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# And Now for Something Completely Different

SHOULD YOU FOLLOW THE TREND OF CHOOSING A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH PROJECT IN A SUBDISCIPLINE OF LIFE SCIENCE DIFFERENT FROM THAT OF YOUR PH.D. TOPIC? HERE'S SOME GUIDANCE ON THE PROS AND CONS.

Whether they work in academe, industry, or government, life scientists today are expected to function in multidisciplinary environments. Several employers now favor individuals who have made themselves multidisciplinary by doing their postdoctoral research in a subdiscipline or discipline different from that in which they obtained their Ph.D. Thus, scientists about to apply for postdoctoral fellowships must decide whether shifting fields represents a useful career move.

The decision isn't easy. On the one hand, changing course gives individual scientists the chance to learn new skills and to become more well rounded, intellectually agile, and generally employable. It should also create a personal reservoir of broad-spectrum thinking that can prove beneficial in later professional life. On the other hand, the move to a new subdiscipline will almost certainly slow down a scientist's productivity over the short term. Shifting to a subject distant from the Ph.D. specialty may reduce an individual's ability to contribute to his or her laboratory for a significant period of time. That can detract from the scientist's ability to obtain research funding and appropriate jobs.

Students don't have to make the decision in isolation. Most academic departments readily offer advice to individuals willing to seek it. Here we discuss the pros and cons of shifting disciplines with representatives from two medical schools and a government laboratory. BY PETER GWYNNE





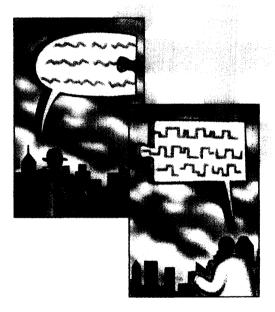
JAMES HALPERT

GALVESTON, Texas: "Many of my 20 postdocs over the years got their Ph.D.s in molecular biology," says James Halpert, who chairs the department of pharmacology and toxicology at the University of Texas Medical Branch. "Life scientists especially see pharmacology and toxicology as ports of entry to the pharmaceutical industry. People with Ph.D.s in chemistry and microbiology also move into pharmacology and toxicology and stay there because

of the job opportunities they offer."

As Halpert sees it, changing subdisciplines for postdoctoral work has many more positives than negatives. "It's a way to learn a lot of new skills and concepts," he says. "It also gives you a way to prove yourself a second time around. And if your Ph.D. project does not go well through no fault of yours, a postdoc in a different discipline gives you the chance to start again."

Halpert views the situation from the point of view of an employ-



er as well as that of a faculty adviser. "When we're interviewing people for tenure-track faculty positions, we really like the people who have done high quality work for a Ph.D. and then different high quality work for the postdoctoral fellowship," he says. "That shows that they have what it takes." That view isn't restricted to the academic world.

"In industry, people often work in multidisciplinary teams and move from one topic to another," Halpert continues. "Industry really prizes the ability to speak in several different scientific languages and get up to speed rapidly in new topics."

Prospective postdocs should take care not to move too far across the scientific spectrum. "I would encourage people not to change so drastically that they have no benefit from what they learned in their Ph.D.s," Halpert says. "I'm looking for Ph.D.s to bring things to my lab. Moving too far away means that you won't have much to contribute."

You don't have to decide alone whether and how far to move from your original discipline. "There are lots of places to get advice," Halpert says. "We have a graduate student organization. And I welcome any Ph.D. working in my department who wants advice from me. The most flattering thing that can happen is for a young person to ask about your experience when you were his or her age." His general advice: "Know what you're really interested in and like to do. Know what you can contribute. And know your weaknesses, including those you want to and can shore up."



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# **POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS**

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Structure and function of lipid rafts and caveolae:

Deborah A. Brown, Biochemistry and Cell Biology

Pathogenic mechanisms of HIV and other retroviruses:

Carol A. Carter, Molecular Genetics and Microbiology

Polyelectrolyte complexes, vesicles, membranes, nanostructured materials, colloids, DNA electrophoresis and fibers: Ben Chu, Chemistry/Materials Science and Engineering

Plant-pathogen interactions; Vitaly Citovsky, Biochemistry and Cell Biology

Cell wall biogenesis in yeast and pathogenic fungi;

Neta Dean, Biochemistry and Cell Biology

Relationship of foraging strategy and social behavior in western lowland gorillas; Diane M. Doran, Anthropology

Coastal Oceanography: Multibeam mapping in coastal waters:

Roger D. Flood, Marine Sciences Research Center

Microarray analysis and cell cycle control in yeast:

Bruce Futcher, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics

Computational Applied Mathematics: Fluid dynamics:

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Role of glycosylation in regulation of Notch signaling pathway;

Robert S. Haltiwanger, Biochemistry

Polymer crystallization, nanoparticles, nanocomposites, biodegradable polymers, nanofibers/nonwoven membranes and biomineralization; Benjamin Hsiao, Chemistry

Signal Transduction: Molecular Mechanism of Wnt signaling in Embryo Development; Jen-Chih Hsieh, Biochemistry and Cell Biology

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Ras signaling and growth control; Dafna Bar-Sagi

Glucose regulation and counter regulation in diabetes; Eugenio Cersosimo

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Controlling protein homeostasis; Peter Garlick

Phospholipase D and membrane vesicular trafficking; Michael Frohman

Pathogenesis of the insulin resistance and hyperlipidemia in HIV disease; Marie Gelato

Angiogenesis, i NO, and diabetes; Michael Goligorski

Adenylyl cyclase: isozome-structures and selective inhibitors: Roger Johnson

G-protein-coupled receptors signaling; James Konopka

Signaling in development; William Lennarz

GPCRs, G-proteins and insulin action; Craig Malbon

Insulin action in muscle; Margaret McNurlan

Signal transduction by tyrosine kinases; Todd Miller

Phospholipid and cell regulation; Andrew Morris

3D structure of signal transduction components; Nicolas Nassar

Phospholipase regulation and polyphosphoinositide metabolism; Mario Rebecchi

Cytokine signaling; Nancy Reich

Insulin receptor structure; Suzanne Scarlata

Neuronal-microglial interactions in the mammalian brain; Stella Tsirka

G-proteins and development; Hsien-yu Wang

Cell biology of lipoproteins and lipoprotein receptors, mechanisms of atherosclerosis; Dave Williams

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According to Makowski, government laboratories such as Argonne offer particularly good opportunities for new Ph.D.s to gain experience in new and different fields. "The difference here from academic labs is the huge emphasis on research groups working together on large projects," he says. "We have fostered an environment in which everyone talks. If you have communication at every level you'll bring in people whose backgrounds may not be directly to the point, but you can bring them into the focus of the lab's main work very quickly."

Makowski himself provides an example of the value of multidisciplinarity. "My Ph.D. is in electrical engineering, but I did a postdoc in



LEE MAKOWSKI

structural biology and then became a faculty member in biochemistry," he recounts. "I've done research in medical schools, private universities, public universities, and government agencies. What is fun is walking into an entirely new field, identifying the burning questions, and using your talents to take a whack at them."

Shifting fields has pluses and minuses. "One disadvantage is that your immediate productivity will be slower. If you're highly impatient you could

easily get frustrated," says Makowski. "The advantage is the breadth of vision that you will eventually acquire. Moving from one discipline will give you a long-term advantage but it could be a short-term disadvantage."

Where can soon-to-be Ph.D.s get the best suggestions on the subject in which to pursue their postdoctoral studies? "For everything that the web brings you, talking to graduate students in areas really different from yours is hugely important," says Makowski. "So is talking to faculty, but you should remember that faculty give the best and the worst advice." As to the criteria for the decision, he adds, "Tackling the burning questions is important, but also try to do something that looks like fun."



fields or to move into different fields."















STEVEN HEBERT

**NEW HAVEN, Connecticut:** A significant number of the postgraduate fellows in the department of cellular and molecular physiology at Yale University School of Medicine trained in disciplines outside physiology. "Their original fields vary from clinical health sciences to biochemistry to physics," says department chairman Steven Hebert. In the next few years, he adds, "There will be increasing opportunities for postdoctoral trainees to expand within their own

Hebert approves of the trend for two main reasons. "First," he says, "problems that scientists address today are complex. One must really bring in a multidisciplinary approach not only to the biological sciences but also in many cases to the physical sciences. In the biological sciences that is best exemplified by the recent emphasis on biomedical engineering. A new Biomedical Engineering Institute has just been formed at the National Institutes of Health and several universities, including Yale, are expanding their programs in biomedical engineering. To address those questions you have to bring in a multidisciplinary team."

In addition, Hebert asserts, training in more than one discipline

can improve young scientists' prospects of building productive careers. "If you look at people who have done well in science you'll see that they have taken advantage of opportunities to learn about other fields," he says. "They can eventually apply the information that at first blush appears divergent to bring significant fruit in their investigations. Many investigators have insights perhaps five years down the road from divergent work that they did."

The traditional system of unidimensional training still has advantages. "In the past, postdocs have put the blinders on and have not strayed far from their original fields. That approach gives them a well-defined track record in published papers and has generally played well for funding," says Hebert. "But questions arise if postdocs become too diverse: Can they get funding? And can they be viable candidates for academic programs? Those are difficult issues. If you poll chairs across the country, you would get a variety of opinions."

Students can obtain help before deciding on the direction of their postdoctoral research. "In our program and universitywide at Yale we introduce people to leaders in the pharmaceutical and biotechnology industries," says Hebert. "We also have a monthly lunch at which individuals talk about life in industry. That helps students to understand the type of training they need for their chosen careers."

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# MULTIPLE POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS Department of Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, and Cell Biology Northwestern University- Evanston Campus

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Individual faculty research interests can be found at http://www.biochem.northwestern.edu/fac-staff.html. Send CV and the contact information for 3 references directly to each researcher at: Dept. of Biochemistry, Northwestern University, 2153 N. Campus Drive, Hogan 2-100, Evanston, IL 60208-3500.

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Postdoctoral positions are available to study the mechanisms underlying the regulation of programmed cell death using Drosophila as a model system (Molecular Cell 6:433, 2000; Development 128:1443, 2000). DNA microarray and genetic approaches are used to analyze genomic responses to cell death stimuli in the context of normal and aberrant development. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Research Associate (R3-070), CAB, University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute, 5115 Plant Sciences Building, College Park, MD 20742. FAX: 301-314-9075. Consideration of applications will begin May 4, 2001, and continue until the positions are filled. The University System of Maryland is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.



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## Steven M. Powell, MD (powell@virginia.edu)

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# Steven M. Cohn, MD/PhD (sc6w@virginia.edu)

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#### Carl Berg, MD (clb7d@virginia.edu)

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Zhen-Qiang Pan, Ph.D. RING finger-mediated ubiquitin-depen-

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Applicants should have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. degree. Send a curriculum vitae, an indication of which investigators are of greatest interest, and have at least 3 references forwarded by May 15, 2001 to: Scott R. Whittemore, Ph.D., Department of Neurological Surgery, University of Louisville, 210 E. Gray St., Suite 1102, Louisville, KY 40202.

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Available immediately to study the regulatory roles of specific dendritic cell subsets through transgenic and conditional knockout mice. Current projects include the roles of VCAM-1 and MHC-II on lymphoid dendritic cells. Expertise in signal transduction or cellular immunology is preferable. Program in molecular immunology at the Medical College of Georgia. Mail, FAX, or e-mail your résumé with at least two references to: Pandelakis A. Koni, 1120 15th Street, Room CA2007, Medical College of Georgia, Augusta, GA 30912. FAX: 706-721-7959; e-mail: lak@immag.mcg.edu. The Medical College of Georgia is part of the University of Georgia system; Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action/Equal Access Employer. (E-01161834).

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The Laboratory of Molecular and Developmental Biology, National Eye Institute, National Institutes of Health, has POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available to study signaling pathways in lens epithelial cells. Areas of interest include the regulation of c-fos transcription by specific PKC isoforms and the role of Cdk5 in stress-induced apoptosis. A strong background in cell and molecular biology is required. All applicants must have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. and less than five years of postdoctoral experience. Salary range is \$30,800 to \$42,400 depending on experience. To apply, send curriculum vitae, bibliography, and the names and addresses of three references to: Dr. Peggy Zelenka; e-mail: zelenkap@intra.nei. nih.gov.

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### POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS Vertebrate Homeobox Genes in Development and Oncogenesis

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION to study cell cycle of human AIDS pathogen, Toxoplasma gondii, by using recently developed genetic strategies in toxoplasma and application of yeast two-hybrid to dissect cyclin-dependent mechanisms regulating pathogen growth and development. Competitive, NIH-funded salary. Ph.D. in a biomolecular-related discipline required. Send curriculum vitae and names/contact information of three references to: Dr. Michael White, Veterinary Molecular Biology, Montana State University, Bozeman, MT 59717-3610. FAX: 406-994-4303; e-mail: uvsmw@montana.edu MSU is an Americans With Disabilities Act/Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Veteran's Preference Employer.

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# POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS IN BIOLOGY AT BOSTON COLLEGE

Boston College, a national university that offers outstanding research facilities, has the following postdoctoral openings in the Biology Department.

- · CYTOKINESIS, Dr. David Burgess (David Burgess@bc.edu). Cytokinesis, the division of the cytoplasm during mitosis, is mediated by an actin-myosin based contractile ring in the cleavage furrow. Opportunities are available to study the cleavage stimulus and the response system orchestrating assembly and dynamics of the contractile ring.
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- STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY OF MYELIN AND AMYLOID, Dr. Daniel Kirschner (kirschnd@bc.edu). Positions are available to study: (1) the ultrastructural neuropathology of, and adhesive mechanisms in, CNS and PNS myelins and (2) fibrillogenesis and the molecular organization of amyloid assemblies.
- HOST-PARASITE INTERACTIONS IN MALARIA, Dr. Marc Muskavitch (muskavit@bc.edu). Positions are available to study the developmental and cell biology of the midgut in the malaria vector mosquito, Anopheles gambiae. Understanding the biology of the An. gambiae midgut, a tissue central to the reproduction of malarial parasites, will advance our understanding of Anopheles-malaria interactions, and may help us develop strategies to disrupt this interaction
- DROSOPHILA NOTCH SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION, Dr. Marc Muskavitch (muskavit@bc.edu), Positions are available to study signal transduction and cell-fate specification in the development of the fruit fly, Drosophila melanogaster. Studies will focus on ligand structure-function relationships and receptor processing and activation in the Notch signal transduction pathway.

For more information on each of these labs, visit: http://www.bc.edu/bc org/avp/cas/bio/biofac Applicants must have a Ph.D., demonstrated skills in the chosen subject area, and fluency in spoken and written English. To apply for a position, please send a curriculum vitae and three letters of reference addressed to the appropriate faculty member at: Boston College, Biology Department, Higgins Hall, Chestnut Hill, MA 02467.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP available to explore novel strategies for the immunotherapy of cancer and HIV infection (see our website: http://www.med.upenn.edu/~immun/paterson.html). In addition to intensive research training in our laboratory, Fellows may participate in the job skill training programs offered by the University of Pennsylvania Office of Postdoctoral Programs (see website: http://www.med.upenn.edu/postdoc/). Positions are open for recent or imminent Doctoral graduates in either bacterial pathogenesis or mucosal, cellular, or tumor immunology. A knowledge of modern immunological and bacterial recombinant techniques would be an advantage. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Yvonne Paterson, Professor of Microbiology, University of Pennsylvania, 323 Johnson Pavilion, Philadelphia, PA 19104-6076.

A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH position is available to study cellular and molecular effects of ethanol in liver and endothelial cells. A strong background in cell signaling and molecular techniques together with experience in cell cultures and animal studies is desirable. Please send curriculum vitae, summary of research experience, and names of three references to: Dr. Shivendra D. Shukla, Department of Pharmacology, University of Missouri School of Medicine, One Hospital Drive, Columbia, MO 65212. E-mail: ShuklaS@missouri.edu; FAX: 573-884-4558. Equal Employment Opportunity/Americans With Disabilities Act/Affirmative Action Employer

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS: Two positions are available to work on development of molecular diagnostic assays related to lung, esophagus, melanoma, and breast cancer. Applicants should have extensive experience with procedures for RNA isolation/handling and RT-PCR. Salary will be \$30,000 to \$45,000 depending on experience. Senior Post-doctorals will also have the opportunity for rapid advancement to junior faculty status.

Address inquiries to: Tony Godfrey, Ph.D., University of Pittsburgh, C-800 Presbyterian University Hospital, 200 Lothrop Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213. E-mail: godfreyte@msx.upmc.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION: Yale University. My laboratory is interested in epithelial-mesenchymal interactions in the breast. This NIHamsupported project involves examining the effects of parathyroid hormone-related protein (PTHrP) on wnt-signaling and cell fate decisions during embryonic mammary development in mice. Studies will involve the use of transgenic and knockout mice. Experience in molecular and/or developmental biology is desirable. To apply, send curriculum vitae and three references to: John Wysolmerski, FMP 102, 333 Cedar Street, New Haven, CT 06520. E-mail: john. wysolmerski@yale.edu. Yale is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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# POSTDOCTORAL ASSOCIATE POSITION MAMMALIAN SEX DETERMINATION

Our NIH-funded studies are examining genetic control of gonadal sex determination through gene mapping and comparative mapping. Candidate must have recent Ph.D. Experience in molecular biology required. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. V.N. Meyers-Wallen, J. A. Baker Institute, College of Veterinary Medicine, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853. FAX: 607-256-5683; e-mail: vnm1@cornell.edu. Cornell is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Educator and Employer.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study mechanisms of inherited retinal degenerations using molecular biology, biochemistry, and cell biology approaches. Send application to: Dr. Tiansen Li, Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, Harvard Medical School, Boston, MA 02114. E-mail: tli@meei.harvard.edu; website: www.howelaboratory.harvard.edu/#faculty.

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University of Cincinnati
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Cincinnati, OH 45267-0576

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is available to study B cell development and activation, especially as relates to human autoimmune diseases. Possible projects include analysis of newly isolated interleukin-4 induced genes: Fig1 enzyme or E4BP4 transcription factor. Candidates must have a Ph.D. or M.D. with a strong background in immunology, cell biology, or biochemistry. Molecular biology skills are required. Please send cover letter and curriculum vitae to: Dr. Charles C. Chu, North Shore University Hospital/NYU School of Medicine, Department of Medicine, 350 Community Drive, Manhasset, NY 11030. FAX: 516-562-1683; e-mail: cchu@nshs.edu. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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#### TWO POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS NEURAL PROSTHETICS California Institute of Technology

Two Postdoctoral positions in the area of neural decoding and control for neuroprosthetics are immediately available. The successful applicants will engage in collaborative research with **Professors Richard Andersen** and **Joel Burdick**, as well as a team of Neurophysiologists, Engineers, and Surgeons. Because of the interdisciplinary nature of this work, applicants with backgrounds in primate neurophysiology, electrophysiology, statistical signal processing, hybrid control theory, or nonlinear model identification will be considered. Strong scientific computation skills are necessary.

The goal of our project is to develop the science and technology for future neural prosthetic systems that would allow severely paralyzed people to control external prosthetic devices by thought alone. This is done through the use of electrodes implanted in cortex. The information that is extracted, or decoded, from the cortical recordings drives the prosthetic systems.

Position in neural decoding and control of electromechanical devices: To enable future neural prosthetic systems, new advances in the information theoretic decoding of neural signals is required. This Postdoctoral position will focus on new neural decoding methods and the use of decoded signals for prosthetic control. Applicants for this position should have a strong background in signal processing or statistics. Some familiarity with the design and control of electromechanical systems is desirable.

Position in electrophysiology: This position will focus on the development of a new generation of movable cortical recording electrodes. Preferred applicants will have a background in electrophysiology including familiarity with the extracellular recording of single neuron activity. Some electromechanical design experience is desirable.

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Please submit curriculum vitae and a list of three references to: Cierina Reyes Marks, Division of Biology, MC 216-76, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA 91125 U.S.A. E-mail: cierina@vis.caltech.edu. Please indicate the position you are applying for. Application deadline is May 15, 2001

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# POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

The Division of Geographic Medicine is seeking three Postdoctoral Fellows to join an active virus research group under Polly Roy (Roy, "Orbivirus Structure and Assembly," review article, Virology 215: 1–11). The laboratory is currently involved in various aspects of double-stranded RNA virus research including reverse genetics, transcription/replication processes, virus assembly mechanisms, virus-host interactions, and protein crystallization.

Salary is negotiable based on qualifications and experience. Interested persons should send two copies of detailed curricula vitae and the names and addresses of two references to: Dr. Randall Owens, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Division of Geographic Medicine, BBRB 206, 845 South 19th Street, Birmingham, AL 35294-2170. E-mail: rjowens@uab.edu. The University of Alabama System is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

# POSTDOCTORAL POSITION IN TEXAS

Available immediately for study of metabolic enzymes in methylotrophic bacteria, Ph.D. required. Experience with prokaryotic systems is desirable but not essential. Candidates should have strong background in current methodology in enzyme research. Competitive stipend and benefits. Candidates should send applications and arrange to have two recommendations sent to: Professor Edward Bellion, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Texas at Arlington, Box 19065, Arlington, TX

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International Therapeutics, Inc., a new biopharmaceutical company located in Seattle, Washington, is recruiting VIROLOGISTS as well as CELL and MOLECULAR BIOLOGISTS to participate in exciting, innovative programs focused on development of novel antiviral therapeutics. Established track record in pharmaceuticals discovery and development is preferred. For job descriptions and contact information, please log on to website: www.internationaltherapeutics.com.

POSTDOCTORAL ASSOCIATE, SEARCH ENTOMOLOGIST, GS-0414-11/12: U.S. Department of Agriculture-ARS, Lincoln, Nebraska. The Midwest Livestock Insects Research Unit is seeking a Research Entomologist to assist in the development of gene transfer methods for the screwworm fly (Cochliomyia hominivorax) that will be used to generate transgenic strains useful for sterile insect technique programs. Ph.D. in a related discipline is required and should have been awarded within the past four years. Postdoctoral experience in molecular entomology or genetics is preferred, and experience in insect systems (including Drosophila) is beneficial. Incumbent will be stationed in Lincoln, Nebraska, but also will participate in training and collaborative re-search at the USDA-ARS laboratory in Gainesville, Florida. The position is funded for two years and salary is commensurate with experience (\$43,326 to \$67,500). Benefits available. Position will be open until filled. There are some employment restrictions for non-U.S. citizens. Submit curriculum vitae, country of citizenship, veterans' preference, copy of graduate and undergraduate transcripts and list of pertinent college courses, one-page abstract of Ph.D. dissertation, recent reprints, and contact information for three references. Start date immediate but somewhat negotiable. Submit applications and inquiries to: Steve Skoda, USDA-ARS-MLIRU, 305 PI Building, UNL-EC, Lincoln, NE 68583-0938. Telephone: 402-437-5267; FAX: 402-437-5260; e-mail: sskodal@unl.edu. E-mail applications okay. The USDA is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

# POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS CARDIOVASCULAR ION CHANNELS

Positions are available to study the function, pharmacology, and regulation of cardiovascular ion channels and their remodeling in disease states. A multidisciplinary approach includes electrophysiologic, biochemical, and molecular biology methods to study both recombinant and native channels. Candidates must have strong prior experience in basic electrophysiology/patch clamp techniques. Send curriculum vitae, description of research interests, and names/telephone numbers/e-mail addresses of three references to: Dr. Katherine Murray, Department of Pharmacology, Room 559 PRB, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, TN 37232-6602. E-mail: kathy.murray@mcmail.vanderbilt.edu.

## RESEARCH STAFF ASSOCIATE

The Division of Digestive and Liver Diseases at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University has an opening for a Research Staff Associate or POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH SCIENTIST at a Master's or Ph.D. level. The candidate must have two years of documented experience in research and be proficient in a broad range of laboratory techniques including techniques of molecular biology, radioimmunoassay, protein electrophoresis, ELISA, and experience in working with small laboratory animals. Submit curriculum vitae to: Kaarel Laev, Administrator, Medicine/Digestive and Liver Diseases, Columbia University 630 West 168th Street, Box 8, New York, NY 10032. Columbia University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.



# Microarray Facility Coordinator Biotechnology institute UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

The Delaware Biotechnology Institute will establish a Genomics core facility for custom preparation of DNA microarrays to support a variety of research projects involving a range of species. We are searching for a core manager with an MS/PhD or equivalent with experience in microarray and other highthroughput technologies. This staff member will be responsible for (1) helping to establish and maintain the facility, (2) technical consulting and participation in cutting-edge research, (3) several levels of training for the research community. Experience in generation and analysis of microarray/expression profile data is desirable. Excellent leadership, communication and organizational skills are essential attributes for this position, as well as the ability to work as a member of a team. Qualified candidates should send resume and names, addresses and phone numbers of three references by May 11, 2001 to Joan Burnside, Search Chairperson, Delaware Biotechnology Institute, University of Delaware, Newark, DE 19716. The UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE is an Equal Opportunity Employer that encourages applications from Minority Group Members and Women.

# POSTDOCTORAL OPPORTUNITIES



TWO POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS
Mayo Clinic
Rochester, MN

Mayo Clinic Rochester has established a Molecular Medicine Program with several groups working on gene therapy using different viral systems. In the group of Dr. Stephen Russell motivated individuals are required to continue developing targetable, injectable retroviral, lentiviral and measles virus vectors for the treatment of neoplastic diseases. The primary disease focus of the laboratory in multiple myeloma. Appropriate model systems will be used to study the in vivo effects of the new vectors.

Experience in molecular biology is required, training in virology is desirable. Salary will be determined by the successful candidate's experience. There is also an attractive benefit package. Mayo Foundation is a non-profit physician led clinical practice integrated with education and research in a unified multi-campus system. For further information please visit http://www.mayo.edu/research/mmp. Please send curriculum vitae and bibliography to:

Dr. Stephen J. Russell Mayo Clinic Molecular Medicine Program Guggenheim 18 200 First Street SW Rochester, Minnesota 55905 USA

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Generalverwaltung



The Max Planck Society for the Advancement of Science (MPG; http://www.mpg.de/english) is a German research organization of high international reputation. Its research activities cover fundamental aspects of science and humanities in more than 80 specialized research institutes. The management of scientific information within the society is mainly the responsibility of each individual institute. To keep pace with, and eventually play a leadership role in Europe in the ongoing electronic information revolution, the MPG has initiated a 5year project to support researchers and research processes in the area of information management. The objectives of the project include coordination of existing activities within the MPG and implementation of a strategy to develop "electronic research archives". The project, entitled the Center for Information Management, will receive substantial monetary and personnel support from the MPG, and will be advised by a commission of MPG Institute directors and Rick Luce. the Director of the Los Alamos National Laboratory's "Library Without Walls" (http://lib-www.lanl.gov/lww/welcome.html).

The MPG seeks a qualified candidate for the position of the

# Executive Director of the Center for Information Management

Candidates should have an intimate understanding of the ongoing revolution in electronic information management, and be experienced in the development and use of electronic research tools. They should further have extensive knowledge and expertise leading teams and development efforts in database design and support, Unix server administration, and Web applications. Candidates with a vision for the development of information management structures and with the political skills to implement their vision within the MPG are strongly encouraged to apply. The director, who will report directly to the general secretary of MPG, should have the ability to manage, lead and inspire an international team of co-workers. A working knowledge of German would be of advantage.

The MPG is an equal opportunities employer. Women are encouraged to apply. When a disabled candidate and a non-disabled candidate are equally qualified, the disabled candidate will be chosen. Salaries will be competitive depending on qualifications (BAT 1 to C3). Social benefits of the German public sector will apply. The MPG is known for an efficient and flexible working environment. For further information, see http://www.mpg.de/it/cim/cime.html.

Applicants should send their CVs and three references to:

# MAX-PLANCK-GESELLSCHAFT

zur Förderung der Wissenschaften e. V. Generalverwaltung, Zentrale Dienste Hofgartenstraße 8, D-80539 München, Germany

E-mail: HR@mpg-gv.mpg.de

Please hand in your application in English by May 18th.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available immediately to study (1) the role of MYC family transcription factors (including MXI1, MAD1) in neuro-blastoma and glioblastoma tumorigenesis; and (2) the pathogenesis of acute myeloid leukemia. Required qualifications include a Ph.D. and/or M.D. with practical research experience and skills in molecular, cellular, or developmental biology. Due to funding agency restrictions, the position can only be filled by an individual who is a citizen, national, or permanent resident of the United States. Please send curriculum vitae including contact information for three references to: Dan Wechsler, M.D., Ph.D., Section of Pediatric Hematology-Oncology, The University of Michigan, CCGC 4312, 1500 East Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-0936. E-mail: dwechsl@ umich.edu. UM is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

A POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is available immediately to study posttranslational modification of proteins following exposure of human cells to carcinogens in vitro. Focus areas include characterization of modified forms of p53 and related molecules by 2D-PAGE and MALDI-MS and determination of the effect of these modifications on cell cycle regulation and DNA repair. The ideal candidate should have experience in protein biochemistry with a strong interest in the area of proteomics. Contact us by sending your curriculum vitae to: Dr. S. Swaminathan, University of Wisconsin Medical School, Environmental Health Sciences Center, 1300 University Avenue, Room 1630, Madison, WI 53706. Telephone: 608-263-8953; FAX: 608-262-1257; email: swaminat@facstaff.wisc.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS in Alzheimer's disease research are currently available to study inflammatory mechanisms in AD and the role of cell cycle regulation in neuronal death. The projects will involve the use of tissue culture and mouse genetic models to investigate intracellular signaling pathways and cell cycle regulators relevant to disease pathogenesis. Experience in molecular and cellular biology is desirable. Please forward curriculum vitae, names of references, and a brief statement of research interests to: Dr. Gary Landreth or Dr. Karl Herrup, Alzheimer Research Laboratory, Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine, 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44106; E-mail: gel2@po.cwru.edu or kxh26@po.cwru.edu

POSTDOCTORAL or STAFF SCIENTIST position for an Organic Chemist or Bioorganic Chemist in a proteome project. Work involves synthesis of chemical tags and chemical labeling of proteins as part of a technology development project that includes separations and mass spectrometric techniques to measure and characterize protein expression patterns. Send résumé to: Professor Barry L. Karger, Barnett Institute, 341 Mugar Building, Northeastern University, Boston, MA 02115. E-mail: b.karger@neu.edu. Northeastern is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/Title IX University.

POSTDOCTORAL/JUNIOR RESEARCH FACULTY to study projects related to brain aging. Transgenic mice breeding, molecular biology, and lipid/cholesterol biochemistry experience is required. Enjoy the Sun Belt, beautiful beaches, and low cost of living. Apply to: Dr. Miguel Pappolla, University of South Alabama Medical College Pathology, 2451 Fillingim Street, Mobile, AL 36617. E-mail: Alzheimercenter@yahoo.com. USA is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Two POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS for Immunologists interested in studying chemical allergies and tumor immunology are available immediately at UCLA School of Dentistry and Medicine, Division of Oral Biology. The candidates should be familiar with Northern analysis, microarray analysis, RT-PCR, transfection, cloning, tissue culture, and Western blotting. Please contact: Dr. Anahid Jewett; Telephone: 310-206-3970 or send your curriculum vitae to e-mail: ajewett@ucla.edu.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the molecular mechanisms of hormone signal regulation. Expertise in signal transduction and molecular biology is helpful. Studies are performed in cultured cells as well as primary cell culture. We are investigating the mechanisms governing gastrointestinal hormone signal transduction with an emphasis on receptor desensitization and resensitization. We have identified novel targets in the signal termination of peptide hormone receptors, which are typical G protein-coupled receptors. Please contact: Michael A. Shetzline, M.D., Ph.D., Division of Gastroenterology, Department of Medicine, Duke University Medical Center, Box 3083 Medical Center, Durham, NC 27710. E-mail: shetz001@mc. duke.edu. Curriculum vitae to FAX: 919-684-4983.

#### POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS CANCER AND DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY

Positions are available for highly motivated individuals interested in studying Hedgehog signaling in development and disease. Our research program is based on two interrelated projects: one centers on understanding how deregulated Hedgehog signaling gives rise to basal cell carcinomas (Nature Genet. 24:216-217, 2000); a second focuses on defining the function of this pathway during development of hair follicles (Dev. Biol. **205**:1–9, 1999) and other ectodermal derivatives. Applicants should have a strong background in molecular and cell biology with experience in transgenic methodology and/or development biology desirable but not essential. Send curriculum vitae, cover letter, and names of three references to: Dr. Andrzej Dlugosz, University of Michigan, Dermatology Department and Comprehensive Cancer Center, 3310 CCGC-Box 0932, 1500 East Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-0932. E-mail: dlugosza@umich.edu. The University of Michigan is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS available. Applicants are sought for positions in the Endocrine Division of Physiology at Dartmouth Medical School. One successful candidate will join an exciting research project related to autocrine regulation of lung and breast cancers by neuropeptides and immunotargeting. One other will work with a project related to regulation of gene expression by either thyroid hormone or aldosterone. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents with a Ph.D. or M.D. Experience with techniques in molecular biology, sterile cell culture, or protein purification is desirable. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. William G. North, Professor of Physiology, Dartmouth Medical School, 1 Medical Center Drive, Lebanon, NH 03756. E-mail: William.G.North@ Telephone: 603-650-7736. Dartmouth.Edu; Some information about physiology at DMS can be obtained through our website: http://www.dartmouth.edu/~physiol/.

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCI-ATE POSITIONS open in two areas: (1) cellsignaling initiated by integrins and the urokinase receptor and (2) beta-amyloid peptide-protein interactions. Candidates should have experience in cell and molecular biology and a specific interest in one of the described areas of research. Competitive salaries will be offered depending on experience. Please review our website: www.med.virginia.edu/medicine/ clinical/pathology/Faculty/index.html and recent publications from our laboratory. Then forward a letter describing your interest in one of the areas of research mentioned here together with curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Steve Gonias, University of Virginia School of Medicine, Box 800214, Charlottesville, VA 22908. The University of Virginia is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

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## POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW Washington University School of Medicine St. Louis, Missouri

The Division of Bone and Mineral Diseases of Washington University Medical School has openings for Fellows supported by an NIH training grant, "Mineral and Skeletal Metabolism." The program provides advanced training in biomedical research, emphasizing cell-cell communication; cytokine and growth factor signaling; osteoblast gene transcription; the control of tissue biomineralization; and skeletal development and heterotopic mineralization syndromes. A primary objective is to prepare Biomedical Scientists for academic careers in teaching and research. Under the guidance of faculty mentors, trainees develop research programs enhanced by clinical case and research seminars and optional clinical rotations. Faculty include internationally acclaimed Investigators with expertise in molecular and cell biology, pathology, immunology, pharmacology, and the clinical investigation of genetic disorders perturbing skeletal homeostasis. Eligible trainees must have completed a Doctorate in a biological or medical science and be U.S. citizens or permanent U.S. residents. For information, contact: Ms. Kathryn Schallert; Telephone: 314-454-8440; e-mail: kschalle@im.wustl.edu. WUMS is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Americans With Disabilities Act Employer.

## MOLECULAR TOXICOLOGY University of Wisconsin-Madison

**POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS** available in molecular, cellular, and biochemical toxicology, funded by an NIEHS training grant.

Topic areas include regulation of gene expression (toxicant metabolizing enzymes, oncogenes, DNA repair enzymes); toxicant activation; toxicity in developing organisms; mechanisms of carcinogenesis; and action of toxicants on liver, kidney, gonadal, and immune cells.

Time will be allocated for training in toxicology and molecular and cellular biology as appropriate. Collaborative projects involving more than one laboratory are encouraged.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and should send curriculum vitae, three references (addresses/telephone numbers), and a letter stating research interests to: B. Lynn Allen-Hoffmann, Director, Environmental Toxicology Center, 290 Enzyme Institute, 1710 University Avenue, Madison, WI 53705-4098. Telephone: 608-263-4580; FAX: 608-262-5245; E-mail: uwetox@facstaff.wisc.edu. An Equal Opportunity Employer

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available to study the supremolecular organization of the postsynaptic density (PSD). We will determine the relative positions of glutamate receptor-related proteins within the PSD, their stoichiometry, and changes associated with synaptic plasticity and development. We use state-of-the art methods of LM and EM immunocytochemistry and image analysis as well as subcellular fractionations and quantitative Westerns. Applicant should be highly motivated with good command of English; Ph.D. or M.D./Ph.D. with experience in biochemistry and microscopy preferred. Send curriculum vitae, research interests, and references to: Richard Weinberg, Department of Cell Biology, CB Number 7090, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC 27599. E-mail: rjw@med.unc.edu. University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Americans With Disabilities Act Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW and RESEARCH ASSOCIATE positions available immediately. Research focuses on apoptosis with three major themes: the mechanism of Bcl-2 function, the role of stress responses in regulating apoptosis, and the mechanism of glucocorticoid-induced apoptosis in leukemia and lymphoma cells. NIH-funded position. U.S. citizen or permanent resident only. Send letter and names of three references to: Dr. Clark W. Distelhorst, Department of Pharmacology, Case Western Reserve University, 10900 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, OH 44106. E-mail: cwd@po.cwru.edu. CWRU is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Individuals will be responsible for the elaboration of concepts, the design of Drug Discovery Center (DDC) IT system components and application architectures, as well as for aspects of system implementation. Additionally, responsibilities will include, but will not be limited to, the elaboration of functional and conceptual requirements, system analysis; data and process modeling, the design and development of database, as well as database and multi-tiered client/server applications. You will plan, organize, and execute the implementation and integration of new systems or system components on the global DDC department level, manage small and medium-sized IT projects and ensure a close collaboration with staff and scientists in the Drug Discovery Center.

Requirements include a B.S. or M.S. degree in Information Technology/Computer Science with good computer science, software engineering and development skills. Experience in the following will also be needed: Oracle and Microsoft development tools; object oriented design concepts and programming languages; strong abstraction and system design skills; familiarity with modern system architectures and varied programming techniques. Previous work experience in a High Throughput Screening program and familiarity with DDC-like research/business area is desired. Requisition #10017AD.

# Programmer/Analyst

The individual will be responsible for application and GUI programming. This will entail analyzing business processes based on defined requirements, supporting project owners by describing user requirements, and the design, realization and implementation of IT solutions according to given specifications. Additionally, you will be responsible for data and process modeling, the development of application and GUI solutions and/or prototypes, customizing standard solutions and developing additional functions/objects according to user requirements, and application maintenance and lifecycle management. Writing of documentation, deployment of applications to

users, and application specific support of end-users (DDC laboratory staff and scientists) will also be part of your job functions.

Requirements include a B.S. degree in Information Technology or equivalent relevant practical experience. Must possess a good knowledge of, and have experience with, Windows and Web development tools (C, C++, VB, Java, script languages, etc) and be proficient in GUI programming techniques. The ability to provide creative solutions will also be needed. Knowledge of database systems (e.g. Oracle) is an advantage. Requisition #10018AD.

Lab PC Workstation/Server Specialist The individual will be responsible for laboratory PC workstation and server support (Windows NT/2000). This includes supporting a large variety of laboratory PC's with diverse application software, organizing and supporting the implementation of custom and standard software packages, and integrating software packages in departmental IT hardware and software infrastructure. You will also be responsible for programming of simple applications to support laboratory processes, interfacing of standard laboratory equipment, set-up of workstations and simple data acquisition systems, and troubleshooting/problem management.

Requirements include a B.S. degree in Information Technology or equivalent relevant practical experience, along with experience with laboratory instrument interfacing and laboratory data management software. Must possess a good knowledge and proven experience in the set-up and operation of an NT workstation and server environment as well as of scientific laboratory environments. Microsoft certification an advantage. An interest in providing efficient enduser support in a challenging environment will also be needed. Requisition #10019AD.

# **DDC Automation Engineer**

This individual will be responsible for the analysis, evaluation, conceptual design, and implementation of laboratory and process automation needs in the DDC. This will include collaborating with external system suppliers, and planning, organizing and executing the implementation of laboratory

process automation and automated drug screening systems in DDC. The successful candidate will also be responsible for writing specifications and documentation, managing small to large size automation/engineering projects and collaborating with IT group, staff and scientists in the DDC Research Department.

Requirements include a B.S. or M.S. degree in an engineering discipline with experience in automation, industrial automation, process engineering, engineering physics, or mechanical/electrical engineering. Must possess a proven track record of successful automation projects, particularly in collaboration with external partners, be able to optimize automation and business processes, including the use of simulation methodologies. Effective project management and additional background or work experience in information technology, along with previous work experience in a similar work area (automation in scientific laboratory environments and for drug screen processes) would be an advantage. Requisition #10021AD.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in functional neuroanatomy in the NIMH Intramural Research Program. The candidate should have a strong background in molecular and cellular biology and an interest in using anatomical localization techniques to examine immune signaling in the brain. We are studying cytokines and related immune molecules and their cellular sources in several in vivo paradigms. Approaches to be used include administration of pro- and anti-inflammatory agents and use of DNA microarray, knockout mice, bone marrow stem cells, and viral-based delivery of genes to stem cells. Opportunity to carry out independent work. Excellent facilities provided. Applicants must have a Ph.D. or M.D. See website: http://intramural.nimh.nih.gov/lcmr/sfn. Contact: Miles Herkenham, Section on Functional Neuroanatomy, NIMH, Building 36, Room 2D15, Bethesda, MD 20892-4070. E-mail: milesh@codon.nih.gov. The NIH is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

#### POSTDOCTORAL OPPORTUNITY Computational Structural Biology

A Postdoctoral Fellowship is available in the development of computational methods for protein structure determination using data from X-ray crystallography and solid-state NMR. This interdisciplinary project will be jointly mentored by faculty from chemistry and mathematics. Applicants with experience in computer programming and any of the relevant fields are welcome, including molecular structure and mathematics. Please send curriculum vitae, a brief description of research experience, and three reference letters to: Dr. Richard Bertram, Institute of Molecular Biophysics, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306-4380. For more information, see website: http://www.sb.fsu.edu; e-mail: bertram@sb.fsu.edu.

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

Two Postdoctoral positions are available in the laboratory of **Dr. Dhiren R. Thakker**, School of Pharmacy, University of North Carolina—Chapel Hill, to pursue novel approaches for investigation of metabolic stability of drug molecules toward cytochrome P450-mediated metabolism. Candidates with doctoral research in chemistry, biochemistry, drug metabolism, or other relevant fields are encouraged to apply. Experience with enzyme kinetics, *in vitro* metabolism, or cytochrome P450 enzymology is preferred (but not required). The research project(s) will involve academic-industrial collaboration. Send curriculum vitae to: **Dhiren Thakker**, **School of Pharmacy**, **CB Number 7360, Beard Hall, UNC—CH, Chapel Hill, NC 27599-7360. E-mail: dhiren\_thakker@unc.edu. UNC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.** 

#### POSTDOCTORAL POSITION BIOCHEMICAL/BIOPHYSICAL CHEMISTRY

Thermodynamic and kinetic investigations on the effects of cosolvents on RNA. Desire strong biophysical background and/or experience with handling RNA. Hands-on experience with DSC and spectrophotometers a plus. Send résumé, publication list, and three recommendation letters to: Dr. Thomas Gluick, Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Box 19065, University of Texas at Arlington, TX 76019-0065. E-mail: tcgluick@uta.edu. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in molecular neurobiology. A Postdoctoral position, funded by an NIH grant, is available immediately. Duties include research to determine how expression of neuroprotective genes can affect neuronal cell death in Alzheimer's disease. Recent publications include Lee et al., J. Biol. Chem. in press, 2001; Wang et al., Neurobiol. Aging 21:525-531. Research experience in cell culture and molecular biology is essential. Send curriculum vitae to: Dr. Jeffrey A. Johnson; University of Wisconsin-Madison. E-mail: jajohnson@pharmacy.wisc.edu; website: http://www.pharmacy.wisc.edu.

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# FACULTY POSITIONS IN SKELETAL BIOLOGY

# University of Connecticut Health Center

The School of Dental Medicine of the University of Connecticut Health Center (website: http://www. uchc.edu) is seeking-candidates for tenure-track positions in skeletal biology. Positions are available at all levels (PROFESSOR, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, and ASSISTANT PROFESSOR), although preference will be given to Investigators with established funded research programs. The School of Dental Medicine and the Health Center have targeted the area of skeletal biology for continued growth and development, building on the considerable existing strength in this field at the Health Center. The goal is to develop a cohesive, interactive, synergistic group of outstanding Scientists with related interests and complementary expertise in the area of skeletal biology. Appropriate research areas include regulation of skeletal growth, development, differentiation, and patterning; regulation of chondrocyte maturation and osteoblast differentiation; and genetics, cell biology, and developmental biology of skeletal tissues.

Candidates should have a Doctoral degree, a strong record of research and training accomplishments, and an ability and interest in collaborating with other researchers. Interested individuals should send a letter expressing interest in the position, current curriculum vitae, a description of current research programs, and the names of three references to:

William B. Upholt, Ph.D.
Department of BioStructure and Function
School of Dental Medicine
University of Connecticut Health Center
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E-mail: upholt@exchange.uchc.edu

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The Colorado College welcomes members of all groups and reaffirms its commitment not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, age, religion, sex, national origin, disability, or sexual orientation in its educational programs, activities, and employment practices.

Two POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available at Stanford University to study (1) regulation of ubiquitin-dependent proteolysis and (2) mechanism of mitotic checkpoint control and its function in tumorigenesis (Mol. Cell 2:163; Genes & Dev. 12:1871). Candidates should be self-motivated with a broad knowledge of cell biology, molecular biology, and biochemistry. Please submit a letter of application with your long-term career objectives, a copy of curriculum vitae, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Guowei Fang, Department of Biological Sciences, Stanford University, Stanford, CA 94305-5020. FAX: 650-725-5807; e-mail: gwfang@stanford.edu.

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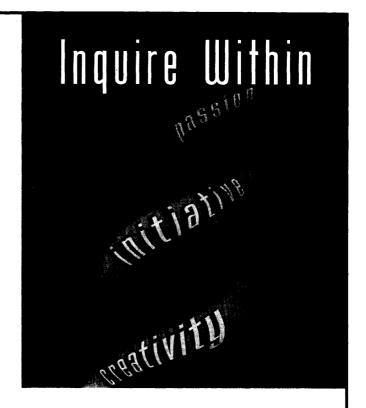
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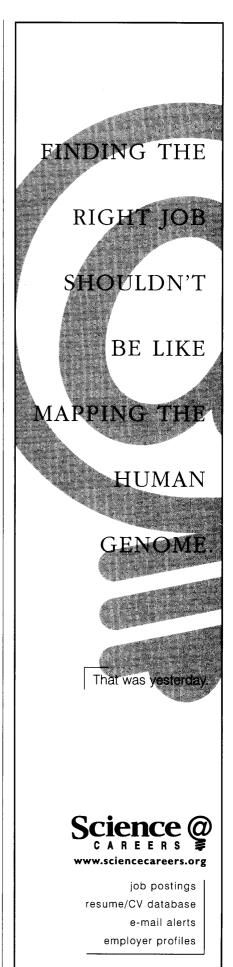
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*Signaling:* Expertise is sought in molecular endocrinology and/or cell biology for a position to manage a program of grants focused on concepts of cell signaling, with emphasis on cell surface receptors, specifically including the insulin receptor, G-protein coupled receptors, and growth/cytokine receptors.

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The vacancy announcements and related qualification information can be obtained by calling (301) 496-4231 or by accessing the NIH Jobs page (http://job.nih.gov). The job announcements for each of these positions may be found on the Career page at http://careerhere.nih.gov/ and go to current vacancies. See also citizenship and resident alien requirements for appointment discussed in the online announcement.

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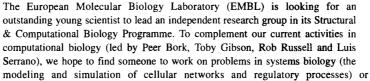
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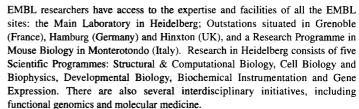
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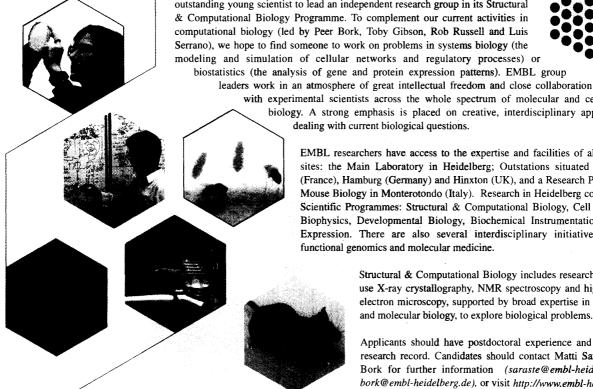


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Salaries and benefits are competitive and attractive, and will depend upon an individual's qualifications. Applicants should have experience in one or more of the research areas of interest to the Institute, a proven record of research excellence, evidence of administrative skills, and potential for research leadership.

Apply no later than May 28, 2001. An application, containing a complete resume on academic, professional, and personal data, including three references, should be sent to: W. D. Cummings, Executive Director, Universities Space Research Association, 10227 Wincopin Circle, Suite 212, Columbia, MD 21044. Applicants should also include a one-page statement of their vision for the future of the LPI, and what steps he/she would take to achieve that vision. Further information regarding the LPI and USRA may be found at http://www.lpi.usra.edu and http://www.usra.edu. EEO



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## Biotechnology and Bioengineering UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

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The primary appointment of new faculty will be in an appropriate department in the College of Engineering and Mines or the Biomedical Engineering Program of the Arizona Research Laboratories. Secondary appointment(s) will be established depending on the individual. Applicants with a background and interest in biomaterials will be considered for a position that is shared between the Departments of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science & Engineering. The faculty member will be expected to teach at the undergraduate and graduate levels and initiate an independent research program.

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- Applied Cardiovascular Biology
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Interested candidates should provide a complete curriculum vitae, a description of research interests, and names and addresses of at least three references. Applications should be sent to: Dr. Stuart Williams, Chair, Biotechnology and Bioengineering Search Committee, University of Arizona, P.O. Box 245084, Tucson, AZ 85724 E-mail skwill@u.arizona.edu. The review process is currently ongoing and will continue until the positions are filled.

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We are seeking a Scientist with a strong record of discovery-based research to join our Cytokine Biology group. The candidate will be expected to identify and characterize the biology of molecules that may lead to novel therapeutics for the treatment of autoimmunity, inflammation or cancer. This position will participate in both basic and applied research projects ranging from the discovery of molecules that impact cytokine biology to testing of proprietary molecules in appropriate animal models of disease. Competitive applicants will have expertise in one or more of the following areas: immunology, hematopoiesis, inflammation, and cancer. Experience and understanding of animal models of immunological disease or immunodeficiency is an advantage. Excellent communication skills coupled with the ability to work in a fast-paced collaborative team environment are essential. The ideal candidate will have 5-10 years of laboratory experience in the pharmaceutical industry or in an academic medical context. This position requires a Ph.D. in a relevant scientific discipline or a M.D. followed by post-doctoral research experience.

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The Mount Sinai School of Medicine currently seeks a dynamic, nationally recognized leader for an expanding imaging physics group. The candidate should have a proven record of grant support in multidisciplinary research, as well as proven ability to direct an advanced imaging research program in a medical environment that will be one of the key stones of the Advanced Imaging Program (AIP) strategic initiative at Mount Sinai.

There is presently an excellent team of MR scientists, X-ray physicists, research technologists, graduate students, research coordinators, a coil designer, and a committed group of clinician scientists in the Department of Radiology. There is extensive interaction among imaging investigators in Radiology, Cardiology, Psychiatry, and the Neurosciences that has resulted in a robust environment of collaboration and translation. In addition to our state of the art clinical facility, which includes multiple 1.5T MR systems (4), helical CT scanners (6), ultrasound units (10), single and biplane angiography systems with 3D capabilities (4), PET (1) and SPECT (5) scanners, and a newly purchased total department (250,000 studies/year) PACS system, a dedicated imaging research facility includes a 9.4T MR microscopy system, 1.5T whole body and 3.0T head dedicated research MR systems (delivery July 2001), a brain PET system, a multislice dedicated research CT scanner (delivery July 2001), and multiple image analysis workstations. The Mount Sinai School of Medicine Strategic Plan includes the opening in 2004 of an 18-story Translational Research Building, which include greater than 10,000 square feet for the imaging research program.

This position provides a unique opportunity for an experienced, ambitious investigator who wants to develop a world class translational, imaging research program in a thriving medical school. Mount Sinai Medical Center is located next to Central Park in the Upper East Side of Manhattan and New York City offers all of the stimulating benefits of living in one of the most vibrant metropolitan centers in the world.

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# UofL Health Sciences Center

# Assistant Professor Molecular Biology of Cell Death/ Neuroimmunology of CNS Injury

The Kentucky Spinal Cord Injury Research Center at the University of Louisville School of Medicine is seeking to fill a tenure track faculty position in the areas of the molecular biology of cell death and/or the immunology of CNS injury. All areas of research that fall under these broad areas will be considered. The Assistant Professor will join existing faculty with expertise in CNS injury and regeneration, stem cells, and spinal cord motor and sensory systems. Primary appointment will be in the Department of Neurological Surgery with a joint appointment in an appropriate basic science department. A competitive start up package, salary, and benefits will be provided. A substantial endowment will support this position in perpetuity. Applicants should have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. with at least 3 years of post-doctoral experience.

Send curriculum vitae, a brief letter of research direction(s), and the names of a least 3 references to: Christopher B. Shields, M.D., Professor and Chairman, Department of Neurological Surgery, University of Louisville, 210 E. Gray St., Suite 1102, Louisville, KY 40202.

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# **Head of MR-Physics**

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The NIEHS is accepting applications for two environmental health policy service fellowships that will provide the opportunity for accomplished and societally aware postdoctoral to mid-career scientists to participate in and contribute to the public policymaking process of the Federal government. The fellowship stipend is \$57,345, plus benefits and allowances for travel and offsite living expenses. Fellows will be appointed for 18 months, beginning in late September/early October 2001, and will choose 3-9 month rotational assignments working in NIEHS and other government agencies and in private sector science organizations. At least half of the 18-month fellowship period will be spent at the NIEHS and the National Toxicology Program in Research Triangle Park.

Applicants must have a Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral level degree and at least 3 years of post-doctoral professional experience that demonstrates exceptional competence in an area of science related to environment and health; outstanding written, oral and interpersonal skills; sensitivity toward political and social issues; and a strong interest and some experience in applying personal knowledge toward the solution of public health problems. Preference will be given to applicants who would ultimately be eligible for positions in government.

Applications must include the following: (1) cover letter; (2) Curriculum Vitae; (3) a candidate statement, not exceeding 1000 words, that addresses why the fellowship is desired; how the candidate is qualified with respect to environmental science policy; what issues interest the candidate; what the candidate hopes to accomplish as a Fellow; and how the candidate hopes the fellowship will affect his/her career goals; and, (4) letters of reference from three persons who can discuss professional competence and other personal or professional qualities or interests making the applicant especially qualified to serve as a Fellow. References are considered confidential and must be mailed directly to NIEHS.

Applications, including letters of reference, must be received by June 1, 2001 and should be sent to NIEHS. Human Resources, Attn: Ayn Clayborne (HNV01-06), P.O. Box 12233 (MD EC-11), Research Triangle Park, NC 27709, or e-mailed to hr@niehs.nih.gov. Additional information is available on the Internet at www.niehs.nih.gov/vacancy/fellowship.htm. Contact: Sheila Newton, 919-541-4343, e-mail: newton1@niehs.nih.gov/

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# Staff Scientist Vascular Biology Branch Division of Intramural Research National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, MD

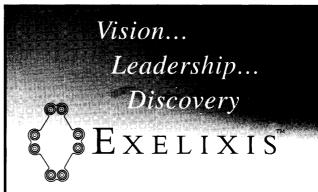
The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI), Division of Intramural Research seeks to hire a Staff Scientist to pursue research in interventional MRI within the Vascular Biology Branch. The incumbent must have a Ph.D. in biomedical engineering, computer science, or related disciplines and experience in MRI data acquisition and/or processing and image analysis; interventional MRI; pulse sequence design and programming; and/or cardiac imaging. The candidate will work closely with investigators and clinicians in the NHLBI Cardiology and Vascular Biology Branches and the Laboratory of Cardiac Energetics to design and refine interventional cardiovascular MRI. A new dedicated interventional suite combining x-ray angiography and a 1.5T MR system will be available full-time for performing experiments, as well as, state-of-art computer resources.

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National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute
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# Scientist

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# Research Associate Proteomics/Mass Spectrometry

Research Associate to contribute in developing and implementing laboratory robotics and automation for various proteomics tasks in conjunction with mass spectrometry. Must have mass spectrometry experience with a BS/MS in biochemistry, chemistry or cell biology. (Job Code: FX50120SCI-JR)

# Research Associate Proteomics/2D Gel

This person will be responsible for all aspects of 2D electrophoresis, including sample preparation, staining and image analysis. Requires a BS/MS and 2+ years of relevant experience.

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# Scientist/Senior Research Associate Protein Chemistry

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# **Director, Office of Education**

The National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases (NIAMS) of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) is seeking an exceptional individual to serve as Director of a newly constituted Intramural Office of Education. The development of the Office of Education signifies the commitment of the NIAMS Intramural Research Program (IRP) to training and career development.

The Director will coordinate an effort to organize, strengthen and further develop educational activities within the NIAMS IRP. The position entails interaction with trainees from the high school through post-doctoral level, in areas of basic and clinical science. The incumbent will be involved in recruitment; in the identification of laboratory positions and research projects; in ensuring that mentoring is in place and effective; and in the process of career development. Among career development activities to be coordinated through the Office of Education are programs to foster effective scientific communication; knowledge of grant and negotiation strategies; and job hunting and networking skills. Evaluation of trainees; the provision of feedback to trainees and mentors;

Candidates must have an M.D. and/or Ph.D. degree. The Director will be fully trained in medicine (preferably in Rheumatology) and/or in an area of science relevant to the mission of NIAMS, in order to effectively interact with trainees at all levels and IRP investigators and staff. Salary and resources will be commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the candidate. Time for clinical and/or scientific activity will be available, depending on the interest and training of the incumbent.

Applicants should submit curriculum vitae, bibliography, personal statement, general proposal on how the applicant intends to accomplish the above described goals and objectives of the position, and the names of three references to:



Dr. Peter E. Lipsky c/o Scott Sigley, HRMB, NIAMS Building 31, Room 4C-13 31 Center Drive, MSC 2350 Bethesda, MD 20892-2350

Applications must be postmarked by July 10, 2001

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# Chief, Unit on the Neuroimaging of Emotion

Molecular Imaging Branch Mood and Anxiety Disorders Research Program Division of Intramural Research Programs National Institute of Mental Health Bethesda, MD, USA





The Mood and Anxiety Disorders Research Program, in the Intramural Research Program of the National Institute of Mental Health, invites applications for a tenure track investigator position to establish a research unit focused on neurobiological studies of normal and pathological emotional processing. The candidate is expected to have demonstrated ability to develop an outstanding independent research program focused on identifying the neural mechanisms underlying emotional behavior and regulation. This program is expected to emphasize neuroimaging approaches as primary research tools. The successful candidate should have a Ph.D. or M.D. degree and at least four years of postdoctoral experience. Salary is very competitive and consistent with the level of experience of the candidate. The position includes an attractive start-up package and operating budget in an exciting multidisciplinary research environment. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and have six letters of recommendation sent within 6 weeks, or until the position is filled, to: Dr. Robert Innis, Chair, Search Committee for Neuroimaging of Emotion Unit Chief, NIMH, Bldg. 1, Rm. B3-10, 1 Center Dr., Bethesda, MD 20892.

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Research Service (ARS), is seeking a Supervisory Research Plant Pathologist as a Research Leader for the Plant Science Research Unit in Raleigh, North Carolina, at North Carolina State University. Salary commensurate with experience; GS 14/15 (\$72,969 to \$111,581). The Research Leader will lead a multidisciplinary team of Scientists and conduct research dealing with minimizing losses to small grain crops due to fungal and other microbial diseases. Areas of research include host resistance, methods for the transfer of resistance from wild progenitors into small grain cultivars (mainly wheat but also oat and barley), epidemiological and etiological studies, development and management of host resistance, and development of improved molecular marker-based selection methods for resistance. The incumbent will also supervise a staff of Research and Support Scientists and technical and administrative staff. A Ph.D. or equivalent in plant pathology or related scientific discipline is desired. Vacancy announcement containing information on basic and specialized experience and competencies may be obtained at website: http://www.ars. usda.gov/, Announcement Number ARS-X1S-1231. Position closes May 21, 2001. For specific application procedures and requirements, please contact: Susan Davis; Telephone: 919-515-2731; email: susan\_davis@ncsu.edu. Must be a U.S. citizen. USDA-ARS is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

MICROSCOPIC IMAGING SCIENTIST. Senior-level Scientist to coordinate light-microscopy imaging facilities for cytoskeletal research and to conduct research on neuronal microtubules. Expertise is required in fluorescence and live-cell imaging and the use of computers for image storage and processing. Previous research experience is essential, preferably in cytoskeleton. Salary will be \$35,000 to \$50,000 annually depending on experience. Send curriculum vitae and references to: Dr. Peter W. Baas, Department of Neurobiology and Anatomy, MCP Hahnemann University, 2900 Queen Lane, Philadelphia, PA 19129. Telephone: 215-991-8298; FAX: 215-843-9082. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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BIOCHEMIST POSITION (ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFES-SOR level) should be business motivated and must have Ph.D. degree with experience on gene mutations/gene swapping. Salary: \$30,000 to \$40,000 per year (negotiable). Please write to: Ab Peptides, Inc., 2101 South Brentwood Boulevard, St. Louis, MO 63144. E-mail: abpeps@icon-stl.net.

The U.S. Forest Service North Central Research Station seeks a RESEARCH MICROBIAL ECOL-OGIST to develop a more comprehensive understanding of the below-ground microbial processes that regulate the dynamics of carbon and nutrients in forests. We are looking for a creative individual dedicated to advancing our understanding of how forest ecosystems function. The position is located in Houghton, Michigan, on the beautiful Keweenaw Peninsula. This is a full-time, permanent appointment (GS 12/13; \$51,927 to \$80,279) with flexible work schedules and full health, retirement (including 401[k]-type), and vacation benefits. The desired candidate will have a Ph.D. and research experience in the application of the principles and concepts of microbial ecology to forest ecosystem science. Adjunct faculty status and the ability to train graduate students are both possibilities. To receive the job announcement, contact Peggy Castillo; Telephone: 651-649-5026; e-mail: pscastillo@fs.fed.us by June 8, 2001. The early alert describing the position in more detail can be found at website: http://www.ncrs.fs. fed.us/4108/. The U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE, chemistry (Cambridge, Massachusetts). Performs protein purification and analysis including analytical gel electrophoresis, Western blot, and protein binding assays. Performs HPLC and gas chromatography for GLP work; executes protein purification, preparative gel electrophoresis, and preparative isoelectric focusing, expression, and purification of recombinant proteins. Performs molecular biology including mutagenesis, subcloning, DNA transcription, reverse transcription, total RNA extraction from tissue, RNA and DNA labeling, and sequencing. Minimum requirements: Master of Science or equivalent in chemistry and two years of experience in the job offered or two years of protein purification experience including experience utilizing HPLC; gas chromatography; and knowledge of in vitro systems, molecular biological techniques, cell culture, multiple cell types, and RNA transcription. Salary is \$54,250 per year for a five-day, 40 hour work week. Qualified applicants respond with résumé in duplicate to: Case Number 20010644, Labor Exchange Office, 19 Staniford Street, First Floor, Boston, MA 02114.

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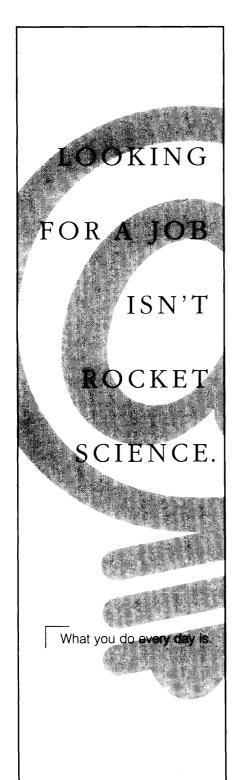
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# POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS

Two Postdoctoral positions are available to investigate the importance and mechanism of gonadotropin-releasing hormone receptor in tumors and molecular mechanism of pituitary tumor transforming gene in tumorigenesis. One with a Ph.D. in chemistry and experience in synthetic chemistry and another with a Ph.D. in biochemistry or molecular biology and experience in cell biology and protein-protein interaction are encouraged to apply. Interested individuals should send curriculum vitae, a statement of research interests, and names of three references to: S. Kakar, Ph.D., Department of Medicine, 570 South Preston Street, Baxter Building, Room 204 C, University of Louisville, Louisville, KY 40202. Telephone: 502-852-0812; e-mail: sskaka01@louisville.edu.

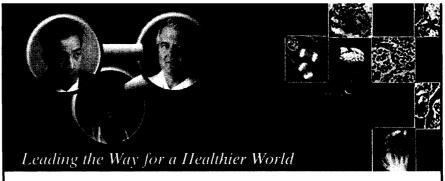
# RESEARCH SCIENTIST

The Department of Otolaryngology at The University of Texas Medical Branch (UTMB) in Galveston, Texas, seeks a Research Scientist to conduct system studies of vestibular function and dysfunction. Qualifications: Ph.D. in neurophysiology with a three-year minimum doctoral or postdoctoral experience in recording from brainstem neurons. Send résumé to: Dr. Adrian Perachio, Ph.D., UTMB, 301 University Boulevard, Galveston, TX 77555-1063. FAX: 409-772-5893; e-mail résumé to e-mail: aperachi@utmb.edu. UTMB is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer; Minority/Female/Disabled/Veteran. UTMB hires only individuals authorized to work in the United States.





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# Research Scientist (#P879847)

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Angela Brodie, Ph.D.
Chair, Cancer Biology Search Committee
Professor of Pharmacology and
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University of Maryland, School of Medicine
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Baltimore, MD 21201

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ASSISTANT PROJECT NEUROSCIENTIST. Position available July 1, 2001, for a qualified Ph.D. or M.D. in pharmacological therapy of experimental stroke. Will perform studies using animal models of stroke to investigate new therapeutics and mechanisms of injury. Background in pharmacology and ability to perform animal surgery required. Knowledge of history, statistics, and behavioral testing is desirable. Send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and three references to: VMRF (Job Number JZ-PN1), 3350 La Jolla Village Drive, Number 151A, San Diego, CA 92161. Applications will be accepted until position is filled. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Position available immediately in the Barnett Institute for a PRINCIPAL RESEARCH SCIENTIST in a research program to develop state-of-the-art technologies to characterize and quantitate protein expression levels at ultratrace levels. Research involves chemical tagging, separations, and mass spectrometry in conjunction with miniaturization and automation. Postdoctoral experience and demonstrated capabilities in protein biochemistry preferred. Send résumé to: Professor Barry L. Karger, Barnett Institute, 341 Mugar Building, Northeastern University, Boston, MA 02115. E-mail: b.karger@neu.edu. Northeastern is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/ Title IX University.

VIRAL IMMUNOLOGIST. Advanced Viral Research Corporation seeks Viral Immunologist(s) to investigate mechanism of action of peptide-nucleic acid antiviral biopharmaceuticals, including effects on immune system function. Candidates must be able to design and implement a research program to study role of immunomodulatory drugs in treatment of viral diseases both *in vitro* and *in vivo*. Registered Ph.D. or equivalent and more than two years of postdoctoral experience; expertise in immunology, basic and applied virology, and cell and molecular biology essential. Please submit curriculum vitae to: Human Resources Department, Reference Number MGAD, AVRC, 200 Corporate Boulevard, South, Yonkers, NY 10701. FAX: 914-376-7368.

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Candidates are requested to state which position(s) they are interested in and to provide curriculum vitae, which must include an e-mail address; along with a statement of research interests and career objectives; and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references from whom comments and letters of recommendation can be obtained if required. This should be sent either by mail to: Search Committee/ Applications, International Research Institute for Climate Prediction, Attention: Ann Binder, Room 125, Monell Building, Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory of Columbia University, P. O. Box 1000, Palisades, NY 10964 or by e-mail (in ASCII format) to: ann@iri.ldeo.columbia.edu. Screening will begin on or about April 15, 2001. The IRI as part of Columbia University acts Affirmatively toward Equal Employment Opportunity. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, Society for Conservation Biology. Provides strategic direction to international professional organization and implements board directives. Strong communication, leadership, and management skills required. Ph.D. in biological or environmental sciences and expertise in environmental policy or administration preferred. Submit curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Reed Noss, President, Society for Conservation Biology, 7310 N.W. Acorn Ridge, Corvallis, OR 97330 U.S.A. Closing date: June 15, 2001. See website: http://www.conservationbiology.org.

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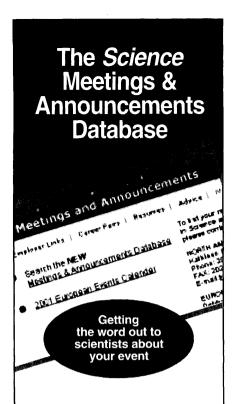
# ASSISTANT PROFESSOR COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

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Professors Pirrung and Reif seek recent Ph.D.s for research in nucleic acid computing (website: www.chem.duke.edu/~pirrung). Also, the Department of Computer Science invites applicants for anontenure-track ASSISTANT RESEARCH PROFESSOR position to begin June 2001 for research in DNA nanostructures. For both positions, molecular biology experience (including DNA synthesis and PCR) is required. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Professor J. Reif, Duke University, Box 901.29, Durham, NC 27708 by May 28, 2001. Duke University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

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Requirements: excellent speaking and presentation skills are required, as is a solid knowledge of Perl, UNIX (Linux-Solaris) and HTML/XML. Knowledge of and experience with public genome databases is also a plus.

Interested candidates should submit a resume and cover letter referencing Job No. 01-0343 to: Etaine Smith, MIT Human Resources, PO Box 391229, Cambridge, MA 02139-0013. To apply on-line: web.mit.edu/personnel/www/resume.htm.



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Evaluation of applications will begin on May 7, 2001, and all application material must be received by this date. Applicants with a Ph.D. are preferred but individuals with an M.S. degree in biology and experience may apply. A letter of application, curriculum vitae, a statement of teaching philosophy, a statement of your experience in program development, and three letters of recommendation (sent under separate cover) should be addressed to:

Dr. Luis Materon Chair, Search Committee Department of Biology University of Texas-Pan American 1201 West University Drive Edinburg, TX 78539-2999 E-mail: Imateron@panam.edu Telephone: 956-316-7140 FAX: 956-381-3657 (F00/01-69)

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Candidates should demonstrate the ability to conduct a vigorous research program and teach. Include curriculum vitae and a one-to-two-page statement on your research and teaching interests, up to five reprints, up to five letters of reference, and any other (brief) information you wish to provide. Electronic applications are welcome. Send applications to: Deborah Faupel, Genome Center of Wisconsin, UW Biotechnology Center, 425 Henry Mall, Madison, WI 53706. Review of applications will begin June 1, 2001, and continue until the positions are filled.

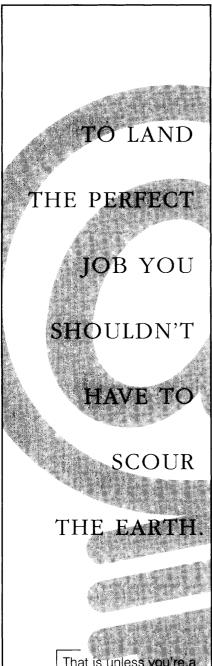
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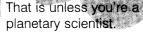
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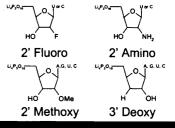
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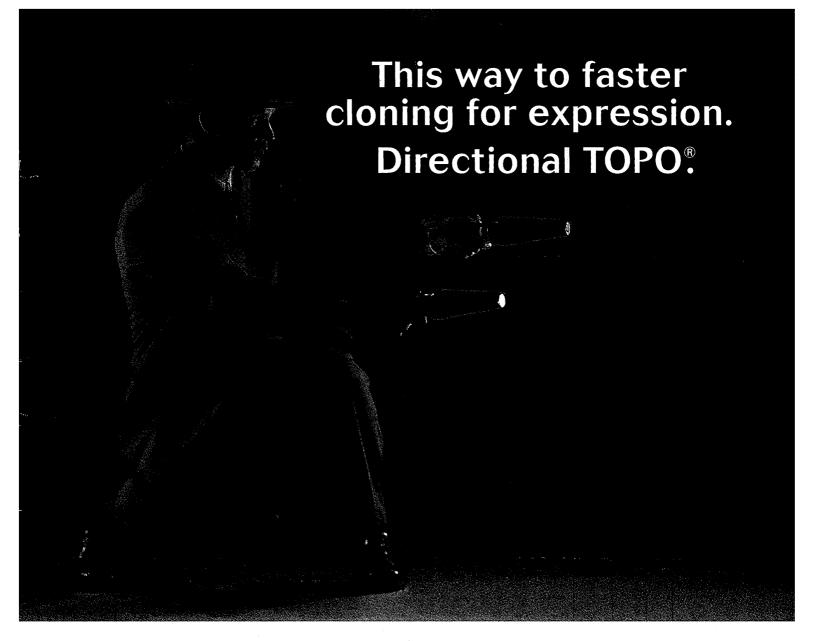
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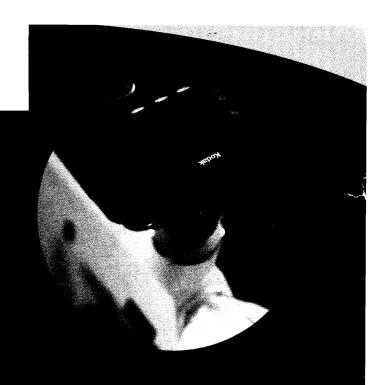
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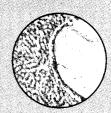


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