R. F. Margolskee, Box 1218, Department of Physiology and Biophysics, The Mount Sinai School of Medicine, One Gustave L. Levy Place, New York, NY 10029-6574. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available to study either the cis- and trans-acting components of vaccinia virus DNA replication or the role of protein phosphorylation in regulating viral transcription, replication, and morphogenesis. Submit curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Dr. Paula Traktman, Department of Cell Biology, Cornell University Medical College, 1300 York Avenue, New York, NY 10021. Email: ptrakt@mail.med.cornell.edu. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Minorities/Female/Disabled/Veteran.

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Individuals interested in applying to either program should contact the Office of Graduate Studies for a brochure and application: The Scripps Research Institute, Office of Graduate Studies, IMM 21, 10666 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, CA 92037. Tel: (619) 554-8469. Fax: (619) 554-6602. Internet: http://www.scripps.edu. The graduate programs are accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. TSRI is an equal opportunity institution.

# ROCHESTER

Department of Anesthesiology

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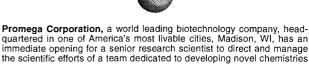
Applicants must be U.S.A. permanent residents, have an M.D. (or D.O.) degree, or be enrolled in medical school, and meet the entrance requirements of both the Anesthesiology Residency program, and the graduate program of their choice. The Departments of Biophysics, Physiology, Pharmacology, and Neurobiology and Anatomy currently participate in the program; others will be added. The individualized curricula is designed by faculty mentors from the basic science and Anesthesiology departments to ensure a logical progression of both clinical and academic training.

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Further information and applications may be obtained from: Richard J. Rivers, M.D., Ph.D.; TAPS Program, Department of Anesthesiology; University of Rochester Medical Center; 601 Elmwood Avenue, Box 604; Rochester, NY 14642; Phone: 716-275-2143; FAX: 716-244-7271; E-mail: RRIVERS@ccmail.anes.rochester.edu

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#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Mayo Clinic Scottsdale Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION focused on functional analysis of a carcinoma-associated transmembrane mucin MUC1. Project includes development and analysis of mammary gland tumors induced by chemicals and other means in Muc-1 null and wild type mice and analysis of phenotype of Muc-1 null mice using differential display or subtractive hybridization. Applicant should be experienced in molecular and tumor biology and immunology. Position available May 1996. Applicants should send curriculum vitae, three recommendation letters, and a one paragraph description of research interests to: Dr. Sandra Gendler, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Mayo Clinic Scottsdale, S. C. Johnson Medical Research Building, 13400 East Shea Boulevard, Scottsdale, AZ 85259.

### TWO POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL

1) Position available to study the molecular mechanisms involved in neuronal apoptosis and Alzheimer's disease. Experience in neuronal cell culture and biochemistry is required. 2) Position available to study the regulation and function of the new Alzheimer's disease genes. Experience in molecular and cell biology is required. Send curriculum vitae, a brief description of research experience, and names of three references to: Dr. Bruce Yankner, Children's Hospital, Enders 260, 300 Longwood Avenue, Boston, MA 02115. FAX: 617-738-1542. An Equal Opportunity/Affinative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available January 1, 1996 in digestive ecology/microbiology focusing on technologies for inhibition of methanogenesis and G1 tract pathogen (E. coli 0157:H7, Salmonella) colonization. The successful candidate will have microbial physiology background with anaerobic expertise in methanogens, pathogens, with good molecular biology and writing skills. Salary \$25,000, two years. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Dr. F. M. Byers/Dr. S. C. Ricke, Institute of Food Science and Engineering, 120 Rosenthal, Texas A&M, College Station, TX 77843-2259. Email: fmbyers@acs.tamu.edu; FAX: 409-845-5292.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study molecular mechanisms underlying malignant transformation. A strong background in molecular and cell biology is required. Experience with PCR, immunohistochemistry, and antibody production are desirable. Send résumé and the names of three references with telephone numbers to: Mark Dayton, M.D., Ph.D., Department of Medicine, Section of Hematology/Oncology, LSU Medical Center—Shreveport, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport, LA 71130. LSU Medical Center is an Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### FOUR POSTDOCTORAL/PH.D. POSITIONS

A multi-university collaborative project examining the evolutionary ecology of exotic species introductions into the Great Lakes is looking for four candidates for postdoc toral or Ph.D. studies. Four research areas are currently under investigation: 1) Zooplankton diversity: allozyme and DNA markers will be used to diagnose unrecognized species invasions and to ascertain the source locations of currently recognized exotics. Contact: P. D. N. Hebert; Email: phebert@uoguelph.ca. 2) Theoretical ecology: mathematical theory of biological invasions. Contact: P. Yodzis; Email: pyodzis@uoguelph.ca. 3) Zooplankton feeding ecology: feeding rates and prey electivities, effects of *Bythotrephes* density on per capita feeding rates, and spatial distribution of this predator and its prey. Contact: **W**. G. Sprules; Email: gsprules@cyclops.erin.utoronto.ca. 4) Diffusion of exotic species: development of microsatellites for species of exotic molluscs and GIS modelling of diffusion from the source populations identified with these molecular markers. Contact: E. G. Boulding; Email: boulding@uoguelph.ca. Application packages should include a résumé, academic transcripts, the names, telephone numbers, and Email addresses of three academic referees, and an explanation of how your background relates to the position, and should be sent to: Dr. Elizabeth Boulding, Department of Zoology, University of Guelph, Guelph, Ontario N1G 2W1 Canada. Positions will remain open until they are filled. D. K. Padilla (U. Wisconsin, Madison) and J. E. Havel (Southwest Missouri State U.) are also collaborators on this project. The University of Guelph is committed to an employment equity program that includes special measures to achieve diversity among its faculty and staff. We therefore particularly encourage applications from qualified aboriginal Canadians, persons with disabilities, members of visible minorities, and women

#### POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Molecular Biology and Functions of Eosinophils

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available in laboratory moving to the Department of Biochemistry starting March/April 1996 for two Ph.D.'s: (1) to characterize the regulatory regions of eosinophil genes, to clone and characterize transcription factors that regulate eosinophil-specific gene expression, and to study the role of these factors in eosinophil development and function. Genes under study include the alpha subunit of the IL-5 receptor, eosinophil-generated cytokines, granule cationic proteins, and CLC protein. Molecular biology experience in gene regulation/transcription factor research desirable. (2) To analyze structure-function relationships for granule proteins/enzymes of eosinophils, specifically studying their mechanisms of action in the pathogenesis of inflammation, tissue damage and airways dysfunction in asthma, allergic and other eosinophil-associated diseases. Experience in structural biology, and protein engineering, expression, and purification desirable. Send your curriculum vitae, three reference letters, and two reprints to: Steven J. Ackerman, Ph.D., Department of Medicine, RE219, Beth Israel Hospital and Harvard Medical School, 330 Brookline Avenue, Boston, MA 02215. The University of Illinois is an Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the mechanism of action of G-protein oncogenes of the RAS family in transformation and mitogenic signaling (Chan et al., PNAS, 91:7558–7562). Highly motivated individuals with strong training in biochemistry/molecular biology essential. Experience with cell culture techniques highly desirable. Send curriculum vitae and name of three references to: Dr. Andrew M. L. Chan, The Derald H. Ruttenberg Cancer Center, The Mount Sinai Medical Center, 1230 York Avenue, Box 250, New York, NY 10021. Email: chanc@rockvax.rockefeller.edu; Telephone: 212-327-7343; FAX: 212-327-7342.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study molecular mechanisms underlying urological malignancies. A strong background in molecular and cell biology is required. Experience with immunhistochemistry and antibody production are a plus. Send résumé, names of three references (and their telephone numbers) to: Oliver Sartor, M.D., Department of Urology, LSU Medical Center, 1501 King's Highway, Shreveport, LA 71130. The University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinative Action Employer.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**



Wayne State University

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE position in lung toxicology/cell biology available immediately to study cellular and subcellular events involved in the inflammatory and permeability changes in the airways following exposure to air pollutants. The studies utilize innovative in vivo and in vitro approaches to examine biological effects. Participation in studies aimed at analyzing cytokines, cell adhesion molecules, cytoskeleton, inflammation, and epithelial injury is expected. Experience can be drawn from immunocytochemical, morphological, and biochemical procedures. Send curriculum vitae to: Deepak K. Bhalla, Ph.D., Department of Occupational and Environmental Health Sciences, College of Pharmacy and Allied Health Professions, 628 Shapero Hall, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI 48202.

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#### POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

The Ecosystems Center at the Marine Biological Laboratory has an opening beginning January 1, 1996. The project will trace the importance of nutrients and organic matter from the watershed to the oligohaline foodweb of an estuary by experimentally adding 15N-enriched dissolved inorganic nitrogen and following uptake in biota. Should have a Ph.D., with a strong background in higher trophic levels, food webs, and modeling plus good writing skills and the ability to work well in collaborative research. Deadline is December 22, 1995 or until a suitable candidate is identified. Position is funded for two years. Please send résumé, names of three references, general statement of interest, and copies of papers to: Human Resources, Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, MA 02543. Telephone: 508-289-7422; Email: resume@mbl.edu. Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action/Non-snoking workplace.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION to investigate the mechanism by which G proteins and their components regulate the activity of phospholipases via protein kinases/phosphatases in cells transfected with wild type and mutated G protein coupled receptors and signaling elements. Applicants must have a Ph.D., M.D., or D.V.M. degree with experience in the area of molecular biology. Please send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Dr. K. U. Malik, Department of Pharmacology, University of Tennessee, Memphis, 874 Union Avenue, Memphis, TN 38163. Telephone: 901-448-6075; FAX: 901-448-7300. The University of Tennessee, Memphis is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Title VII/Title IX/Section 504/ADA Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION. Available immediately to participate in NIH-supported research project on insulin regulation of gene expression at Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. Studies use a multidisciplinary approach including interaction of proteins, generation of transgenic mice, and measurement of intermediary metabolism. Experience in in vivo metabolism/biochemistry and molecular methods is preferred. Send or FAX curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. Jacob E. Friedman, Department of Nutrition, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44106. Telephone: 216-368-1616; FAX: 216-368-4544.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is immediately available to study the regulation of eukaryotic transcription by hypoxia. The work will focus on the human erythropoietin gene and its complex regulation by oxygen and orphan receptors. The applicant must have a Ph.D. and experience in molecular biology. Send a description of your research interests and achievements, a curriculum vitae, and the names and addresses of three references to: Kerry L. Blanchard, Ph.D., M.D., Louisiana State University Medical Center, Center for Excellence in Cancer Research, Treatment and Education, 1501 Kings Highway, Shreveport, LA 71130-3932. Email: kblanc.mailsh.lsumc.edu. Louisiana State University Medical Center is an Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.



#### Chairperson, Department of Cellular Biology and Anatomy

The Medical College of Wisconsin is reopening the search for a Chairperson for its Department of Cellular Biology and Anatomy.

The department is housed in a well-equipped modern facility. The faculty have productive research programs in developmental biology, visual sciences and neurosciences utilizing molecular, cellular, systems and imaging approaches. Departmental teaching responsibilities include the medical anatomy curriculum and the graduate program in cellular biology.

Candidates for chairperson should have a strong record of research achievements and scholarship, a commitment to graduate and medical education, and strong administrative skills to catalyze the continued growth of departmental programs. Candidates with research interests that include neurosciences, cancer, cardiovascular diseases are especially encouraged to apply although all outstanding candidates will be given serious consideration. The Medical College of Wisconsin has experienced a doubling in research funding during the last decade, and seeks to continue this trend through recruitment of excellent academic leadership and faculty.

Inquires should be directed to: Search Committee for Cellular Biology and Anatomy, c/o Office of The Dean, Medical College of Wisconsin, 8701 Watertown Plank Road, Milwaukee, WI 53226.

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IN GAMETE AND
EMBRYO BIOLOGY
AT THE
UNIVERSITY OF
WISCONSIN, MADISON

Faculty and research topics are: Barry Bavister-fertilization and early development; Bill Bement-signal transduction/cvtoskeleton; Gary Borisy-cell motility and the cytoskeleton; Neal First-maternal/embryonic transitions; Ted Golos-trophoblast determination; Jeff Hardin-gastrulation and morphogenesis; John Hearn-implantation; Gary Lyons-gene expression in embryonic stem cells; John Parrish-capacitation and acrosome reaction; Gerald Schatten-imaging motility during fertilization. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Send curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, reprints/preprints, and a 2-3 page research proposal to: Dr. Gerald Schatten, Gamete and Embryo Training Program, University of Wisconsin, 1117 West Johnson Street, Madison, WI 53706. FAX: (608) 262-7319. EMAIL:schatten@macc.wisc.edu An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.





#### **Department of Developmental Neurobiology**

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, a renowned center for biomedical research, has launched an initiative in the neurosciences housed in the recently completed Danny Thomas Re-

search Tower. To this end, a new Department of Developmental Neuróbiology, dedicated to the investigation of fundamental questions in contemporary neurobiology, has been created. The department is now recruiting postdoctoral fellows, graduate students and technical staff with research interests and training in molecular and cellular neurobiology. Currently, the department comprises Dr. Tom Curran (analysis of gene regulation; gene function during neurodevelopment), Dr. James Morgan (molecular basis of neuronal degeneration and regeneration; stimulus-transcription coupling in the nervous system), Dr. Suzanne Baker (molecular basis of carcinogenesis in Ewings sarcoma and pediatric brain tumors) and Dr. Michisuke Yuzaki (role of excitatory amino acid receptors in development and function of the nervous system; mechanisms of synaptic plasticity).

The campus provides a state-of-the-art research environment including new, custom designed laboratories and core facilities for molecular biology, peptide and protein chemistry, genomics and transgenie/knockout technology. The research towers presently house approximately 300 doctoral level scientists who provide a rich and interpactive scientific environment. In addition, the Department is fostering strong intellectual and collaborative ties with neuroscientists and neurologists at the University of Tennessee Medical School. The faculty are affiliated with the Neuroscience Graduate Program in the Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology.

Postdoctoral candidates should send a CV and 3 letters of recommendation to the research lab of interest. Candidates for technical positions should write or call Kathleen Speck, human resources department (901-495-2770), for information and application forms. Potential graduate program. We expect to move into the new space in February, 1996; therefore, applicants should inquire before the end of January.

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# Senior Scientists

# -Virology and Cell Biology

Quality Biotech Inc. is a leading international biotechnology service company engaged in contract research and biosafety testing for the biopharmaceutical industry. As part of our expansion we have openings for two Senior Scientists. The positions require a Ph.D. in virology, Microbiology, Cell Biology or Molecular Biology and postdoctoral training. Supervisory experience is a plus.

For the position in our Virology and Cell Biology Section we seek an individual who has experience with assays for human, animal/or insect viruses. The individual will supervise a number of established assays to test or characterize biopharmaceuticals, and establish new testing procedures in the areas of gene therapy, tissue engineering, and for other novel biopharmaceutical approaches. The individual should have experience with a wide variety of viruses and/or cell cultures. Experience with standard biosafety assays such as sterility, endotoxin and general safety tests is a plus.

A second position is available in our Viral Validation Group. This group is responsible for the design and implementation of customized protocols for validation of virus removal and inactivation by biopharmaceutical and blood product manufacturing processes. The Senior Scientist in this position will be responsible for development of mammalian virus assays and production of virus stocks and will be involved with a wide variety of purification procedures including chromatography, filtration, and various virus inactivation methods. The individual should have experience in virology, cell culture, and standard protein purification methods.

We offer health benefits, 401(k) plan and tuition reimbursement. Send resume and salary requirements to: Quality Biotech Inc., Human Resources, 1667 Davis Street, Camden, 08104. Equal opportunity employer.



#### DIRECTOR OF CANCER GENETICS

The Department of Medicine, Columbia University, is searching for a PROFESSOR/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR—level candidate for an endowed chair with substantial resources to develop a basic research and related clinical program in cancer genetics. Interested individuals should send their curriculum vitae and bibliography to: Dr. Karen Antman, Chief, Division of Medical Oncology, MHB 6N-435, 177 Fort Washington Avenue, New York, NY 10032. The University is particularly interested in qualified minority and women applicants. An Affinnative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### ORGANIC PHYSICAL CHEMIST Fluorescent Probe Synthesis

Position available for an individual with wide experience in synthetic organic chemistry of fluorescent probes. The research involves synthesis and testing of novel fluorescent probes for use in biochemistry, immunochemistry, and chemical/clinical sensing. Ph.D. required in organic chemistry, physical chemistry, or a closely related discipline. Experience with conjugatable probes, cation probes, and fluorescence spectroscopy necessary. Appointment at RESEARCH ASSOCIATE or RESEARCH ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level (non-ten-ten-track). Send curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, representative publications, and salary requirements to: Probe Chemistry Search Committee, c/o Dr. J. R. Lakowicz, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, 108 North Greene Street, Baltimore, MD 21201. Application deadline: January 19, 1996. Equal Opportunity Employer. Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.

The USDA, Agricultural Research Service (ARS). Fargo, North Dakota, is seeking a RESEARCH SCIEN TIST in animal physiology, chemistry, or biochemistry to conduct research on the metabolic fate of food or feed additives or environmental chemicals that may affect food safety. The research will seek to isolate and identify metabolites in mammalian tissues and excreta. The successful candidate is expected to develop a research program that will increase the understanding of physiological and biochemical mechanisms involved in the metabolism and disposition of food or feed additives or environmental chemicals that can be applied to the detection, prevention, and/or elimination of residues of these classes of compounds in animal products. Applicants must meet minimum education requirements as described in Vacancy Announcement ARS-D-6W-024. At least one year of research experience at the postdoctoral level in animal physiology (with a background in chemistry) would be required at the higher levels. Experience in mammalian surgery, metabolic studies (i.e., isolation and characterization of metabolites) and instrumentation (i.e., mass spectrometry, NMR, GLC, and HPLC) are advantageous. Salary (\$34,295 to \$49,989; plus 3.74% locality pay) is commensurate with experience. For information on application procedures call: Ms. Melanie Nyquist, Administrative Officer, Telephone: 701-239-1203 for Vacancy Announcement Number ARS-D-6W-024 and for information on research project call: Dr. Gerald L. Larsen, Research Leader, Telephone: 701-239-1231. ARS is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer. U.S. citizenship is required.

#### PLANT AND WETLAND ECOLOGIST

The Platte River Whooping Crane Trust, a non-profit organization that preserves habitat for migratory birds, is seeking a plant/wetland ecologist. Advanced degree; experience or education in wetland, riverine, or grassland ecology; strong communication skills; and commitment to conservation required. Expertise in wetland flora and restoration, hydrology, geomorphology, GIS, and applied natural resource management desirable. Responsibilities include land management, stewardship, and participation in water rights litigation. Send letter, résumé, salary history, and three references by December 30, 1995 to: Dr. Paul Currier, Platte River Trust, 2550 Diers Avenue, Suite H, Grand Island, NE 68803. Telephone: 308-384-4633; FAX: 308-384-4634.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### RESEARCH ASSOCIATE IN ECOLOGY Mountain Research Center Montana State University, Bozeman

One-year position, beginning February 1996 (possible renewal for two more years). Research on biodiversity in montane environments (herpetological expertise preferred but not required); contribute to and facilitate interdisciplinary research on integration of human activities with natural ecosystem processes; help implement a multi-user biosystematics lab; mentor student research. Ph.D. in ecology or related field and record of publication in ecosystem processes required. The successful candidate will be able to integrate ecological and biosystematic techniques, attract extramural funds, and communicate effectively with other ecologists, biosystematists, GIS technical staff, land managers, economists, and sociologists. Submit curriculum vitae, three letters of recommendation, reprints of relevant publications, and a letter explaining relevant research interests to: Research Ecologist Search Committee, Mountain Research Center, 408 Traphagen Hall, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT 59717. Screening of applications begins on January 2, 1996, and continues until a suitable candidate has been chosen. Access http://www.montana.edu/ ~wwwmrc/ for a detailed job listing.

ADA/Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Veterans Preference.

CELL BIOLOGIST/BIOCHEMIST-Assistant professorship, tenure-track, anticipated fall 1996 for a broadly trained biologist to teach cell biology, biochemistry and participate in introductory biology. Ph.D. required.

Applicants must demonstrate excellence in undergraduate teaching and a research program that will involve undergraduates, including publication. Experience in small college setting desirable. Ursinus, northwest of Philadelphia in a suburban setting, is a highly selective, residential, co-ed liberal arts college of 1200 students with a long tradition of strength in science.

Send letter of application and curriculum vitae to: Dr. Ellen M. Dawley, Department of Biology, Ursinus College, Box 1000, Collegeville, PA 19426-1000 by January 15, 1996. Ursinus is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

#### EXPERIENCED ELECTRON MICROSCOPIST

To participate in a highly interactive and motivated lab of molecular biologists; analysis of gene knockout mice with emphasis on the cytoskeleton. Ph.D. degree in pathology or cell biology is desirable. Long-term position. Submit résumé and list of three references to:

Dr. Elaine Fuchs
Howard Hughes Medical Institute
The University of Chicago
5841 South Maryland Avenue MC 1028
Room N314
Chicago, IL 60637

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#### NMR FACILITY MANAGER

For six Varian spectrometers (200-500 MHz) and a 4.7T imager/spectrometer. Responsible for calibration, maintenance, and cryogen service. Must be familiar with SUN computers and UNIX. Additional duties include operator training network and accounting management, implementation of new pulse sequences, and design and construction of specialized items such as surface coils. Experience with molecular modeling desirable. Ability to interact collaboratively with a variety of investigators is important. Ph.D. or equivalent experience desired. Send résumé and three letters of reference to: Dr. Stanford Smith, Chemistry Department, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506-0055. The University of Kentucky is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

MOLECULAR VIROLOGIST. Ph.D. with primary training and experience in virology. The individual sought for our research on neuroimmunology program will investigate neuropathogenesis of viral infections, such as HIV and herpes viruses, using in vivo and in vitro brain cell culture models. Familiarity with in situ hybridization and PCR analysis required. Competitive salary and excellent benefits package. Forward curriculum vitae to: Minneapolis Medical Research Foundation, 914 South Eighth Street, 600 HFA Building, Minneapolis, MN 55404. Telephone: 612-347-5954. Equal Opportunity Employer/ Affirmative Action.

#### **POSITIONS OPEN**

#### NUTRITIONAL BIOCHEMISTRY TECHNOLOGIST

Applicants should possess a Master's degree in nutrition with biochemical laboratory experience in a basic human research environment. In addition to hands-on experience with human nutritional biochemistry, the successful candidate should have a comprehensive background in sample processing protocols, methods development and validation, implementation of novel techniques, and instrument trouble-shooting and routine maintenance procedures. Data processing, data reduction, statistical analysis, and graphical presentation of analyzed data are components of the position. Excellent oral communication and technical writing skills are required. Previous experience with high performance liquid chromatography, enzyme linked immunosorbent assays, stable isotope measurements, radioimmunoassays, and/or spectrophotometry is highly desirable. Knowledge of requirements for standard laboratory safety and biohazard-ous materials handling is essential. The research conducted at the NASA Johnson Space Center includes definition of nutritional requirements for spaceflight, evaluation of protein, calcium, energy, and iron utilization as a function of spaceflight.

Interested applicants should submit current résumé, a list of references, and salary history indicating position 95-F23-04 to: KRUG Life Sciences Inc., Human Resources Department, P. O. Box 58827, Houston, TX 77258-8827. Employment Eligibility Verification Required. Equal Opportunity Employer. Minorities/Females/Disabled/Veterans. Smoke-free twokplace.

#### MICROBIOLOGIST

Hope College anticipates a three-year term appointment for a microbiologist beginning in August 1996. Appointment will be made at the ASSISTANT PRO-PESSOR level. The successful candidate will teach microbiology, another course appropriate to an undergraduate curriculum such as immunology, and be involved in the introductory course. In addition, the appointee will be expected to participate in one of the following ongoing research programs: cellular signaling–receptor cloning; molecular biology of lipid metabolism; induction of PR proteins in powdery mildew on barley; molecular biology of calcitrophic hormones; mechanisms of mutation in prokaryote and eukaryote cells; or molecular biology of parasite-associated cancers.

Hope College is a distinguished liberal arts college with an enrollment of 2,800 and a faculty of more than 180. Hope College maintains a strong tradition of "teaching through research" in the sciences. Hope College is affiliated with the Reformed Church in America.

Qualified applicants should arrange to have a curriculum vitae, transcripts, a statement of teaching philosophy and competencies, research interests, and three letters of recommendation forwarded to:

> Dr. Paul Van Faasen, Chair Department of Biology Hope College 35 East 12th Street Holland, MI 49422-9000

We will begin reviewing applications about January 10, 1996 and plan to make an appointment as soon as feasible thereafter.

Hope College complies with all legal requirements prohibiting discrimination in employment. Women and persons of color are strongly urged to apply.

### PLANT TRANSFORMATION FACILITY MANAGER

The University of Nebraska is seeking an experienced individual to manage a new Plant Transformation Core Research Facility funded by the University's Center for Biotechnology. The position is a key component of an area of concentration aimed at generating novel useful transgenic plants. This person will oversee daily facility operations and collaborate with other project personnel. Target species are arabidopsis, tobacco, wheat, and soybean. Candidates should have a Ph.D. or M.S. with at least four years of experience in plant transformation. Closing date: January 15, 1996 or until suitable candidate is found. Résumé and three letters should be sent to: Transformation Manager Search, N300 Beadle Center, P.O. Box 880665, Lincoln, NE 68588-0665. Contact: Dr. Paul Staswick, FAX: 402-472-7904; Email: pstaswick@crcvms.unl.edu.

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#### FRENCH "ACADÉMIE DES SCIENCES" PROFESSORSHIPS

In order to foster international cooperation between academic and industrial research groups, the French Académie des Sciences, the Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique and Elf Aquitaine will open a limited number of one-year professorships for the 1996-1997 period. The positions are to be held in France at an academic institution or at an Elf laboratory or both.

These openings are reserved for research professionals at all levels, from Associate to Full Professor, and may be held in conjunction with a sabbatical leave.

The positions include generous benefits such as housing arrangements and travel expenses, and depend upon the candidate's experience. Selection criteria include the quality of research achievements and the relevance of the proposed program to Elf research activities, which cover the following domains:

- -Earth Sciences, with emphasis on surface seismology, sedimentology, organic and mineral geochemistry, and the physics of hydrocarbon fluids, including their interactions with rocks.
- -Chemical Sciences, with emphasis on polymers, halogen and thio-chemistry, catalysis, photo-chemistry and process engineering research.
- -Environmental Sciences, with emphasis on the evolution of the geosphere and biosphere due to human activities and the methodology of biological indicators.
- -Life Sciences, with emphasis on the biochemistry of receptors as applied to the central nervous system, and cardiovascular, thrombotic and degenerative diseases.

Prearranged agreements with French academic laboratories are eligible for these professorships and will be appreciated although not mandatory. Preference will also be given to candidates whose research programs include significant interaction with Elf R&D staff.

There are no citizenship restrictions. Mastery of French is not required, although some familiarity with French culture is expected to be helpful for the selected candidates.

Formal applications should include a detailed résumé, a description of the research project and any information relevant to the selection of the most qualified candidates. They should be sent to the following addresses before February 29, 1996.

-For North America-based candidates:

J. BODELLE, Vice President Research & Development Elf Aquitaine, Inc. 1899 L. Street, N.W., Suite 500 Washington, D.C. 20036

For other candidates:

C. JABLON, Chief Scientist Elf Aquitaine, DRTE Tour Elf, Cedex 45 92078 Paris - La Défense, FRANCE

Some discussion with the candidates about the program may then be suggested by the selection committee before the final announcements, which are scheduled for May



# POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS Toxicology

Immediate openings for 2 NIH-sponsored postdoctoral fellowships (U.S. citizenship or permanent residency required for both positions):

- I) To study the role of DNA conformation, chromatin structure, and nuclear architecture in targeting of oxidative DNA damage in cells. Prefer recent Ph.D. with experience in molecular biology, biochemistry, and antibody use/production. Send, FAX, or e-mail curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and statement of skills/interests to: Prof.Peter Dedon, Division of Toxicology, 16-336, MIT, Cambridge, MA 02139-4307; FAX: (617) 258-8676; e-mail: pcdedon@mit.edu.
- 2) To study epithelial proliferation and apoptosis in inflammatory bowel disease. Experience with molecular biology methods and rodent models required. Familiarity with bacterial pathogenesis preferred. Send curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and statement of skills/interests to: Prof. David B. Schauer, Division of Toxicology, MIT, Room E18-564, Cambridge, MA 02139-4307.

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#### HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL

Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics

#### POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW

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ALBERT EINSTEIN COLLEGE OF MEDICINE OF YESHIVA UNIVERSITY

#### FACULTY POSITIONS

ALBERT EINSTEIN COLLEGE OF MEDICINE (AECOM)

DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY AND IMMUNOLOGY

Faculty positions are available on a tenure track for innovative investigators studying all aspects of immunology and the molecular pathogenesis of infectious organisms. Candidates can be at the beginning of their independent careers or more advanced in their academic pursuits. The Department has NIH Training Grants available to support pre- and postdoctoral students including MSTP students studying toward both the Ph.D. and M.D. degrees. AECOM provides core facilities including analytic ultrastructure analysis, production of transgenic and knockout mice, generation of hybridomas for monoclonal antibodies, FACS analysis, peptide synthesis and sequencing, and mass spectroscopy. There is a P3 facility available for handling infectious agents. Interested investigators should send their curriculum vitae, bibliography, a statement of research interests and 3 letters of recommendation to Ms. Georgia Varoutis, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Jack and Pearl Resnick Campus, 1300 Morris Park Avenue, Bronx, New York 10461. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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#### DIRECTOR SHOALS MARINE LABORATORY CORNELL UNIVERSITY

The Section of Ecology and Systematics invites nominations and applications for the Bartels Director of the Shoals Marine Laboratory (SML). The SML, a shared venture with the University of New Hampshire (UNH), is primarily an undergraduate teaching program located on Appledore Island in the Gulf of Maine. Although based at Cornell, the Director will be responsible for implementing the SML's academic programs and overseeing operations, will serve as liaison with the UNH, and will be involved with fundraising. A candidate with a distinguished record of research and teaching in marine sciences is sought; the area of specialization could range from the organismal to ecosystem level, with an emphasis in any area of ecology, evolutionary biology or systematics. The successful candidate should have a strong commitment to undergraduate education, administrative experience, and carry on an active research program. We especially seek applications from established scientists who would be appointed as Associate or Full Professor with tenure, at Cornell.

Letters of nomination should include the nominee's name, current position, address, tel/fax number(s) and e-mail address. Applications should include a curriculum vitae, copies of representative publications, a statement of research, teaching, and administrative interests and names of three referees, and be sent to: Dr. Drew Harvell, Chair, Shoals Search Committee, Section of Ecology and Systematics, Corson Hall, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York 14853-2701. (Public FAX: (607) 255-8088; E-mail: CDH5@CORNELL.EDU; World Wide Web: HTTP://WWW.SML.CORNELL.EDU). Screening of completed applications will begin February 5 and continue until the position is filled. Cornell University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

### CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY SAN BERNARDINO

# DEAN SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCES

California State University, San Bernardino invites nominations and applications for the position of Dean of the School of Natural Sciences. The preferred starting time is August 1, 1996. Reporting to the Vice President of Academic Affairs, the Dean is responsible for the academic and administrative leadership of nine departments within the School.

The Dean will be responsible for representing the School to the University and its external constituencies. Candidates should have an earned doctorate in one of the disciplines in the School of Natural Sciences and be eligible for a faculty appointment at the rank of Professor with tenure in one of the departments.

Compensation is competitive. Review of applicants will begin January 31, 1996 and continue until the position is filled. The applicant should submit a resume accompanied by the names, telephone, fax numbers and e-mail addresses of three references to: Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Chair, School of Natural Sciences Dean Search Committee, California State University, San Bernardino, 5500 University Parkway, San Bernardino, CA 92407. California State University San Bernardino is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer, and has a strong institutional commitment to the principle of diversity in all areas. For More Information see the School of Natural Sciences Home Page: http://www.csusb.edu

#### ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES



The University of Southern California announces the formation of the USC WRIGLEY INSTITUTE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES, which will complement ongoing environmental programs at USC. The current initial phase of the development of this institute includes renovation of USC's existing laboratories and teaching facilities on Santa Catalina Island (about 25 miles off our local coast) and the creation of the following two ENDOWED positions, for which we invite applications:

THE WRIGLEY CHAIR IN ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES. This is a tenured faculty position in the field of ENVIRONMENTAL BIOLOGY. We seek an active researcher with a distinguished record whose research efforts would include marine or terrestrial work at Catalina Island, although his or her primary office and laboratory can be on the USC campus. Ideally, this individual would have a broad, global perspective, although preference will be given to scholars who can also take advantage of the special opportunities afforded by the Channel Islands' environments. The successful candidate will be expected to participate in our undergraduate and graduate educational programs.

DIRECTOR OF THE USC WRIGLEY INSTITUTE FOR ENVIRON-MENTAL STUDIES. This individual is expected to lead in the development and implementation of activities at the Catalina laboratories, including scientific research, university courses, conferences, public education, and outreach. We are looking for an entrepreneurial individual with experience administering a field research station or similar facility. Residence at Catalina is expected. Scientific and teaching skills (preferably a Ph.D.) and the demonstrated ability to work constructively with scientists and government agencies are required. This position may carry an academic appointment.

Applicants should send a résumé, a cover letter describing their interests relating to the position, and the names, addresses, telephone/FAX numbers, and e-mail addresses of at least 3 references to:

Chair, Wrigley Search Committee Department of Biological Sciences University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA 90089-0371

Applications will be considered beginning 15 January 1996, and will be accepted until the positions are filled.

USC is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action Employer. We particularly encourage women and minorities to apply.

#### RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT POSITIONS

Diagnostic Products Corporation, a leading independent and well-established immunodiagnostic company, is expanding its R&D and is seeking a broad range of scientific talent to assume key roles in that expansion. Opportunities have created an immediate need for individuals in the following departments.

#### PROTEIN CHEMISTRY

Creative individual with a Ph.D. or M.S. in Chemistry or Biochemistry with experience in Peptide/Protein Chemistry instruments. Strong background and demonstrated skill to employ various analytical techniques, especially Mass Spectrometry, for peptides and proteins.

#### MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Immediate openings exist for Ph.D. Scientists trained in Molecular Biology and Microbiology, with experience in development of diagnostic assays using immunoassay and DNA probe technology.

#### HYBRIDOMA

Ph.D. Scientists with experience in hybridoma technology, radioimmunoassay development and cellular immunology.

#### IMMUNOASSAY DEVELOPMENT

Ph.D. or M.S. in Chemistry, Biochemistry or related field with 2+ years of industrial experience in immunodiagnostic industry. Strong background in solid phase protein immobilization and assay development and thorough knowledge in theory of immunoassays are essentials.

We offer competitive salary, an attractive benefits package, and the opportunity to make a significant contribution to the immunodiagnostic field. Please send your resume and salary history to:

Human Resources Diagnostic Products Corporation 5700 W. 96th Street Los Angeles, CA 90045

#### **IMMUNOLOGIST**

Cytel Corporation is a publicly-held biotechnology company whose headquarters are located in San Diego, CA. We are committed to the discovery, design and development of immunotherapeutics for the treatment of serious human diseases. We are seeking a talented cellular immunologist to be a part of a team at Cytel's new facility in Charlottesville, Virginia. If you wish to contribute to carrying out original and applied research in the areas of antigen identification and peptide sequencing by mass spectrometry, please consider joining our Charlottesville research team.

The individual we are seeking will be a critical part of a teamoriented environment who will be responsible for culturing human CD8 T-cells, TIL and tumor cells, bioassay of T-cell activation, and MHC purification and peptide extraction. The selected individual must be familiar with peptides as well as basic molecular biology techniques, DNA transfections, and SDS-PAGE.

Candidates must have a Ph.D. in immunology or related scientific discipline plus a minimum of 3-5 years of post-doctoral experience as well as a proven record of scientific accomplishment and/ or antigen identification. Individual must have the ability to work with other team members who have expertise in analytical biochemistry and mass spectrometry. Excellent verbal and written communication skills are essential as well as being self-motivated

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# CHAIR DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES SCHOOL OF PHARMACY UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE

The University of Maryland at Baltimore [UMAB] School of Pharmacy invites applications and nominations of outstanding leaders and scholars in the pharmaceutical sciences for the position of Chair, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences. Located in Baltimore's University Center just blocks from the Inner Harbor, UMAB is the professional campus of the University of Maryland and consists of the Schools of Pharmacy, Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, Law, and Social Work. The University of Maryland Medical System, Baltimore VA Medical Center, and Medical Biotechnology Institute combine with the professional schools to make UMAB the fourth fastest growing research center in the country, with over one billion dollars of new building in the past decade. The School of Pharmacy has enjoyed an increase in its state budget and laboratory space over the past three years. These developments have contributed to the efficient implementation of the School's innovative all-Pharm.D. professional degree program and significantly increased our emphasis on research and graduate education.

The Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, consisting of the broad disciplines of biomedicinal chemistry, pharmaceutics, and pharmacology, has in recent years grown dramatically. The Department now has 30 full-time faculty members, 10 of whom were hired into new positions within the past three years, and 75 graduate students. Extramural funding for research is currently in excess of four million dollars and ongoing investigations include collaborative projects with other researchers on campus and at the FDA, NIH, Johns Hopkins University, Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, and the pharmaceutical industry.

We are seeking a chair who has strong interpersonal and leadership skills, the ability to foster collaborative and interdisciplinary initiatives, and a commitment to continue the development of a diverse group of productive faculty into an outstanding department in both research and education. The successful candidate will be an excellent scientist with demonstrated management, teaching, and grantsmanship/fundraising skills

An advanced degree in the pharmaceutical or related sciences and experience in pharmaceutical education are essential; a professional degree in pharmacy is desirable. Candidates are expected to have credentials sufficient to be appointed at the tenured full professor level. Salary is dependent upon qualifications and experience. Candidate screening will begin in January and continue until the position is filled.

Direct nominations or applications with a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, and names, addresses and telephone numbers of at least three references to:

Dr. George E. Dukes, Chair
Pharmaceutical Sciences Department Chair Search Committee
School of Pharmacy
University of Maryland at Baltimore
100 Penn St., Suite 205
Baltimore, Maryland 21201
(410) 706-7338

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Minorities and women are encouraged to apply.

# DEAN, COLLEGE OF LIFE SCIENCES & AGRICULTURE UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DURHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

The University of New Hampshire is seeking a Dean of the College of Life Sciences and Agriculture to assume duties on July 1, 1996.

The University is a Land Grant, Sea Grant, and Space Grant university of some 12,400 students committed to providing comprehensive high quality undergraduate and graduate programs and to the promotion of excellence in teaching, scholarship, and public service. It is the only comprehensive research university within the University System of New Hampshire.

The College of Life Sciences and Agriculture is one of the University's five schools and colleges, with 1,730 undergraduate majors, 460 associate degree students, and 129 M.S. and 84 Ph.D. students. Its Dean is responsible for the administration of the College's academic programs in bloolgical sciences, natural resources, agriculture, and social sciences; its interdisciplinary biology and genetics programs; and affiliated research centers. As the College's chief administrator, this individual reports to the Provost and actively participates in university governance as a member of the Dean's Council and the Academic Senate.

The Dean oversees eight academic units: the Thompson School of Applied Science and the Departments of Animal and Nutritional Sciences, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Microbiology, Natural Resources, Plant Biology, Resource Economics and Development, and Zoology. The position also carries responsibilities as Director of the New Hampshire Agricultural Experiment Station. The college mission is supported by about 104 full-time faculty, most of whom have appointments split between teaching and the Agricultural Experiment Station or UNH Cooperative Extension. The Dean is involved in interactions with several on-campus research centers, including the Institute for the Study of Earth, Oceans, and Space; the Environmental Research Group; the Marine Program Board; and the Water Resources Research Center.

The successful candidate will have a demonstrated commitment to undergraduate and graduate education and research in biological sciences, natural resources, agriculture, and social sciences. He or she will have had successful administrative experience in higher education including personnel and program management and evaluation, curriculum and program development, budget development and management, and academic planning. The Dean is expected to have the ability to act as an advocate for the College's programs; consult with faculty, faciliate undergraduate and graduate education, research, outreach and development; guide and promote faculty development in teaching and scholarship; and advance the College's affirmative action goals. The candidate's qualifications must include an earned doctorate and a record of teaching and scholarship appropriate to an appointment as a tenured professor in one of the College's departments.

Applications should include a brief statement of philosophy regarding the position, a curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of three references (who will not be contacted until the later stages of the search), and should be addressed to College of Life Sciences and Agriculture Dean Search Committee, Office of Academic Affairs, Thompson Hall, University of New Hampshire, Durham, NH 03824. Applications will be reviewed starting January 26, 1996, but the search will remain open until the position is filled.

The University of New Hampshire is an AA/EEO Employer. Women and minority candidates are encouraged to apply.



#### RESEARCH SCIENTISTS

The Neurodegeneration Research Group at The Robarts Research Institute is comprised of a multi-disciplinary team of eight researchers whose interests are directed towards understanding the cellular and molecular mechanisms involved in development, death and regeneration within the nervous system. We are seeking to hire two scientists (Ph.D. and/or M.D.) whose work is focused on molecular mechanisms underlying neuronal death, cell signalling and transduction, or gene expression and transcriptional regulation. Priority will be given to investigators with highly molecular methods including genetic and transgenic approaches. The position and salary offered will be commensurate with experience. Establishment funds will be available for the first three years. Academic rank will be determined by cross appointments with the appropriate department at The University of Western Ontario. The John P. Robarts Research Institute, located on the attractive campus set-ting of The University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario, is an autonomous, modern facility that aptly reflects the strong growth and commitment to research in Southwestern Ontario. Qualified candidates should forward a curriculum vitae, an outline of research interests and scientific goals, reprints of key publications and Scientific goals, reprints of Rey publications and a list of three references to: DR. LYNNE C. WEAVER, DIRECTOR, NEURODEGENERATION RESEARCH GROUP, THE JOHN P. ROBARTS RESEARCH INSTITUTE, P.O. BOX 5015, 100 PERTH DRIVE, LONDON, ONTARIO, N6A 5K8 CANADA. In accordance with Canadian Immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada.

# CORE FACILITY (MACROMOLECULAR SEQUENCING & SYNTHESIS) AT HUNTER COLLEGE SEEKS MANAGER

at the Research Associate level (Ph.D. in biomedical science or chemistry preferred, but other qualified applicants will be considered). Requires good knowledge of organic chemistry and liquid-phase protein sequencing. Experience with oligonucleotide synthesis, peptide synthesis, and HPLC preferred. Knowledge of DOS, Windows, Unix and Netware desired. The position requires close consultation with 35 faculty and students and supervision of one technician. Salary for this permanent position (\$50,000 to \$60,000) depends on qualifications. Attractive benefits. CV and references to: Dr. T. Schmidt-Glenewinkel, Dept. of Bio. Sci., HUNTER COLLEGE, 695 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10021 EOE/AAE/AWDAE



### **Faculty Position Department of Brain & Cognitive Sciences**

The MIT Department of Brain and Cognitive Sciences anticipates making a tenure-track appointment in experimental cognitive science at the Assistant Professor level. Candidates should have an active research interest in one or more of the following areas: memory, high-level vision, cognitive development, reasoning. skill acquisition, and attention. Responsibilities include graduate and undergraduate teaching and research supervision.

Applications should include a brief cover letter stating the candidate's research and teaching interests, a vita, three letters of recommendation and representative reprints. Send applications by February 1, 1996 to: Cognitive Search Committee, Dept. of Brain & Cognitive Sciences, E25-406, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 77 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02139-4307.

> Qualified women and minority candidates are especially encouraged to apply.

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#### MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

#### Postdoctoral Fellowship Program

The Boston Biomedical Research Institute (BBRI) invites competitive applications for postdoctoral research positions in the laboratory of a BBRI faculty member under the BBRI Scholars Program. BBRI is an independent biomedical research center that offers an exceptionally collegial and intellectually stimulating environment. Current research programs at BBRI include:

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eukaryotic genes Physical biochemistry of Ca-binding proteins and Albert Wang

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Structure and function of integral membrane

Hartmut Wohlrab transport proteins; biochemistry of senescence

Applicants should submit a brief statement of research interests and curriculum vitae and arrange to have two letters of reference sent to: Ms. Barbara Zillman, Administrative Assistant, Boston Biomedical Research Institute, 20 Staniford Street, Boston, MA 02114. Boston Biomedical Research Institute is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

### PHARMACOKINETIC SCIENTISTS



Applications are invited for two Pharmacokinetic Scientist positions in the Department of Pharmacokinetics and Metabolism. Your primary responsibilities will include supporting preclinical and clinical development of recombinant proteins and small molecule therapeutics by designing, conducting, analyzing, and reporting pharmacokinetic/pharmacodynamic studies.

To qualify, you should be a scientist with doctoral level training in pharmacokinetics, pharmaceutical sciences or a related discipline and 2+ years of industrial or academic experience in pharmacokinetics. Excellent scientific, interpersonal and oral/written communication skills as well as the ability to work in a team environment are essential. Experience in the drug development process, regulatory submissions, and demonstrated capabilities in advanced pharmacokinetic data analysis are plusses.

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#### NEUROSCIENTISTS

The University of Calgary Neuroscience Research Group invites applications for two full-time academic neuroscientists at the assistant professor level or higher. These positions offer an excellent opportunity to develop an independent research program and collaborative interactions within a multidisciplinary research environment. Duties will include teaching and graduate student supervision. Positions are available in:

- · molecular and/or cellular studies of the development or plasticity of the nervous system;
- cellular or systems neuroscience.

Qualifications include a PhD (or equivalent) and at least two years of postdoctoral experience.

The selected candidates must compete successfully for salary and establishment funding from the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research and/or Medical Research Council of Canada, and will have 75% of time protected for research. Interested persons are invited to visit our web site.

http://www.cns.ucalgary.ca/nrg/nrg.html

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. The University of Calgary is committed to Employment

Please submit a curriculum vitae and a statement of research interests, and arrange to have three letters of reference sent directly, by January 31, 1996 to:

> Dr. S. Barnes, Chair Neuroscience Research Group The University of Calgary 3330 Hospital Drive N.W. Calgary, Alberta T2N 4N1



#### DIRECTOR

#### Biotechnology Laboratory The University of British Col<u>umbia</u>

The Biotechnology Laboratory at the University of British Columbia was established in 1987 to catalyze the interdisciplinary development of Biotechnology at .B.C. The laboratory now comprises 13 independent faculty members with a strong record in attracting external funding. It includes an efficient administrative support system, excellent core facilities for molecular biology, a bioprocessing unit, and a teaching laboratory. The University is now searching for a distinguished scholar to serve as a new Director **commencing July 1, 1996,** or soon thereafter.

The candidate should be an internationally recognized scientist who will provide leadership, direction and vision to the Biotechnology Laboratory. The candidate will possess effective interpersonal and administrative skills and the ability to maintain strong, positive interactions with other academic units on campus and with the private biotechnology sector. The candidate should be willing to participate in fund-raising activities.

The new Director will lead the continued development of the Biotechnology Laboratory and will be provided with generous laboratory space, administrative support staff and facilities. The new Director will also hold an academic appointment in an appropriate Department.

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. UBC welcomes all qualified applicants, especially women, aboriginal people, visible minorities and persons with disabilities. The position is subject to final budgetary approval.

Applications or nominations for the directorship must be received **prior to February 15, 1996** and should include the curriculum vitae of the candidate, together with the names of three references, and be sent to:



Search Committee
Biotechnology Laboratory Directorship
c/o Dr. Barry C. McBride
Dean of Science
6270 University Boulevard, Room 1505
Vancouver, B.C. CANADA V6T 1Z4

## INFLAMMATION PHARMACOLOGY

Investigator/Sr. Investigator

SmithKline Beecham Pharmaceuticals, a world leader in pharmaceutical research, has an opportunity for an Investigator to join the Department of Inflammation Pharmacology.

The selected candidate will participate in the drug discovery process for immunologically driven inflammatory diseases and identify new molecular targets for immunological diseases. Acting as a departmental resource in the field of Cellular and Molecular Immunology, the Investigator will also be required to establish new model systems/assays to facilitate research efforts, present findings at scientific meetings and publish in scientific journals.

Qualifications include a PhD (or equivalent) in Immunology, Molecular Biology or Cell Biology, and 2+ years of post-doctoral experience in immunology, immunopharmacology or related field. Candidates must also demonstrate expertise with state-of-the-art cellular and molecular immunology methodologies, as well as knowledge of T and B lymphocyte biology and cell-mediated immunity. The ability to take a creative approach to independent projects is equally essential.

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# Postdoctoral Fellows

### Molecular & Cell Biology

The Lindsley F. Kimball Research Institute, a division of the New York Blood Center, invites applications for post-doctoral Fellow positions in the general area of molecular and cell biology of blood group antigens.

The fellows will participate in a collaborative, NIH-funded, SCOR program on Transfusion Biology and Medicine aimed at understanding the molecular basis of human blood groups in order to enhance the capabilities of blood banking services, characterize structure/function relationships and explore relations in disease processes. Candidates must offer a Ph.D. or MD degree supported by a s trong background in biochemistry and molecular biology, including experience in gene isolation and expression and recombinant technology.

The program project leaders include:

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COLVIN M. REDMAN, PH.D.
The Kell blood group system and the McLeod phenotype

A. OSCAR POGO, MD The Duffy blood group protein

MARION E. REID, PH.D.

Molecular biology in clinical immunohematology

These positions will be available January, 1996 and command a competitive salary and excellent comprehensive benefits package. The Lindsley F. Kimball Research Institute comprises 17 laboratories carrying out autonomous research programs in diverse field of biomedical research. Interested candidates should send C.V. and the names of (3) references to: Colvin M. Redman, Ph.D., The New York Blood Center, 310 East 67th Street, New York, NY 10021. An Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V.

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#### **IMMUNOLOGIST**

The University of Calgary Immunology Research Group invites applications for a full-time academic position in immunology at the Assistant Professor level or higher. This position offers an excellent opportunity to develop an independent research program and collaboration with individuals studying leukocyte-endothelial cell interactions in vivo, and various aspects of lymphocyte and neutrophil development and function.

Qualifications include a PhD and/or MD, at least two years of postdoctoral experience, and demonstrated excellence and productivity in the area of leukocyte adhesion under normal and disease states. Applications are encouraged from those using molecular and biochemical techniques to study function and/or structure of adhesion molecules.

The selected candidate must compete successfully for salary support and establishment funding from the Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research and/or the Medical Research Council of Canada, and will have 75% of time protected for research. More information available at website: (http://www.im.ucalgary.ca/)

In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents of Canada. The University of Calgary is committed to Employment Equity.

Please submit a curriculum vitae, a statement of aims and research interests, and reprints of two recent publications, and the names/addresses of three referees by January 15, 1996, to:

Dr. J.D. Reynolds, Chair Immunology Research Group The University of Calgary 3330 Hospital Drive N.W. Calgary, Alberta, Canada T2N 4N1



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- · Leukointegrins and ICAM-ligands
- Cytokines and adhesion molecules in the inflammatory response

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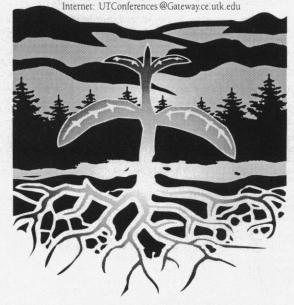
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Wednesday, April 17 AM Ion Sensors and Transporters in Health and Disease Organizer: Steven C. Hebert Speakers: Edward Brown, Michael P. Kavanaugh, Jeffrey D. Rothstein, Matthias Hediger

For information, contact FASEB OSMC, Tel: 301-530-7010, Fax: 301-530-7014, E-Mail: eb@nsl.faseb.org

#### ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ENVIRONMENTAL TOXICOLOGY Biochemical/Physiological Toxicology University of California, Santa Cruz

The Department of Biology at the University of California, Santa Cruz invites applications for a tenure track position at the level of Assistant Professor. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an extramurally funded research program in areas of biochemical and/or physiological toxicology focusing on fundamental molecular, biochemical or physiological mechanisms involved in the adaptations and responses of animals, plants, or microorganisms to environmental toxins. The candidate will be expected to teach both undergraduate and graduate courses in that area, and to actively participate in the development of a new graduate program in Environmental Toxicology. The successful candidate, who initially will be a member of the Department of Biology, will be the third of several appointments in a proposed Environmental Toxicology Program.

By January 31, 1996, applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, a brief description of research and teaching interests, copies of reprints, and arrange for three letters of recommendation to be sent to:

Biology/Toxicology Search Committee Department of Biology 225 Sinsheimer Laboratories University of California Santa Cruz, CA 95064

Please refer to Provision #479 in your reply.

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#### Faculty Positions in Cancer Biology/Molecular Oncology

The newly formed Cancer Biology Program of Beth Israel Hospital is seeking applications for the position of Assistant Professor of Medicine. The successful candidate will hold the Ph.D. and/or M.D. degrees, and will have completed a minimum of two years of postdoctoral training in molecular or cellular biology, or genetics. Appointees will be expected to establish an independently funded research program in cancer biology. Applications are particularly encouraged from individuals with research interests and experience in the areas of (1) molecular genetic approaches (including knockout technology) to signal transduction with applications to oncology; (2) epithelial cell biology; or (3) novel targets for cancer therapy including apoptosis, cell cycle, repair/recombination, immunotherapy, telomerases. Generous start-up funds and some ongoing support will be provided. Members of the Cancer Biology Program currently focus on tyrosine phosphatases, steroid-thyroid hormone receptors, genetic instability in cancer and hematopoiesis. Candidates should send CVs and names of three references to:

Benjamin G. Neel, M.D., Ph.D. Faculty Search Committee Molecular Medicine Unit Beth Israel Hospital, RW663 330 Brookline Avenue Boston, MA 02215

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#### MOLECULAR REPRODUCTIVE BIOLOGY/ DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY

The Department of Physiology at the University of Maryland School of Medicine invites applications for a full-time, tenure-track position at the Assistant Professor level in the area of Molecular Reproductive/Developmental Biology. We are specifi-cally seeking candidates who use innovative cellular, molecular, genetic, and/or transgenic approaches to study the regulation of cell migration, prolifera-tion, differentiation, and related developmental processes in tissues of the reproductive system. Of particular interest are the signalling pathways through which hormones, growth factors, and other mediators control these complex events. Applicants must have a Ph.D. or M.D., at least two years of postdoctoral experience, and the potential to develop a strong, independent research program. Teaching responsibilities include participation in medical and graduate courses. The Department of Physiology ranks near the top of physiology programs in the U.S. in NIH-funded research and citations per faculty member. The Department and School of Medicine provide a stimulating environment for research, with several interdisciplinary research and training programs - including Reproductive Biology, Molecular and Cell Biology, Membrane Biology, and Neuroscience - that promote interaction between faculty, fellows, and graduate students. Three NIH training grants provide core support for the strong graduate grains provide cole support for the strong graduale training program. The position is highly competitive with regard to start-up funds, laboratory space, salary, and benefits. Applicants should submit (1) curriculum vitae, (2) concise statement of research experience and plans, and (3) names of three references. experience and pians, and (3) names or three reterences to: Robert D. Koos, Ph.D., Chair, Molecular Reproductive Biology Search Committee, Dept. of Physiology, University of Maryland School of Medicine, 655 West Baltimore Street, Baltimore, MD 21201-1559; Tel. 410/706-8033. Review of applications will begin January 8, 1996. The University of Maryland at Baltimore is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/ADA Employer, and has a strong institutional commitment to the principal of diversity in all areas.

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**Project Director:** Requires a Ph.D. or equivalent, postdoctoral training, and at least five years of independent research experience. The ideal candidate will possess a strong background in molecular biology or genomics research and proven managerial ability.

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For further information and application forms, contact: Dr. Frank Jordan, Director, Program in Cellular and Molecular Biodynamics, Department of Chemistry, Rutgers University, Newark, NJ 07102. FAX 201-648-1264; e-mail:frjordan@andromeda.rutgers.edu.

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BARD, The United States-Israel Agricultural R&D Fund, announces two Fellowship Programs promoting cooperative agricultural research.

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#### George Mason University

### Director, Molecular Bioscience and Technology Institute (MBTI)

In 1997, the university will open a new facility for research and education in molecular bioscience and technology. The Molecular Bioscience and Technology Institute is a newly formed unit that will be located at the Prince William Campus of George Mason University, adjacent to the new laboratory of the American Type Culture Collection (ATCC). GMU and ATCC will have a joint interest in the MBTI as it is the principal vehicle for their cooperative academic enterprise. The MBTI and ATCC will serve as the nucleus for a university and commercial biotechnology center in Northern Virginia.

The university is seeking an Institute Director with an outstanding record in research and research management and a capability for developing innovative academic programs at the M.S. and Ph.D. levels to be integrated with the research effort. The candidate must have demonstrated significant ability as an institution developer. Toward this end, there will be a substantial number of new faculty positions in the Institute in areas of scientific expertise chosen in consultation with the Director. The Director will also relate closely to ATCC management and staff in the GMU-ATCC cooperative academic enterprise.

The Director should qualify for a full professorship and will have a twelve-month administrative appointment at a competitive senior salary. The position is available immediately. Nominations and applications will be accepted until the position is filled and should be sent to Harold J. Morowitz, Chair, Search Committee, Krasnow Institute for Advanced Study at George Mason University, Mail Stop 2A1, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA 22030. Review of applications will begin on February 1, 1996.

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#### GLOBAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

#### THE HONG KONG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SCHOOL OF SCIENCE

#### Head of Department of Biology

The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) was opened in October 1991 as a technological university with special emphasis on research, graduate education, and close collaboration with industry and business. Enrollment is expected to grow to 7,000 (FTE) by 1997/98. The School of Science which comprises five departments: Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, and Physics enrolls about 1/4 of the University's undergraduate and graduate students.

The Department of Biology has comprehensive teaching and research programmes which cover all levels of biological organization, with emphasis on the molecular and cellular levels. The following academic degrees are offered: Bachelor of Science, Master of Science, Master of Philosophy and Doctor of Philosophy. Currently, there are 23 faculty members specializing in 1) molecular, cellular and developmental biology, 2) environmental and marine biology, 3) tumor biology, 4) neurobiology, and 5) plant biology. By the academic year 1997/98, the faculty size will grow to 26.

#### Qualifications and Experience

Applications/nominations are invited from well-qualified and accomplished biologists for the position of Head of the Department of Biology. In addition to extensive teaching and research experience, the successful candidate must have demonstrable leadership qualities necessary to lead and manage the Department.

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#### Application/Nomination Procedures

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#### GLOBAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



### UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN

### TRINITY COLLEGE

# CHAIR OF GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY (1844)

Applications are invited for appointment to the Chair of Geology and Mineralogy which has become vacant on the retirement of Professor C H Holland.

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The appointment will be effective from 1 October 1996 or as soon as possible thereafter.

Information about the Department of Geology and further particulars of the appointment, including details of salary and other benefits, may be obtained from:

Michael Gleeson
Secretary to the College
West Theatre
Trinity College
Dublin 2
Telephone: +353 1 608 1123/2197
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Send all applications, nominations, and requests for complete position descriptions no later than **January 8, 1996** to:

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# Lectureship/Assistant Lectureship in Physiology

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At current rates, salaries tax will not exceed 15% of gross income. Children's education allowances, leave, and medical benefits are provided; housing or tenancy allowances are also provided in most cases at a charge of a percentage of salary, currently  $7\frac{1}{2}$ %.

Further particulars and application forms may be obtained from the Appointments Unit, Registry, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong (fax: [852] 2559 2058; Email:APPTUNIT@REG.HKU.HK). Particulars are also available on the University's listserv accessed by E-mail as "listserv@hkuvm1.hku.hk" (specify "get apptment filelist" for list of vacant posts). Closes 2 January 1996.

#### GLOBAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



# **UNIVERSITY OF DUBLIN**

## TRINITY COLLEGE

# **UNIVERSITY CHAIR OF BOTANY (1711)**

Applications are invited for appointment to the Chair of Botany (1711). The Department has established strength in research in the fields of ecology, ecophysiology, palaeoecology, taxonomy and mycology. This includes special interests in carbon fixation and partitioning, forest ecology, soil plant relationships, aerobiology, bioindicators, and the taxonomy of S E Asian floras. Collaboration is active with groups throughout Ireland and the rest of Europe, North and South America, East Africa, S E Asia and Australia. The resources of the Department include a major herbarium and a botanic garden.

The Department of Botany's main teaching contribution is to its 4 year Honors course leading to a B A (Moderatorship) in Botany. Contributions are also made to the Moderatorship courses in Environmental Sciences and Earth Sciences.

The successful applicant will have a distinguished reputation in research and will be expected to provide strong leadership in both teaching and research. The person appointed will serve as Head of Department in accordance with College regulations concerning headship.

The appointment will be effective from 1 October 1996 or as soon as possible thereafter.

Information about the Department of Botany and further particulars of the appointment, including details of salary and other benefits, may be obtained from:

Michael Gleeson, Secretary to the College West Theatre, Trinity College. Dublin 2 Telephone: +353 1 608 1123/2197/Fax: +353 1 671 0037 e-mail: secretary@tcd.ie

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# Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences calls for nominations for the Heineken Prizes 1996

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Nomination forms and general information are available from

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#### ADV: MS 15/95

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Closing date: 28.02.1996

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Applications with a curriculum vitae and a complete list of publications should be sent to:

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Applications, including a tabular curriculum vitae, a list of publications with reprints of three selected papers, a description of major scientific achievements and a summary of future research plans, should be submitted in English by January 15th 1996, to:

Professor Uli Schwarz (director) Max-Planck-Institut für Entwicklungsbiologie Postfach 2109, 72011 Tübingen, Germany Fax No. 0049-7071-601447

Applicants from China are strongly encouraged to submit their applications.

A group of finalists will be invited to present their projects at a symposium in Shanghai in the first half of April 1996. Travel and accommodation expenses will be covered.



KAROLINSKA INSTITUTET Department of Bioscience at Novum Center for Structural Biochemistry

Research assistant/ Postdoctoral fellow NMR spectroscopy in biology

The position is available within the Unit for NMR Spectroscopy at the Center for Structural Biochemistry (CSB), at the Department of Bioscience. The CSB is situated at the South Campus of the Karolinska Institutet encompassing the NOVUM Research Park in Huddinge, about 20 km south of the center of Stockholm. The CSB has a staff of about 30 researchers and includes units for X-ray crystallography, molecular modelling, electron microscopy and NMR spectroscopy. The NOVUM Research Park provides an excellent environment with over 400 researchers within various biomedical disciplines.

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The applicant should have a background in the application of NMR spectroscopy for studies of biomolecular structure and dynamics. A second condition is that applicants should have experience in protein expression and/or protein biochemistry. The position is available for four years with an initial limitation of one or two years.

For further information contact Dr. Torleif Härd (email: th@csb.ki.se) (questions regarding qualifications etc.) or Ingwar Lennerfors (administrative questions) +46-8 608 92 23.

Applications should be sent to Karolinska Institutet, Department of Bioscience at Novum, S-141 57 HUDDINGE, SWEDEN together with CV, relevant publications, a short description of research interests and two recommendation letters. Please quote reference no. 53021/8 and note that we want your application in 1 original and 1 copy.

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The Institute will consist of a series of short courses aimed at geneticists wishing to acquire statistical skills as well as statisticians wishing to become acquainted with genetic applications. The courses will cover statistical aspects of population and quantitative genetics, sequence analysis, QTL mapping, and forensic calculations. Contact: Dr. B. S. Weir, Department of Statistics, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC 27695-8203, or visit WWW at http://www2.ncsu.edu/ncsu/CIL/ stat genetics.

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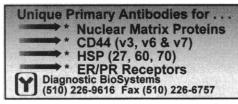
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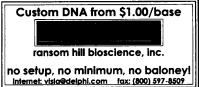
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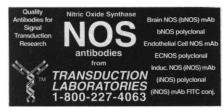


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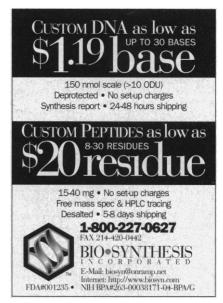
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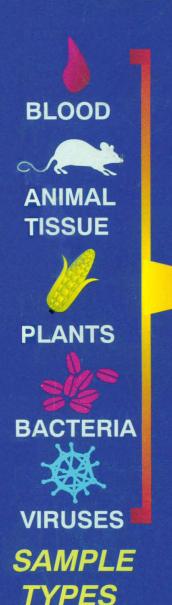
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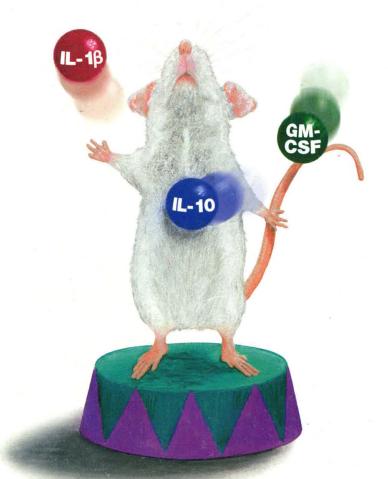
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