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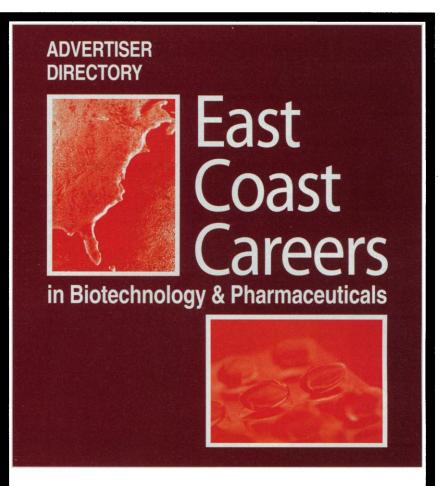
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In addition, the East Coast contains four of the eight main U.S. clusters of pharmaceutical and biotechnological corporations: the Boston–Cambridge region, otherwise known as Genetown; the swath of states nicknamed Pharm Country, which contains Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania; BioCapital, the location that includes Washington, D.C. and its Maryland and Virginia suburbs; and the part of North Carolina centered on Research Triangle, for which the cluster is named.

Boosters of life science in the four regions refuse to accept the status quo. Not only do they continue to work hard to encourage new start-up companies — and biotechnology firms in particular — through tax credits, promotional events, and other methods; they are also preparing to attract new business from major pharmaceutical corporations that seek fresh locations for their research and manufacturing arms.

In recent years, the large pharmas have recognized that the next generation of medicinal drugs will stem from work now under way in research laboratories. A new report titled "The Economic Impact of the Pharmaceutical Industry in Massachusetts," prepared by University of Massachusetts assistant management professor Anurag Sharma and funded by the Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of American trade group, outlines the situation. The role that biopharma clusters will play in the pharmaceutical industry of the next millennium, states the report, "will be driven by the strength of research in its universities and institutions and by the ability of the general economic infrastructure to support investments."

The report targets the Bay State. However, its conclusion applies to other clusters of the life science industry. It's no wonder, then, that all four East Coast cluster regions are emphasizing their foundation of basic research facilities as they try to land new pharmaceutical facilities.



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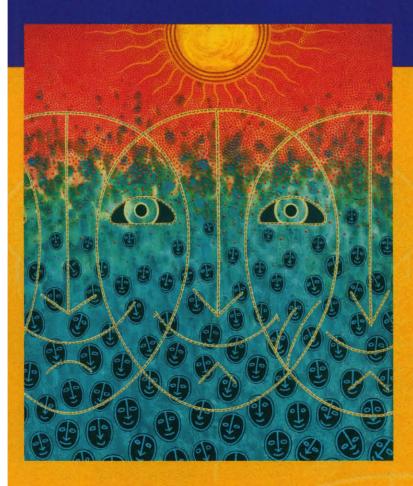
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Those four regions, and the East Coast in general, have plenty to offer potential employers and their employees. Here, representatives from companies in the states of Pennsylvania, New York, and Massachusetts detail the advantages of the East Coast in general, and their own locations in particular, in helping them to attract top-notch scientists and to fulfill their missions. Those advantages include proximity to federal government grant agencies and regulators, the existence of biopharma clusters containing critical masses of academic and corporate members, and a strong cultural ambience.

RADNOR. PENNSYLVANIA

"For companies, one of the biggest reasons why the East Coast is popular is proximity to Washington," says Joseph Camardo, senior vice president for Radnor-based clinical research programs at Wyeth-Ayerst Laboratories. "That may seem trivial, until you have to get in a plane for a two-hour meeting in Washington." Camardo and his colleagues drive to the nation's capital.



Joseph Camardo

Managers and scientists who work for Wyeth-Ayerst, a division of American Home Products, have plenty of reasons to visit Washington. "We are doing clinical research in women's health care," explains Camardo. "We have a neuroscience group. We have products in clinical development for depression, schizophrenia, and epilepsy. We have a new product for insomnia. Our inflammation division is working on a drug for arthritis. Our immunology group is developing products for transplantation. Our metabolic

group is completing work on proton pump inhibitors. And our cardiovascular group has products for heart failure and coronary artery disease." That activity by the 500 individuals in the clinical research programs at Radnor, the Cambridge, Massachusetts, site of the Genetics Institute protein therapeutics group, and Pearl River, New York, where the vaccine development group is located, provides grist for plenty of visits to Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulators.

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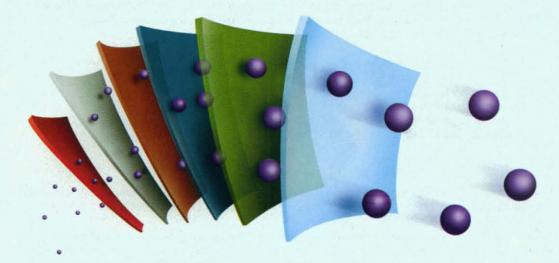
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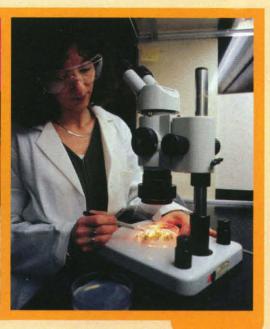
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That proximity to sources of scientists is particularly useful to the company, because it needs individuals trained in several disciplines. "The ultimate outcome is to deliver a beneficial effect to patients," explains Dinh. "To accomplish this, we must transport drug molecules across different types of barrier, including biological membranes. We need physical scientists, as well as biological scientists, to help understand these environments. We need the appropriate chemistry to facilitate transport through the biological system. It's also valuable to have individuals with a pharmaceutical background."

To attract recruits, company officials emphasize Emisphere's suburban location. "It's very convenient to have three major airports in the metropolitan area," says Dinh. "We are also close to trains. We have the benefit of being outside New York City, but acceptably close — 30 to 40 minutes away."

Greater New York City offers job-seekers more than culture and entertainment. The region has plenty of jobs for new recruits' spouses or significant others. "It's a little easier for them to identify opportunities for dual careers than elsewhere," says Dinh. "Spouses have plenty of opportunity to get into the business area in New York City."

CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

For scientists who live and work in greater Boston, the area has an almost mystical appeal. "There are many highly reputed colleges," says Johanne Kaplan, associate director for gene therapy at Genzyme Corporation. "There is also a high concentration of biotechnology companies, and several renowned medical centers that can offer medical expertise. It's a great environment."

That environment of universities, medical facilities, and biotechnology firms makes a natural fit with Genzyme, which describes itself as a biotechnology and health care products company. "We don't usually have a problem finding people," says Kaplan, explaining that Genzyme can find scientists in just about every necessary discipline in the region. "I would say that most people we hire are from the East Coast," she continues.



Johanne Kaplan

Indeed, location and regional loyalty provide key selling points for the company. "Many of the scientists at Genzyme grew up in the East," says Kaplan. "People often go away for post-doctoral study, but then tend to come back to their roots."

Nearby Canadian provinces provide another steady source of scientists for Genzyme. "We have a significant contingent of Canadians in the gene therapy group," says Kaplan, who herself was born and bred in Montreal.

Kaplan's group covers several disciplines. "My group studies the immunological aspect of gene therapy," she explains. "For example, we use viral vectors such as adenovirus

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It's very useful that all these institutions are in the same time zone.

tage of this immunogenicity. In the context of cancer immunotherapy, adenovirus vectors can be used to mobilize the host's immune response against tumor antigens encoded by the vector."

All that means a need for scientists qualified in various fields, from the Bachelor's degree to the postdoctoral level. "In addition to immunologists, the gene therapy group includes molecular biologists who construct and optimize vectors, chemists who develop formulations for DNA delivery, and biologists who use animal models to test therapeutic approaches against cancer and other diseases," she says.

Beyond participating in greater Boston's scientific community, Genzyme offers its recruits the chance to participate in a kind of invisible college of the East Coast. "Especially in the field of gene therapy there are large efforts in New York City and Philadelphia," says Kaplan. "It's very useful that all these institutions are in the same time zone."

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Develop and qualify assays to test clinical trial samples. Requires MS/PhD and experience in assay development; experience in a supervisory role desirable. Job code: 99-0900SCI

Preclinical Biology

Design and report experiments to determine pharmacokinetics, distribution and toxicology of an antiangiogenic factor for cancer therapy. PhD (preferably in Toxicology or Pharmacokinetics) and 2+ years' experience with in vivo models and data analysis, or MS and 6-8 years' experience; supervisory experience preferred. *Job code:* 99-1683SCI

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SR. SCIENTIST

Conducting drug metabolism and pharmacokinetic studies in support of Drug Discovery, your specific responsibilities will include making in vivo or in vitro pharmacokinetic projections; screening for in vitro metabolic stability; and performing cross species metabolic profiling.

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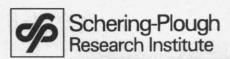
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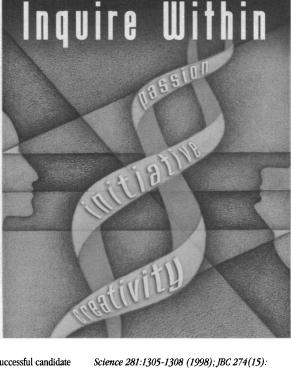
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This postdoctoral position will study the molecular biology of novel secreted proteins and transmembrane receptors, particularly in the area of innate immunity. Experience in receptor-ligand interactions or receptor-mediated signal transduction would be an advantage. See NEJM 340, 1834-1835 (1999); Nature 395, 284-288 (1999); Science 277, 818-821 (1997). Manager: Dr. Paul Godowski. Job Code: SCI432

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Science 281:1305-1308 (1998); JBC 274(15): 10287-10292 (1999); JBC 274(24):16871-16875 (1999); Nature 388:728-729 (1997); Science 277:815-818 (1997); Science 276:111-113 (1997); Science 275:1122-1126 (1997); Nature 385:86-89 (1997); Science 274:990-992 (1996); Cell 85:817-828 (1996). Manager: Dr. Vishva Dixit. Job Code: SCI420

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Nominations and applications, including a letter of interest, a current curriculum vitae, and the names of at least three references, should be forwarded to Professor George E. Hoag, Chair, Northeast Utilities Foundation Endowed Chair Search Committee, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, U-2037, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT 06269-2037. Search #99A446.

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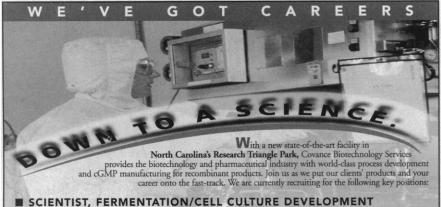
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Faculty Hiring Initiative in POST-GENOMIC BIOTECHNOLOGY

The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

The Vision. The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is announcing a major faculty hiring initiative to expand and lead a new campus-wide program in biotechnology. The vision of the program is to foster a multidisciplinary environment that will support the development and application of new technologies for studying the organization, function and evolution of prokaryotic and complex genomes, including those of agricultural importance. The program will build on established excellence in bioinformatics, engineering, genomics and the biological sciences, and a strong tradition of interdisciplinary interactions between the physical, biological and agricultural sciences on the Urbana campus. The faculty hiring initiatives is being coupled with broader campus, state and community efforts to enhance research, education, outreach and economic development in biotechnology.

The Faculty Hiring Initiative. The faculty hiring initiative plans to add up to 25 new faculty lines during the next 3 years. Hiring will be focused in five priority areas:

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- IV. Cellular and Molecular Bioengineering
- V. Developmental and Integrative Biology

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Applications. Interested individuals are invited to submit a curriculum vitae, a description of research interests and the names of three persons who can serve as a reference. Applications will be accepted and evaluated on a continuing basis. Applications should be sent to:

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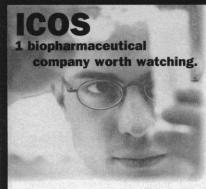
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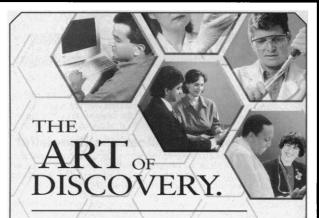
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Please send a statement of your research experience and goals, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three references to: Janis Stringer, Administrative Assistant, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Indiana University School of Medicine, Medical Science Building 255, 635 Barnhill Drive, Indianapolis, IN 46202-5120. For further information, please visit the following Websites: http://www.iupui.edu/ir/micro/dept.html; http://www.iupui.edu/~wellsctr/. Indiana University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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The Ohio State University, Department of Veterinary Biosciences, is seeking two tenure-track faculty positions in comparative molecular genetics and transgenic animal pathobiology, respectively, at the assistant/associate professor level. The college is a member of the most comprehensive health sciences center in America. Among other resources, The Ohio State University has an NIH-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center, two campuswide transgenic animal facilities, the Center for Retrovirus Research, and campuswide graduate education programs in genetics and molecular life sciences. Departmental support facilities include BSL-3 containment laboratories, recently renovated research laboratories, and a state-of-the-art flow cytometry facility. Applicants (see description below) should have completed a PhD degree or equivalent, relevant post-doctoral experience, and have a record of excellence in research. More senior candidates should have a proven record of success in attracting extramural research funds; junior candidates should have excellent potential. Development of an independent research program, involvement in collaborative campuswide research efforts, and a strong commitment to graduate education are essential.

Applications should include a curriculum vitae, statement of career goals, summary of current research activities and the names of at least four individuals from whom letters of reference may be solicited. Academic rank and salary are negotiable. Applications will be accepted until November 15, 1999 or until the positions are filled. Address all correspondence to: Dr. Steven Krakowka, Chairman, Search Committee, Department of Veterinary Biosciences, College of Veterinary Medicine, The Ohio State University, 1925 Coffey Road, Columbus, OH 43210.

Comparative Molecular Geneticist. A person is sought with education and experience in mammalian molecular genetics. Applicants should have knowledge and expertise in genomic mapping, genetic models of cancer, genetic basis of disease, gene therapy or molecular oncology.

Transgenic Animal Pathobiologist. A person is sought with education and experience in murine pathobiology or an equivalent field with knowledge in the phenotypic expression of disease in genetically engineered murine models of human and animal diseases. Advanced professional education in veterinary pathology and transgenic animal biology is desirable. Applicants will be encouraged to participate in training grants and other University-wide initiatives in transgenic research.

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Applications received by September 1, 1999, will be assured of consideration. Send a letter of application including a curriculum vitae, a complete list of publications, a brief description of research interests and professional goals, and the names, addresses, email addresses, phone and fax numbers of at least three references to: Neurobiology Search Committee, Department of Biology 0346, University of California, San Diego, 9500 Gilman Dr., La Jolla, CA 92093-0346.

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Expansion of the College's research programs coincides with the Medical Center's new Strategic Research Plan to develop interdisciplinary research and training programs which emphasize Neurosciences, Infectious Disease & Immunology, Cell & Molecular Biology and Vascular Biology. Interdisciplinary Programs are coordinated by two interactive Directors. Alignment of the Vascular Biology research programs with the Clinical Centers in Heart and Vascular Diseases is projected.

Research interests of current Vascular Biology faculty include vascular smooth muscle cell signaling, endothelial barrier integrity, hypertension, vascular reactivity, coronary disease, ischemia-reperfusion injury, nitric oxide, pulmonary edema, and inflammatory lung disease. Additional tenure-track Assistant Professor faculty positions are budgeted to build the Vascular Biology program.

Applicants should submit curriculum vitae to: Dr. Thomas M. Saba, Senior Vice President for Research, Professor & Chair, Physiology & Cell Biology, Albany Medical College, Mail Code 134, 47 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, NY 12208.

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St. John's University, one of the largest Catholic universities in the U.S., invites applications for the tenure-track position of Assistant/Associate Professor of Toxicology in the Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy and Health Professions. Applicants must possess a Ph.D. and postdoctoral experience in toxicology or a closely related field. Responsibilities include teaching undergraduate and graduate courses in toxicology and allied health, establishment of an active research program and mentoring graduate students in toxicology. The department possesses excellent facilities and support services for research. Application letters with curriculum vitae, statement of research interests and names of three references should be sent to: Dr. Louis Trombetta, Professor and Chair, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, St. John's University, 8000 Utopia Parkway, Jamaica, NY 11439



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Candidates must be U.S. or Canadian citizens or permanent residents, have an M.D. or Ph.D. degree, and be independent investigators appointed within three years of the November 1 application deadline to a tenure-track position as an assistant professor or its equivalent. Candidates need not hold appointments in pharmacology or toxicology. BWF encourages applications from researchers in such diverse departments and fields as biochemistry, genetics, molecular biology, and the physical and computational sciences. Clinical and veterinary scientists engaged in fundamental research also may apply.

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Please submit resumes to Andrew W. Bergen, Ph.D., Laboratory Director, Biognosis U.S., Inc. 3 Bethesda Metro Center, Suite 700, Bethesda, MD 20814, (301) 961-1928, (301) 657-9776 fax, abergen@anidc.com

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The incumbent will: 1) Serve as a member of the Bioengineering Scientific Research Group (BSRG); 2) Serve as an Advisor to the SRG Leader and to the Program Director in the Heart Research Program, DHVD; 3) Be responsible for the management of a research portfolio; 4) Make recommendations to the SRG Leader and the Program Director regarding policy formulation, scientific directions and funding; and 5) Participate in a cooperative effort to accomplish goals of the Program, Division and Institute. Selective Factor. Scientific knowledge and expertise in medical and biological imaging, bioengineering, applied physics and mathematics KSAs. 1) Scientific knowledge and expertise in cardiovascular medicine, diagnostics and therapeutics. 2) Ability to manage a research project. 3) Ability to evaluate and analyze broad scientific areas. 4) Ability to communicate orally and in writing with co-workers and the community outside the organization.

Submission of KSAs is strongly encouraged.

Applications must be postmarked no later than 8/17/99. Submit to: Attention: Connie Lucas (LCP)

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Qualifications preferred include a doctoral degree, significant scientific accomplishments in one or more areas or relevant research, and experience in developing, supervising and leading a research program.

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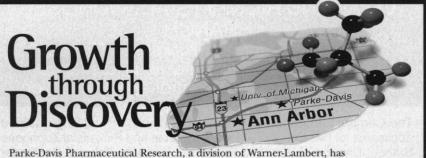
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Further information can be obtained from James E. Childs, ScD, Chairman, Viral and Rickettsial Zoonoses Branch Section Chief and Research Microbiologist Search Committee, Mailstop G-13, Division of Viral and Rickettsial Diseases, National Center for Infectious Diseases, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, Atlanta, GA 30333; Telephone: 404-639-1075; FAX: 404-639-2778; or EMAIL: JFC5@CDC.GOV

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PROGRAMME OBJECTIVES: The Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases (TDR) develops new methods of preventing, diagnosing and treating selected tropical diseases, which would be applicable, acceptable and affordable by developing endemic countries, which require minimal skills and supervision and can be readily integrated in the health services of these countries; strengthens the capability of such countries to undertake the research required to develop these new disease control strategies, through training in biomedical and social sciences and support to institutions.

The following positions are available in the programme area of Basic and Strategic Research:

Team Coordinator and Manager, Steering Committee on Pathogenesis

Responsible for coordinating TDR's Basic and Strategic Research in Pathogenesis, Molecular Entomology, Functional Genomics and Social, Economic and Behavioural Research. As Manager, Steering Committee on Pathogenesis, he/she is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Committee and technical and operational review of research projects. He/she coordinates TDR pathogenesis activities and assists the scientific community with the identification of new opportunities for research.

QUALIFICATIONS: Medical degree, with postgraduate training in parasitology and/or clinical tropical medicine. Alternatively a doctorate in biological sciences and experience of research in tropical diseases, in particular parasitology. A minimum of 10 years' experience in research in parasitology and/or tropical medicine, including science/research administration.

(2) <u>Manager, Steering Committee on Molecular Entomology</u>

Responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Committee and technical and operational review of research projects. He/she coordinates TDR vector control activities and assists the scientific community with the identification of new opportunities for research.

QUALIFICATIONS: Doctorate degree in biology/parasitology with postdoctoral training in genetics/ entomology/molecular biology. A minimum of 10 years' experience in research related to tropical medicine with expertise in design and management of research projects.

For both positions fluency in English or French with a working knowledge of the other language is required. An attractive package of salary, international allowances and benefits is offered.

Applicants are requested to submit either an application form (Personal History Form) which is available on the Web site at: http://www.who.int/per/vacancies, or a detailed curriculum vitae. The application/CV should reach the following office within three weeks of publication quoting reference CDS/VAC

Manager, MSU/CDS, World Health Organization

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EUROPEAN OPPORTUNITIES

Charité

MDC

MEDICAL FACULTY of the CHARITE, HUMBOLDT UNIVERSITY BERLIN and MAX DELBRÜCK CENTER for MOLECULAR MEDICINE (MDC) BERLIN-BUCH invite applications for the following position:

Full Professorship for Molecular Medicine (C-4 BBesG; Code designation Prof. 180/99)

The occupant of this chair will be a full-fledged member of the Medical Faculty Charité as well as the Max Delbrück Center for Molecular Medicine (MDC) Berlin-Buch. Intended is the establishment of a link between the basic sciences and clinical medicine, in the framework of the curriculum: "molecular medicine".

The applicant will be expected to present outstanding research credentials, as well as documentation of didactic excellence and organizational skills. An outstanding internationally recognized scientific record of accomplishments in the area of molecular medicine, especially medical genetics and functional genomics, is expected as well as a program that can be smoothly integrated into the ongoing areas of expertise at the Charité and the MDC.

Appropriate space, positions and funds for laboratory set-up and operation will be provided by the MDC. In addition the successful applicant will be expected to apply for extramural funding. A letter of application, curriculum vitae, bibliography, documentation of teaching experience, and reprints of important publications should be forwarded as of 4 weeks from the initial date of this announcement to:

Dean, Charité Medical Faculty, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 10098 Berlin, Germany or to:

Scientific Director, Max-Delbrück-Cantrum für Molekulare Medizin (MDC) Berlin-Buch, Robert-Rössle-Str. 10, 13125 Berlin, Germany

Applicants with disabilities will be given preferential consideration if all other qualifying factors are equal. The Medical Faculty Charité and the MDC are equal opportunities employers and welcome applications from women in order to increase the proportion of female staff in University research and teaching.

The MDC is a member of the Hermann von Hemholtz Association of National Research Centers supported by the Federal Republic of Germany and by the Berlin Regional Administration

For further information on the MDC or the Humboldt University Berlin please visit our web site (http://www.mdc-berlin.de or http://www.charite.de).

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For our future engagement in BioInformatics and our strong expansion of ChemInformatics in combinatorial research we are seeking highly motivated scientists with a PH.D. in physics, chemistry, biology or computer science. We appreciate team-oriented persons who offer excellent communication skills and enjoy working in a highly dynamic and intellectually stimulating environment in one of the largest chemical-pharmaceutical companies.

BioInformatics

You will design, develop and implement integrated IT solutions at the intersections of molecular biology and chemistry in close connection with the latest R&D projects needs. In a challenging, highly visible position with a great future promise you will be working in a interdisciplinary team of scientists with world-wide impact. We expect a broad knowledge of Bioinformatics related software and databases together with expertise in some of the following areas:

- · computer-aided sequence analysis of proteins and genes
- · metabolic pathway analysis
- · visualization of genomic information
- genome comparison

ChemInformatics in combinatorial research

You will use information technology and soft computing techniques to create an infrastructure for integration and mining of data from all aspects of the combinatorial research process in material and life science.

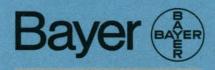
In a rapidly expanding area of science your contribution will be highly appreciated and you will enjoy excellent prospects. With outstanding skills in computer science and software development you are familiar with some of the following areas:

- · drug design process
- · material and catalyst research
- · screening techniques (HTS)
- · data mining and analysis

For further information do not hesitate to contact Dr. Achim Zielesny (e-mail: achim.zielesny.az@bayer-ag.de)

If your background and personal experience fits to one of these profiles, please send your complete application (including a CV, a brief description of research experience, a list of publications, names of referees) and ref.no. 934 to:

Bayer AG, Hochschulmarketing, Hauptstrasse 119, D-51368 Leverkusen, Germany



ASSISTANT PROFESSOR POSITIONS VASCULAR BIOLOGY PROGRAM

The Vascular Biology Program is a new initiative at The University of Tennessee, Memphis and is seeking qualified tenure-track faculty at the Assistant Professor level in the area of vascular biology with focus on endothelial cell function, mechanisms of angiogenesis, cell growth and apoptosis, tumor cell progression, and metastasis.

Located in the Medical Center of the University of Tennessee in Memphis, the Vascular Biology Program provides a productive research environment for scientific endeavors and interdisciplinary collaborations. Basic, translational, and clinical research are integral parts of the Program's activities.

Successful candidates will have a Ph.D. or M.D. degree or both, two to five years of postdoctoral experience, and a strong publication record. Laboratory and office space as well as start-up funds will be provided. Faculty are expected to fund the majority of their research program and to develop collaborations with existing faculty on campus.

Please send your curriculum vitae, a letter detailing your specific training and research interests, date of availability, and the names and addresses of three references to:

Lisa K. Jennings, Ph.D.
Director, Vascular Biology Program
The University of Tennessee, Memphis
Coleman Building H300
956 Court Avenue
Memphis, TN 38163

The University of Tennessee is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

PROFESSOR OF NUTRITIONAL BIOCHEMISTRY Harvard School of Public Health

The Department of Nutrition is seeking candidates for the position of Professor of nutritional biochemistry. Candidates should have an ongoing research program with emphasis on the transport, metabolism, or function of nutrients. Preference will be given to individuals with a research interest in diseases of public health importance and demonstrated capacity for multidisciplinary research. The successful candidate will be expected to interact with the faculty of the Department of Nutrition and the Division of Biological Sciences and contribute to their teaching and training programs.

Please send curriculum vitae, a short statement of research interests and field activities, and names of three references to:

Dyann F. Wirth, Ph.D.
Chair, ad hoc Search Committee
for a Professor of Nutritional Biochemistry
Office for Academic Affairs
677 Huntington Avenue
Boston, MA 02115

The Haward School of Public Health is committed to increasing the representation of women and minority members among its faculty and particularly encourages applications from such candidates.

SABA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Several full-time, medical school faculty openings in the basic sciences (anatomy, histology, microbiology, pathology, clinical medicine, physical diagnosis, and USMLE review). Salary range \$36,000 to \$42,000 U.S. dollars, tax-free. All positions are on Saba, a small, tropical, Dutch island near St. Maarten. Clean, crime-free, English speaking, 5:1 student-faculty ratio. Write or call:

Dr. David Fredrick P.O. Box 386 Gardner, MA 01440 Telephone: 978-630-5122 FAX: 978-632-2168 E-mail: saba@tiac.net Website: www.saba.org.

POSITIONS OPEN

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR DEPARTMENT OF ANATOMY AND NEUROBIOLOGY Dalhousie University

Dalhousie University Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada

The Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology (website: http://www.anatomy.dal.ca/) at Dalhousie University is seeking applications for two probationary tenure-track positions at the rank of Assistant Professor. Candidates must have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. and have at least two years of postdoctoral training. Training and experience teaching one or more of gross anatomy, histology, embryology, and neuroanatomy is required. The candidate will be expected to have strong research training and undertake an independent research program. Current research activities within the department include neurobiology, functional morphology, and cell biology. The successful applicant will be expected to compete for external research and salary support during the initial appointment and to participate in undergraduate and graduate teaching programs of the department.

Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, copies of three recent publications, a one- to two-page statement outlining their research plans, and the names of three references to:

Dr. David A. Hopkins, Professor and Head Department of Anatomy and Neurobiology Faculty of Medicine Sir Charles Tupper Medical Building Dalhousie University Halifax, Nova Scotia B3H 4H7 Canada

Closing date for receipt of applications will be September 30, 1999, or until the positions are filled. The Appointments, Tenure, and Promotions Committee will commence reviewing applications after the closing deadline. Dalhousie University is an Employment Equity/Affirmative Action Employer. The University encourages applications from qualified Aboriginal Peoples, persons with a disability, racially visible persons, and women. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, this advertisement is directed to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

FACULTY POSITION ANATOMY AND CELL BIOLOGY UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA School of Medicine and Health Sciences

Applications are invited for a tenure-track position at the ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR level to begin January 1, 2000. This position requires expertise in human histology and developmental anatomy, and cell biology. The successful candidate will be expected to contribute to team-taught courses for graduate and medical students in those fields. Candidates must have a Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent with at least two (2) years of postdoctoral training. Research experience in developmental biology, cell and molecular biology, and/or related fields is preferred. The successful applicant will be expected to carry on a vigorous research program supported by extramural funds. Review of applications will begin on September 1, 1999, and continue until the position is filled. Candidates should send a curriculum vitae, descriptions of research and teaching experience, and names of three (3) individuals willing to serve as references to: Dr. Edward C. Carlson, Search Committee Chair, Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology, Box 9037, University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences, Grand Forks, ND 58202. The University of North Dakota is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer and invites applications from all analified individuals.

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POSITIONS OPEN

CURATOR OF THE HERBARIUM AND ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PLANT MOLECULAR SYSTEMATICS

The University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF) Museum and Department of Biology and Wildlife seek qualified applicants for a tenure-track position as Curator of the Herbarium and Assistant Professor.

The appointee is expected to curate and develop the herbarium, teach one course per year (systematic botany or course in an area of specialty), supervise graduate students, and establish a vigorous, extramurally funded research program complementing evolutionary and plant biology at UAF. The herbarium comprises the largest collection of Alaska vascular plants. Available facilities (website: http://mercury.bio. uaf.edu) include core DNA laboratory, spatial ecology laboratory, supercomputer, a modern greenhouse, and collaboration with the Bonanza Creek Long-Term Ecological Research site. Applicants with experience in managing and using traditional museum collections; a background in comparative biology and theory of phylogenetic analysis; and experience in using molecular techniques are preferred. A completed Ph.D. is mandatory and postdoctoral experience is preferred.

A Collection Manager, laboratory space, and startup funds are included. The appointment should begin in August 2000. Send applications including statements of research interest, teaching philosophy, and curatorial experience, curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference by September 3, 1999, to: Dr. A. Dave McGuire, Chair, Curator of Herbarium Search Committee, Biology and Wildlife Department, University of Alaska Fairbanks, Fairbanks, AK 99775-7000. Telephone: 907-474-7656; FAX: 907-474-6967; e-mail: ffadm@uaf.edu.

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SENIOR OPENING IN MARINE/AQUATIC BIOLOGY AT FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY

ASSOCIATE or FULL PROFESSOR position in marine/aquatic biology is available in the Division of Science at Florida Atlantic University's Davie Campus. We seek an individual deeply committed to both research and teaching whose particular area of expertise includes freshwater, marine, or estuarine systems. The successful candidate will be expected to contribute to upper-level undergraduate and graduate biology programs allied to the area of specialization, to actively participate in and enhance collaborative projects at the local, state, and federal levels, and to continue to maintain a dynamic extramurally supported research program. The ideal individual will have an exemplary publication record, evidence of sustained funding, and a strong commitment to undergraduate research and education. Preference will be given to individuals whose research provides an ecosystem perspective. The position starts August 1999. Interested scientists should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, three (3) letters of recommendation, and five (5) representative publications to: Dr. John C. Volin, Search Committee Chair, Division of Science, Florida Atlantic University, 2912 College Avenue, Davie, FL 33314 by August 12, 1999

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UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

Seeks ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR in the Department of Medicine Division of Cardiology. M.D. degree, Board-certified/Board-eligible in cardiology. A full-time tenure-track position, with expertise in echocardiography. Responsibilities will include primarily attending in echocardiography laboratory, also some consultation and inpatient responsibilities. Salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Please reply with curriculum vitae to: Janet Lewis, M.D., Associate Professor, Division of Cardiology, Box 100277, JHMHC, Gainesville, FL 32608. Recruiting deadline: July 29, 1999, anticipated start date: September 3, 1999. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Serono Pharmaceutical Research Institute



The Institute is an affiliate of The Ares-Serono Group, which has its Executive Headquarters in Geneva and is a leading multinational engaged in research, development and marketing of products in the biotechnology field. The Institute, headed by Dr. Timothy Wells, is a state-of-the-art centre of scientific excellence. Its research is directed towards the identification of novel molecular mechanisms underlying disease and the discovery of new drugs.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

are available in the Departments of Cellular Biochemistry and Biotechnology working within research teams studying molecular mechanisms controlling cellular apoptosis (Dr. Jean-Claude Martinou), signal transduction through kinases and phosphatases (Dr. Steve Arkinstall) and structural determination of key proteins involved in these processes (Dr. Jeff Shaw). Applications are invited from highly motivated and creative individuals.

Within the apoptosis group the successful postdoctoral fellow will work on key molecular questions relating to neuronal apoptosis and the involvement of mitochondria in this process. Applicants must have a Ph.D., M.D. or Ph.D.-M.D. Experience in the biology of mitochondria will be advantageous. The responsibilities will include the identification of novel molecular mechanisms by which mitochondria can signal neuronal death. The successful candidate will be expected to publish.

Informal enquiries should be sent to Dr. Jean-Claude Martinou (jean-claude.martinou@serono.com).

Within the signal transduction team the successful postdoctoral fellow will work on key molecular questions relating to growth factor and cytokine activated kinases and their control by members of the protein tyrosine phosphatase gene family. The candidate must have strong background in cellular biochemistry and/or molecular biology, preferably with previous experience with signal transduction. Applicants must have a Ph.D., M.D. or Ph.D.-M.D. Responsibilities will include the identification and study of specific molecular targets for protein tyrosine phosphatase action. The successful candidate will be expected to publish.

Informal enquiries can be directed to Dr. Steve Arkinstall (steve.arkinstall@serono.com) or Dr. Rob Hooft (rob.hooft@serono.com).

Within the protein structure group, the successful postdoctoral fellow will apply x-ray crystallography to the *de novo* determination of protein structure. Applicants with a Ph.D. must have a strong background (3–4 years) in protein crystallisation and x-ray crystallography, preferably with some previous experience in protein expression and purification. Hands-on experience in basic molecular biology would be a plus. Responsibilities include the purification and crystallisation of proteins, resolution of the structures, analysis of the structures by site-directed mutagenesis and/or the study of the structure with bound substrates or inhibitors. The successful candidate will be expected to publish his/her results in high impact scientific journals. This position requires an active and close interaction with the Institute's other departments, such as cellular biochemistry, molecular biology and chemistry.

Informal enquiries can be sent to Dr. Jeff Shaw (jeffrey.shaw@serono.com).

If you are interested, please quote the position applied for, the contact name and send your curriculum vitae with a list of publications and the names of three referees to the Personnel Department of the Institute.

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The USDA, Agricultural Research Service (ARS), Food Safety and Health Research Unit, Western Regional Research Center, Albany, California is accepting applications for the position of RESEARCH MI-CROBIOLOGIST or PLANT PHYSIOLOGIST, (GS-11/12, depending on experience; \$42,673 to \$66,488, plus benefits). The incumbent will be a Permanent Scientist in a laboratory performing research within a broad project addressing the biology of bacterial human pathogens in food, especially fruits and vegetables. The overall project involves the study of the mechanisms involved in the introduction, survival, detection, identification, and virulence of human pathogens in food, especially fruits and vegetables. The incumbent will be part of a project to develop surrogate strains and methods for monitoring the transfer of microbes under simulated field conditions and for testing innovative new strategies for limiting the presence and virulence of pathogens in food. The incumbent defines approaches, and plans experimental procedures, on aspects of the project involving (1) development of new methods for collecting, culturing, identifying, and tracking microorganisms present in food or on plants; (2) molecular characterization of plant-microbe interactions; (3) field studies of the effect of plant microflora and growth conditions on plant physiology. Degree required in microbiology, plant physiology, or related degree. Plus graduate degree-Ph.D. or equivalent Doctoral degree preferred; or one year of specialized experience in the study of microbes in manure/compost. Candidates must be a U.S. citizen. A complete copy of the vacancy announcement and where to apply can be found at website: http://www.ars.usda.gov/afm/hrd/resjobs/ index.html; select announcement ARS-D9W-9364; or contact Personnel, Telephone: 510-559-6014. Closing date for applications is August 23, 1999. For information, contact: Stacey R. Pascoe, USDA, ARS, Western Regional Research Center, Albany, CA 94710. Telephone: 510-559-5610; e-mail: spascoe@pw.usda.gov. USDA/ARS is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer; women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR POSITIONS

Southeast Poultry Research Laboratory, Agricultural Research Services, USDA has two permanent full-time positions available for Ph.D. or Ph.D.-D.V.M. scientists. The first position is for a MOLEC-ULAR BIOLOGIST/GENETICIST with experience in microbiology, molecular biology, biochemistry, or genetics. The incumbent will utilize modern molecular approaches to conduct basic and applied research examining Salmonella enteritidis ecology The second position is for an **IMMUNOLOGIST**/ VIROLOGIST with experience in immunology, virology, microbiology, or molecular biology. The incumbent will conduct basic and applied research on the immunologic aspects of avian influenza and Newcastle disease virus. The ideal candidates will have a Ph.D. or Ph.D.-D.V.M. and postdoctoral research experience with evidence of recent peer-reviewed publications. Southeast Poultry Research Laboratory is a rapidly growing, dynamic research laboratory with over 18 scientists forming a diverse interdisciplinary team working on established and emerging disease threats to the U.S. poultry industry. Salary commensurate with experience (\$47,891 to \$87,489). United States citizenship required. For further information on the research programs and/or positions contact by telephone or by mail: Dr. David Swayne, 934 College Station Road, Athens, GA 30605. Telephone: 706-546-3434. For further information of application procedures, contact: Ms. Genell Powers, Telephone: 706-546-3029. Applications must be postmarked by August 2, 1999. The USDA is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Provider.

POSITIONS OPEN

CENTER FOR AGING, GENETICS, AND NEURODEGENERATION MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL

The new Center for Aging, Genetics, and Neurodegeneration at Massachusetts General Hospital and Harvard Medical School is recruiting for three positions: (1) High-Throughput Drug Screening Laboratory. New FACULTY or RESEARCH SCIEN-TIST to direct the development of high-throughput microassays that can be used to screen for new therapies for neurodegenerative disorders. (2) Protein Neurochemistry Laboratory. New FACULTY or RESEARCH SCIENTIST to develop a protein chemistry laboratory. The purpose of this new laboratory is to advance our understanding of abnormal protein behavior (e.g., expression, folding, and trafficking) in the neurodegenerative diseases. (3) Transgenic Animal Facility for Neurodegenerative Diseases. New FACULTY or RESEARCH SCIENTIST to develop transgenic animal approaches to neurodegenerative diseases including behavioral and molecular assessments. Each Center laboratory will interact closely with other laboratories and scientists investigating the basic neurobiology of neurodegenerative diseases. Applications with curriculum vitae and the names and addresses of three professional references familiar with the candidate's qualifications should be submitted by September 15, 1999, to:

Anne B. Young, M.D., Ph.D. Chief, Neurology Service, VBK-9 Massachusetts General Hospital Boston, MA 02114

Salaries and academic appointments will be commensurate with experience. The Massachusetts General Hospital is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

RESEARCH COORDINATOR DEPARTMENT OF ANESTHESIOLOGY

The Department of Anesthesiology of the University of Tennessee, Graduate School of Medicine, Knoxville is recruiting a full-time Research Coordinator for basic research related to anesthesiology. Ph.D. preferred; will consider Master's of Science degree. Experience in anesthesia-related research required. This position is an ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR in the non-tenure track. Rank will be determined based on qualifications and background. Please send curriculum vitae to: Steve A. Morris, M.D., Chairman, Department of Anesthesiology, 1924 Alcoa Highway, Box U109, Knoxville, TN 37920. An Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Title VI/Title IX/Section 504/ADA/ADEA Employer.

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NEUROSCIENTIST to join in multidisciplinary studies of the cellular, molecular, and neuroanatomical substrates by which intrinsic central nervous system networks protect against ischemic, excitotoxic, or inflammatory injury of brain. A background in cellular, systems, and/or developmental neuroscience with strong cytochemical/neuroanatomical orientation desired. POSTDOCTORAL to ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level depending on background/experience. Contact: D. J. Reis, Division of Neurobiology, Weill Medical College of Cornell University, 411 East 69th Street, New York, NY 10021. Email: djreis@mail.med.cornell.edu. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Minoritics/Females/Disabled/Veterans.

POSITIONS OPEN



DIRECTOR TULANE UNIVERSITY REGIONAL PRIMATE RESEARCH CENTER

Tulane University Medical Center in New Orleans. Louisiana invites nominations and applications for the position of Director of the Tulane Regional Primate Research Center. The position is open to qualified Doctoral-level candidates with a proven research record and experience and achievement in a field relevant to primate research. Applicants should have administrative and leadership experience in coordinating basic and applied research. Strong emphasis will be placed on the candidate's ability to build on the resources of the Medical Center, which includes a School of Medicine, a School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine, and a multidisciplinary hospital and clinic in addition to the Primate Research Center. The successful candidate will be expected to act as a liaison with federal agencies, including the National Center for Research Resources, other units of the university, and the private sector. Tulane's institutional commitment and currently active research projects in primate research offer an excellent opportunity to establish a strong integrated program that can attract extramural funding and achieve national prominence as a center of excellence for primate research. Current areas of research emphasis at the Primate Research Center include parasitic and infectious diseases and gene therapy.

Nominations should be sent to **Dr. Paul Whelton**, Chair of the Search Committee at the address listed below. Applicants should send a complete curriculum vitae and the names of at least three references to:

Paul K. Whelton, M.D., M.Sc.
Chair, Primate Research Center Directorship
Search Committee
Office of the Chancellor, SL 76
Tulane University Medical Center
1430 Tulane Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70112

Tulane is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages applications from women and members of minority groups.

ASSISTANT UNIT LEADER FOR WILDLIFE ALASKA COOPERATIVE FISH AND WILDLIFE RESEARCH UNIT University of Alaska Fairbanks

The position is open to all qualified applicants who are U.S. citizens and is a permanent 12-month position with U.S. Geological Survey. The incumbent will hold joint appointments in the Department of Biology and Wildlife and the Institute of Arctic Biology (IAB) with a faculty rank commensurate with experience. Applicants must have an earned Ph.D. in wildlife ecology, conservation biology, or a closely related discipline. Postdoctoral experience, a strong record of extramural funding, the ability to supervise graduate students, and to interact favorably with state and federal wildlife agencies are expected. The incumbent will design, direct, and conduct research related to conservation biology and wildlife ecology and management with emphasis on arctic and subarctic ecosystems. The position is primarily research with a teaching load of one graduate course per year. Extensive research support is available at the Large Animal Research Station, Toolik Field Station, Spatial Ecology Laboratory, the DNA Core Facility, and the UAF Museum. Complete job description is available at website: http://mercury.bio.uaf.edu/~bgriffit.faculty/AUL-wildl/AUL.html. Contact: Brad Griffith, 209 Irving I, University of Alaska Fairbanks, Fairbanks, AK 99775. E-mail: ffdbg@uaf. edu; Telephone: 907-474-5067 regarding nature of the position, closing date, position number, and application procedures. Application must be submitted to: U.S. Geological Survey, Human Resources Office, 345 Middlefield Road, MS-612, Menlo Park, CA 94025. Telephone: 603-329-4120.



Universiteit Utrecht

Faculty of Earth Sciences

Faculty and Postdoctoral Positions in Geochemistry

The Faculty of Earth Sciences at Utrecht University (The Netherlands) is seeking to fill up to three tenure-track faculty positions in Geochemistry at the rank of Assistant Professor. Applications are welcome from qualified candidates in the following, broadly-defined, areas: Organic Geochemistry, Geomicrobiology, Biogeochemistry, Marine Geochemistry, Chemical Oceanography, Aquatic Geochemistry, Geochemical Kinetics, and Reactive Transport Modelling. We are particularly interested in applicants who are at the forefront of new developments in one or several of the aforementioned fields of research. Candidates should hold a Ph.D. at the time of appointment. They will be expected to rapidly establish an independent, externallyfunded research program. A strong commitment to quality teaching at the undergraduate and graduate level is also required. Applicants not familiar with Dutch must be prepared to develop a working knowledge of the language within 2 years. Appointments could start as early as January 1, 2000.

Applications are also sought for a postdoctoral research position, starting in the fall of 1999. The successful candidate will participate in ongoing studies of the biogeochemistry of redox-stratified environments. Candidates with a background in dynamic modelling or experimental (bio)geochemical kinetics are encouraged to apply.

The Faculty of Earth Sciences offers undergraduate and graduate degree courses in Geology, Geochemistry and Geophysics. It comprises a total of 37 permanent academic staff, approximately 60 Ph.D. students and postdocs. State-of-the-art analytical, experimental and computational facilities are available. Existing research programs in

the Geochemistry Department focus on Environmental Geochemistry, Soil Chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Chemical Oceanography, Organic Geochemistry, Trace Element Geochemistry, and Engineering Geochemistry. The advertised positions coincide with the appointment of Dr. Philippe Van Cappellen as Professor of Geochemistry.

Appointments to the advertised faculty positions will be at a level equivalent to Assistant Professor and will be initially for 2 years with the possibility of subsequent tenure, depending on performance. Gross salary will be commensurate with experience and ranges from Dfl. 3,990.—to Dfl. 8,429.—per month.

The postdoctoral position will be for 2 years. Gross salary will be commensurate with experience and ranges between Dfl. 3,990.—and Dfl. 6,326.—per month.

Salaries are paid on a 12 months per year

Salaries are paid on a 12 months per year basis and are supplemented by an annual holiday bonus of 8% gross.

Questions regarding all positions should be addressed by e-mail to pvc@geo.uu.nl. Applicants for the faculty positions should send a resume, a list of publications, a statement of research and teaching objectives and the names and addresses of three references. Applicants for the postdoctoral position should send a concise statement describing research interests and long-term career objectives, a resume, a list of publications, and the names and addresses of three references.

All applications should be sent to the Personnel Department, Faculty of Earth Sciences, Budapestlaan 4, 3584 CD Utrecht, The Netherlands.

Please quote reference number 95907 (faculty positions) and 95908 (postdoctoral position).

Utrecht University is committed to employment equity, and strongly encourages applications from qualified women.

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ANIMAL PHYSIOLOGIST

Towson University invites application for a tenure-track Assistant Professor effective January 2000. Position involves teaching one to two courses per semester including histology and other anatomy and physiology offerings. Successful candidate expected to establish extramurally funded research program involving undergraduates and M.S. candidates; all subdisciplines considered, preference for cell signaling research. Salary and teaching load competitive with peer institutions. Ph.D. required; postdoctoral experience preferred. Send curriculum vitae, all transcripts, one-page statements of teaching and research interests, and two letters of reference to:

Jay A. Nelson, Chair Physiology Search Committee Department of Biological Sciences Towson University Towson, MD 21252 USA E-mail: jnelson@towson.edu

Review of applications begins August 16, 1999. Electronic materials should also be submitted on disk or via e-mail to e-mail: dreuther@towson.edu. Additional information at website: http://www.towson.edu/biology. Touson University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer with strong institutional commitment to diversity. Women, minorities, persons with disability, and veterans encouraged to apply.

MEDICAL SCIENCE WRITER/EDITOR. Position includes writing about medical research and clinical topics for lay readers and writing/editing copy for Physicians, other health care professionals, and basic researchers. Minimum requirements include a Bachelor's degree in English, journalism, scientific/medical writing, health sciences, or related field plus three years of experience or the equivalent. Strong writing, interviewing, and interpersonal skills are a must. Prefer M.S./A.B.D./Ph.D. in the biomedical sciences. Qualified applicants should send three copies of their résumé and two to three writing samples to: UPMC Health System, Human Resources Department, Attn: VJH, 200 Lothrop Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213-2582. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

CHILD NEUROLOGIST. The Department of Neurology and Neurological Sciences and the Department of Pediatrics at Stanford University School of Medicine seek to recruit an academic Child Neurologist who will participate in programs of patient care, teaching, and investigation at Lucile Salter Packard Children's Hospital at Stanford. Candidates must be Board-certified or -eligible in child neurology. A clinical subspecialty focus in motor disorders or neurogenetics is desirable. The appointment will be at the rank of ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE, or FULL PRO-FESSOR in either the Medical Center Line or in the University Tenure Line. Faculty in the Medical Center Line are expected to build an outstanding program of clinical care, teaching, and clinical research. In the University Tenure Line, faculty are engaged primarily in basic science or clinical research; they are expected to establish superb, well-funded research programs. Applicants and nominations should be directed to: William C. Mobley, M.D., Ph.D., Professor and Chairman, Department of Neurology and Neurological Sciences, MSLS Building, Room P211, 1201 Welch Road, Stanford University Medical Center, Stanford, CA 94305-5489. Stanford University is committed to increasing representation of women and members of minority groups on its faculty and particularly encourages applications from such candidates.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM OFFICER for drug discovery. Exciting position available at new nonprofit foundation dedicated to drug discovery in Alzheiner's disease. Scientific Officer will assist in program development and oversight. Candidate will have Ph.D. in neuroscience or related field with experience in central nervous system/Alzheiner's disease research. Experience with drug discovery and development will be a vital asset. Position requires considerable travel to identify worthwhile drug discovery projects for funding in both academic and biotechnology industry and site visits of funded programs. Ability to communicate well and represent the organization nationally and internationally is crucial. Salary commensurate with experience.

Please contact:

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MICROBIAL BIOTECHNOLOGIST

The Institute for Microbial and Biochemical Technology is seeking a permanent, full-time RE-SEARCH SCIENTIST. The successful candidate will establish an independent research and development program to discover and implement novel enzymes or microbial processes that underlay technologies for improving utilization of wood or wood fiber. Preferred applicants will have completed all requirements for a Ph.D. degree in an appropriate field. Demonstrated fundamental research productivity in enzyme or microbial bioprocess applications is essential for this position. Applications must be postmarked by August 27, 1999. Contact: Ms. Ginny White, Forest Products Laboratory, One Gifford Pinchot Drive, Madison, WI 53705-2398. Telephone: 608-231-9270; e-mail: vwhite/fpl@fs.fed.us. Additional information may be obtained online at web site: http://www.usajobs.opm.gov/wfjic/jobs/IF1414.HTM. Announcement FPL-99-11D. The USDA is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

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POSITIONS OPEN

CALTECH POSTDOCTORAL SCHOLARS PROGRAM AT JET PROPULSION LABORATORY

The California Institute of Technology (Caltech) Postdoctoral Scholars Program at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL) invites applicants to apply for Postdoctoral Research positions in the Astrobiology Research Element at JPL. In addition to independent research, the successful candidates will support an independent, broad-based program of research on astro/exobiology.

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Please send a curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and a list of at least three references to: Dr. Kenneth Nealson, Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Mail Stop 183-301, 4800 Oak Grove Drive, Pasadena, CA 91109. Telephone: 818-354-9219; FAX: 818-393-4445; e-mail: kenneth.h.nealson@jpl.nasa.gov.

The California Institute of Technology and the Jet Propulsion Laboratory are Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employers. Women, minorities, veterans, and disabled persons are encouraged to apply.

Several POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available immediately to work in the Laboratory of Molecular and Developmental Biology in the National Eye Institute, National Institutes of Health. The research involves developmentally regulated, tissuespecific expression of multifunctional enzyme and crystallin genes in the lens and/or cornea as well as other tissues. This group is also investigating the multiple functions and disease associations of these enzyme-crystallins. Mice, zebrafish, and several invertebrates are presently being used. Methodologies include cloning, expression, and molecular analyses of cDNAs and genes, and production and utilization of transgenic mice, gene knockout mice, and transfected cells. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and have a Ph.D. or M.D. degree. Salary begins at \$30,000 and increases depending on experience. Please send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Dr. Joram Piatigorsky, Laboratory of Molecular and Developmental Biology, Building 6, Room 201, Bethesda, MD 20892-2730. FAX: 301-402-0781; e-mail: joramp@intra.nei. nih.gov. NIH is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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A full-time research position is available at the AS-SISTANT SCIENTIST (Ph.D.) level in wildlife biology. The successful candidate is expected to develop a broad program of study on the ecology and humane management of white-tailed deer. Applicants should submit a letter of application, a curriculum vitae, transcripts, reprints, and a list of three references to: Dr. Kirby Stafford, Chief Scientist, Department of Forestry and Horticulture, Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, P.O. Box 1106, New Haven, CT 06504. Telephone: 203-974-8485; email: kirby.stafford@po.state.ct.us. Closing date for applications is 1 September 1999 or until a suitable candidate is found. An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

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Senior Scientist

This position has been established to join a team, within the Cell and Molecular Biology Department which will use functional genomics to understand the processes that control inflammation and immune response. The applicants should have a PhD, with minimum 2 years of postdoctoral experience, with theoretical and practical proficiency.

The ideal candidate will have experience in Molecular Techniques relevant to functional genomics and/or immunology relevant to inflammation, hands on experience with one or more of the following technologies: cDNA cloning, cDNA selection, exon trapping, DNA sequencing, computational genomics, transcriptional profiling. Additional experience in gene expression, expression cloning, basic mammalian tissue culture techniques, YAC, BAC, PAC analysis, would be preferred.

The selected candidate will have sense of innovation, independence in short range project planning and ability to work in a team environment.

For confidential consideration, please send your resume and your references, quoting reference GEN/SC, to Marie-Aude Julien, Institut de Recherche Jouveinal/Parke-Davis, Human Resources Department, 3/9 rue de la Loge, BP 100, 94265 Fresnes Cedex, France, Fax: (33.1) 40 96 77 32



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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

Position available immediately to study molecular mechanisms of complex disorders with emphasis on eye diseases. Incumbent will be expected to carry out research on ABC transporters involved in human inherited diseases and on genetic variation in candidate genes for Mendelian and complex disorders utilizing high-throughput genotyping methods. Interested Ph.D's and/or M.D's with a strong background in molecular genetics or genomics who wish to become a part of a dynamic, growing laboratory, should send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Rando Allikmets, Ph.D., Department of Ophthalmology, Columbia University, Eye Research Addition, 2nd Floor, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. FAX: 212-305-7014. Columbia University takes Affirmative Action toward Equal Employment Opportunity.

POSTDOCTORAL/ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST POSITIONS MOLECULAR BASIS OF CANCER

Positions available to join research group cloning and characterizing novel genes mediating tumorigenesis, cancer progression and suppression, apoptosis, and cell differentiation. Training in molecular biology, emphasizing gene cloning, transgenic mice, protein analysis and purification, or protein-protein interactions. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. P. B. Fisher, Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, BB 15-1501, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. FAX: 212-305-8177; e-mail: pbfl@columbia.edu. Columbia University takes Affirmative Action toward Equal Employment Opportunity.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION VIROLOGY/EXPERIMENTAL MEDICINE HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center

Postdoctoral positions available to study (1) the biology of gamma herpesvirus (EBV, KSHV) entry and to develop virus-based approaches to tumor therapy.

Recent Ph.D. or M.D. graduates with skills in molecular/cellular biology or biochemistry. U.S. resident, an advantage. Please send curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. Joyce Fingeroth, Harvard Institute of Medicine-353, 4 Blackfan Circle, Boston, MA 02115. E-mail: jfingero@caregroup.harvard.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW to study the mechanisms used by embryonic fibroblasts and tumor cells to invade and move through extracellular matrix. The role of the cytoskeleton is evaluated by fluorescent probes and a variety of experimental approaches, of which live confocal microscopy is the most important. The role of signal transduction is studied by transfection of appropriate probes. Also involved are light and electron microscopy, immunohistochemistry, biochemistry, and culture of primary embryonic cells and tumor cell lines. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Dr. Elizabeth Hay, Department of Cell Biology, Harvard Medical School, 220 Longwood Avenue, Boston, MA 02115. Email: ehay@hms.harvard.edu.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION PLANT MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Postdoctoral position available immediately to study molecular basis of furanocoumarin biosynthesis in apiaceous plant foliage in relation to defense against insect herbivores. Expertise in plant molecular biology, particulary gene cloning and protein expression, required; phytochemistry background or familiarity with cytochrome P450 highly desirable. Send cover letter, curriculum vitae, and names of three references to: Dr. M. Berenbaum, Department of Entomology, 320 Morrill Hall, University of Illinois, 505 South Goodwin, Urbana, IL 61801-3795. E-mail: maybe@uiuc.edu. The University of Illinois is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS PENN STATE COLLEGE OF MEDICINE

Positions available to study the molecular mechanisms responsible for targeting cytosolic proteins to the yeast lysosome for degradation. Applicants with backgrounds in cloning, PCR, Western blotting, and cell fractionation are strongly encouraged to apply. Send curriculum vitae and three names of references to: Hui-Ling Chiang, Ph.D., Department of Cellular and Molecular Physiology, Penn State College of Medicine, 500 University Drive, H166, Hershey, PA 17033. E-mail: hichiang@psu.edu. Penn State is committed to Affinnative Action/Equal Opportunity and the diversity of its workplace.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available to study molecular mechanism of mammalian mismatch repair and its impact on cancer. Multidisciplinary program focused on mechanisms of DNA repair deficiency, genomic instability, and cancer. Experience in biochemistry and molecular biology desired. Send brief description of research experience, curriculum vitae, and three references to: Guo-Min Li, Ph.D., Department of Pathology, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40536. FAX: 606-323-2094; e-mail: gmli@pop.uky.edu.

POSITIONS OPEN

The Laboratory of Physical Biology, Intramural Research Program (IRP) of the National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS) of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) has a POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the biochemistry and cell biology of the muscle and cardiac junctional protein N-RAP (Cell Motil. Cytoskeleton 38:75-90, 1997; Biochem. 38:6135-6143, 1999). Experience in protein expression/purification, binding assays, or fluorescence microscopy is desirable. Applicants should have less than five years of postdoctoral laboratory experience. Send a curriculum vitae and have three letters of recommendation sent to: Dr. Robert Horowits, NIAMS, NIH, Building 6, Room 408, 6 Center Drive, MSC 2755, Bethesda, MD 20892-2755. E-mail: horowits@helix.nih.gov.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study gene expression in mouse models of systemic lupus erythematosus and diabetes mellitus as well as using archived human biopsy material. This work will be carried out in collaboration with Argonne National Laboratory and their use of microchips to perform massively parallel DNA analysis. Work will interface contemporary molecular biological tools with experimental pathology. Support by NIH training grant requires U.S. citizenship or permanent residence. Send curriculum vitae, brief description of work experience, and names of three references to: Dr. Richard Quigg, Department of Medicine, The University of Chicago, 5841 South Maryland Avenue, MC5100, Chicago, IL 60637. E-mail: rquigg@medicine.bsd. uchicago.edu. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP in electrophysiology of inner ear epithelia. These studies involve using patch clamp, vibrating probe (extracellular currents and ion fluxes), Ussing chamber, and molecular biologic techniques to investigate regulation of vectorial ion transport via receptors for extracellular ATP. Previous electrophysiological and/or molecular biological experience preferred. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae and reference list to: Daniel C. Marcus, D.Sc., Anatomy and Physiology, Kansas State University, 1600 Denison Avenue, Manhattan, KS 66506-5602. E-mail: marcus@ksu.edu; FAX: 785-532-4557; website: http://www.vet.ksu.edu/depts/a&p/faculty/marcus.htm. KSU is an Afirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

Postdoctoral positions are available to investigate the regulation of lung surfactant protein expression and the structure-function analysis of proteins. A Ph.D. in biochemistry is required. Previous experience in lung surfactant biochemistry, gene expression in a mammalian system, or expression and analysis of recombinant protein is preferred. Salary commensurate with experience. Please send curriculum vitae with names and addresses of three references to: Avinash Chander, Ph.D., Professor of Pediatrics, Division of Neonatology, Thomas Jefferson University, Suite 700, 1025 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107. E-mail: avinash.chander@mail.tju.edu. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Who you are

As a highly qualified pharmacokineticist you have a strong interest in pharmacokinetic aspects of non-clinical drug development. You have a PhD in a subject related to pharmacokinetics and some years of post-doctoral experience, ideally in industry. You are highly motivated, have proven research ability and a good publications track record. Excellent interpersonal and communications skills, as well as team spirit, are essential. Good written and spoken English and familiarity with (or willingness to learn) German are expected.

Who to contact

Interested in this challenging position? Please forward your application, together with full supporting documentation, to: F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, Mr Ralph Gysin, PSPB-1, 52/210, P.O. Box, CH-4070 Basel, quoting reference: Gr1925. If you need further information, please contact Dr. Wolfgang F. Richter (phone 0041-61-688 62 15).

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available immediately to study nuclear receptor function and programmed cell death in *Drosophila*. Developmental studies include (1) ligand-dependent function of steroid-superfamily receptors and (2) action of IAP-type proteins on cell death and proliferation. Ph.D. and experience in molecular and cellular biology essential. Send curriculum vitae, names and addresses of three references to: Marilinda Eller, at either Cellular and Molecular Biology Section, 304 Morgan Building, School of Biological Sciences or Chandler Medical Center, 306 HSRB, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40506. *Equal Opportunity Employer*.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in virology available to study the mechanisms of retrovirus and hepatitis C virus infection using innovative, high-throughput molecular and cell biological techniques. Opportunity to do rigorous science in stimulating and interactive environment. Strong background in biochemistry, molecular biology, or cell biology preferred. Send curriculum virae, names and addresses of three references to: Ila Singh, M.D., Ph.D., Columbia University, Department of Pathology, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study the pathogenesis of enteric murine coronavirus infections. Studies are focused on molecular basis of tissue tropism in coronaviruses. Experience in molecular biology, cellular biology, or virology required. Send curriculum vitae, the names of three references, and available start date to: Susan Compton, Ph.D., Comparative Medicine, Yale University, P.O. Box 208016, New Haven, CT 06520-8016. E-mail: susan.compton@yale.edu.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP

A Postdoctoral position is available for someone interested in using mouse genetics to identify and study genes important for intracellular vesicle transport. Our approach utilizes classical mouse mutations (i.e., *d, ash, ln, dsn, nn, m2*) that affect vesicle transport, and reverse genetics, to identify the mutant genes. Genetic and biochemical studies are then used to elucidate the functions of these genes in the cell. Candidates should be experienced in molecular and cell biology. A background in genetics would also be beneficial.

The position is part of the Division of Basic Sciences of the National Cancer Institute and is located at the Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center in Frederick, Maryland. Salary range for this position is \$29,000 to \$32,600.

Interested candidates should submit a curriculum vitae and the names of three references to:

Nancy A. Jenkins, Ph.D. Mammalian Genetics Laboratory Building 539, Room 229 NCI-Frederick Cancer Research and Development Center Frederick, MD 21702

Your curriculum vitae and names of references also may be sent by FAX: 301-846-6666; e-mail: jenkins@ncifcrf.gov.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

An NIH-funded position is available at the University of Maryland at Baltimore to study the role of endotoxin in antibacterial host defenses. Murine models of infection will be used to study cytokine responses, LPS, and intracellular signaling as well as interactions between cell subpopulations. Applicants should have a strong background in molecular approaches to cell biology and cytokine analysis, and in working with bacteria. The position will be available for four years.

Send curriculum vitae and letter of interest to: Dr. Alan Cross, Department of Medicine, Division of Infectious Diseases, 10 South Pine Street, Suite 900, Baltimore, MD 21201. Telephone: 410-328-6896; e-mail: across@umcc01.umcc.ab.umd.edu.

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Reply to: Peter S. Tobias, Ph.D., Department of Immunology, IMM-12, The Scripps Research Institute, 10550 North Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, CA 92037. E-mail: tobias@scripps.edu.

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MEETINGS

MOLECULAR LIBRARY TECHNOLOGIES AT THE MILLENNIUM. October 24-26, 1999; Holiday Inn, Chinatown, San Francisco. Organizers: D. Burton, J. Larrick, J. Marks. Sponsor: Palo Alto Institute of Molecular Medicine, 2462 Wyandotte Street, Mountain View, CA 94043 USA. Telephone: 650-694-1420; FAX: 650-694-7717; email: paimm@netgate.net. Details, website: www. pano.com/paimm.

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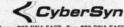
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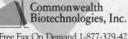
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