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The successful candidate will participate in developing and testing new technologies for generic and functionalisation of nucleic acids, necessary for hybridisation detection on DNA chip and other solid supports. The applicant should have a PhD in organic chemistry or biochemistry and relevant laboratory experience in the field of nucleic acid chemistry.

2. Marie Curie Post-doctorate Opportunities in Bioinformatics réf. BIOINF

The fellow will participate in the data-mining of our high-density chips hybridisation data, with the goal of a designing probe hybridisation models useful for chip design

exploring machine-learning techniques for interpretation of chip hybridisations The successful candidate will work within the bioMérieux biomathematics team.

Applicants should have a PhD in multivariate analysis and interest in machine learning, or vice versa. Application of neural networks and/or graphical models and/or HMM learning to real-life problems is required. Experience with SAS is an advantage.

For both positions, strong commitment to team work is a must. Fluency in English and/or French is highly desirable.

3. Marie Curie Post-doctorate Opportunities in Industry réf. IND

The Chemistry of Supports Laboratory, bioMérieux, Lyon, France invites applications for a post-doctoral position, funded under the European Commission's Marie Curie Industry Host Fellowship Scheme (Quality of Life Programme).

The successful candidate will hold a PhD degree in either Chemistry or Biochemistry and will undertake a research project related to our current interest in the rapid detection of micro-organisms from food and environmental matrices using solid-phase separation techniques. Applicants should have a background in solid-phase/surface chemistry (coupling chemistry, physico-chemical methods of characterisation, interfacial phenomena, biosensors) and should be capable of combining his/her background with both molecular and microbiology topics. We are seeking outstanding individuals interested in working in a multi-disciplinary environment, who possess excellent communication and creative skills which will foster an innovative environment. Fluency in English and/or French is highly desirable. The appointment is a 12 months fixed term contract starting in October 2001.

For all positions, appointments are subject to the terms of the Marie Curie Industry Host Fellowship Programme and are open to EU (but non-French) nationals only. For more information consult the Marie Curie website at : www.cordis.lu/improving.

Applications should include a C.V., list of publications and letters of reference which should be sent to for ref. NAC and BIOINF : Chantal Kantjas, bioMérieux, Chemin de l'Orme - 69280 Marcy l'Etoile (F). e-mail: chantal.kantjas@eu.biomerieux.com for ref IND: Michèle Storrs-Mabilat, bioMérieux, Chemin de l'Orme - 69280 Marcy l'Etoile (F). e-mail: michele.storrs-mabilat@eu.biomerieux.com



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Closing date for receipt of applications is Friday, 29th June, 2001.

Further information may be obtained from the Personnel Office, NUI, Galway.

Candidates should submit seven copies of their Curriculum Vitae with the names and addresses of at least three and not more than five referees to:

The Personnel Office, National University of Ireland, Galway, Ireland. Tel: +353-91-512069; Fax +353-91-750523; Email: personnel@mis.nuigalway.ie Website: http://www.mis.nuigalway.ie/Personnel

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(STAFF) SCIENTIST – OCEAN CARBON CYCLE SCIENCE

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One position requires field-oriented experience with dedicated focus on development of operational autonomous sensors for carbon system components (or related species) and ecosystem function. Such sensors will be used on new profiling float and glider observing systems.

The second position requires a strong record of publications and supported research in global ocean carbon cycle science. A formidable background in observations and data analysis is essential.

These career positions are partially supported by the Department of Energy Center for Research on Ocean Carbon Sequestration. The Berkeley Lab is located in the hills above the University of California at Berkeley campus, overlooking the San Francisco Bay.

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University of Michigan Ann Arbor Chair Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

We invite applications for the Chair of the newly formed Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology at the University of Michigan. The broad mission of this new Department, a unit within the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts (LS&A), is to engage in research and teaching that addresses the origin, diversity, and complex interactions of Earth's biota.

We seek an individual with a distinguished research record, and a broad vision of the intellectual future of ecology and evolutionary biology. The Chair will play a central role in forging and promoting interactions with other units having related missions at the University and nationally. The new Department enjoys the strong support of the University administration, and we anticipate significant growth under the leadership of the new Chair.

The Department currently comprises 28 faculty members in the fields of population, community and ecosystems ecology, evolutionary biology behavior, systematics, and paleontology, and includes faculty with joint appointments in the Museum of Zoology, University Herbarium, Museum of Paleontology, School of Public Health, and the Department of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology (MCDB). Consistently ranked in the top ten ecology and evolutionary biology departments nationwide, the Department attracts excellent graduate students, currently numbering around ninety. The Department offers a strong undergraduate concentration program in Biology conducted jointly with MCDB, and participates in an interdisciplinary undergraduate program in Environmental Sciences/Studies.

The University has just created and committed considerable resources to a new Life Sciences Institute, enhancing the prominent place of the life sciences on campus. The Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology already benefits from interactions with the University's School of Natural Resources and Environment, the School of Public Health, and the Medical School. Within the College of LS&A there is substantial engagement with MCDB and the Departments of Geological Sciences, Chemistry, Anthropology, and the University Botanical Gardens and off-campus Biological Station. Other units with which the new Department currently interacts include the Center for the Study of Complex Systems and the International Institute.

Please submit a letter of application with a curriculum vitae to: **Prof. Henry N. Pollack**, **EEB Search Committee**, **Department of Ecology** and **Evolutionary Biology**, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48109-1048, USA.

Initial inquiries will be held in confidence at the applicant's request. To be assured of full consideration, applications should be received by September 15, 2001. For more information about the Department please visit our website at http:// www.eeb.lsa.umich.edu.

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The candidates should have a Ph.D. (Medicinal / Organic Chemistry) with 10 to 15 years of relevant experience and exposure to other drug-development-related disciplines, such as molecular modelling and Pharmacokinetics. This position will report to VP – Drug Discovery Research.

DIRECTOR – MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

The candidate should possess scientific expertise and contribute to a multi-disciplinary team aimed at drug discovery and development. The candidate should have hands-on experience in cloning, with special emphasis on developing stable mammalian cell-lines for lignand binding assays. Experience in expression and purification of recombinant proteins in prokaryotic and eukaryotic hosts will be desirable. The candidate is expected to guide a team of Scientists and to interact with various other groups involved in drug development and application of recombinant proteins in health and disease.

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The position calls for in-depth understanding of modern approaches currently used in drug discovery research, e.g. molecular biology, combinatorial chemistry and high-throughput screening, rational and computer-aided drug design, etc. The candidate will have to lead around 150 competent, innovative and forward-looking scientific experts, who are part of a multidisciplinary drug discovery team, with expertise in these state-ofthe-art tools, and manage them effectively. He/she will be responsible for establishing long-term Drug Discovery Research goals and objectives and for expanding existing facilities. Prioritising of resources will be essential and this will call for a high degree of scientific capability, lined to management skill. He/she will also be required to establish and monitor collaborative research programs, with academic and Industrial Research Institutions in India and other parts of the world.

The candidate should be a Ph.D. in Medicinal Chemistry/ Biochemistry with 15-20 years of experience in drug discovery research and in-depth knowledge of state-of-the-art drug design approaches. He/she should have significant management experience in the pharmaceutical industry and should have impeccable scientific credentials. This position will report to Head of R&D. The incumbent should be a Ph.D. in Biochemistry or Molecular Biology, with 8-10 years of relevant experience, preferably in the pharmaceutical industry. This position will report to VP – Drug Discovery Research.

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We are looking for young Scientists for drug discovery research in the field of Medicinal Chemistry, Molecular Biology, Bioinformatics, Pharmacology, Toxicology and Drug Metabolism. Candidates should have working experience in a drug discovery research team pertaining to therapeutic areas, such as cardiovascular, cancer, urology and CNS disorders. The candidates must posses an M.S. or a Ph.D., with 2-5 years of working experience in their respective fields.

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Send nominations or an application, consisting of a curriculum vitae and letter of intent to: Bonita Stanton, M.D., Chair, Search Committee, West Virginia University Health Sciences Center, PO Box 9000, Morgantown, West Virginia 26506-9000 or bstanton@hsc.wvu.edu.

The review of candidates will begin August 1, 2001.

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FACULTY POSITIONS IN VIROLOGY AND IMMUNOLOGY

Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center

ASSISTANT AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR TENURE TRACK **POSITIONS.** The Department of Microbiology and Immunology is seeking candidates for multiple faculty positions at the level of ASSISTANT and/or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR. The department is especially interested in candidates with research in the area of the biology or pathogenesis of animal or human viruses and in the area of immunology. Particular areas of interest include AIDS. CANCER. EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASES, AND MATERNAL-FETAL MEDICINE. Groups of investigators with programmatic themes are encouraged to apply. Individuals with a Ph.D., M.D., and/or D.V.M. degrees, postdoctoral experience, and a strong record of research accomplishments will be considered. Applicants at the Associate Professor level are expected to have an established extramurally funded research program. New faculty will be expected to establish vigorous research programs supported by extramural sources and participate in the teaching of medical and graduate students. The department is beginning a major faculty expansion to complement existing strength in bacterial and fungal biology and pathogenesis. The departmental expansion will include additional new laboratories and major equipment acquisition. Substantial start-up funds will be available to new faculty

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Postdoctoral Training Grant Positions NIH-Funded Training Grant in Rheumatic Diseases Rochester, Minnesota, U.S.A.

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Who you are

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Who to contact

If you are interested in this challenging position, please send your application and full supporting documentation to: F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, Mr Ralph Gysin, PSPB, Building 52/210, P.O. Box, CH-4070 Basel, quoting reference: Gr4355. For further information, please call Dr Philippe Coassolo on 0041-61-688 5160 (e-mail: philippe.coassolo@roche.com).



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Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, and a statement of research interests to: Chair, LMG Tenure Track Search Committee, c/o Pat Boyce, HR Staff Office, National Institute on Aging, NIH, Box 26, 5600 Nathan Shock Dr., Baltimore, MD 21224-6825, Attn: VA#NIA-01-004. For further information E-mail Dr. V. Bohr, Chief, LMG at vbohr@nih.gov.

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A scientist is sought with broad experience in virology and cell biology with an interest in developing and applying viral-mediated expression technologies to advance our drug discovery capabilities. Responsibilities will include generation and characterization of viral expression vectors, especially baculovirus, with the goals of evaluating biological function of specific gene products and expression of proteins for assay development and purification. The ability to envision and develop viral based expression approaches in novel, information-rich ways is highly desirable. The successful candidate will be capable of interacting with a wide range of scientists in a team oriented environment and will have excellent communication skills. Familiarity with protein chemistry and molecular biology is a plus. A Ph.D. degree in Virology or related field with 3+ years of work experience is required. Code: **64HS/SCM/AMS**

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Staff Scientist Biotechnology - Functional Genomics A scientist is solidate to join a group developing

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Senior Faculty Position Biology, Computing and Medicine University of New Mexico School of Medicine

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Minimum requirements include a Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent degree, 3 years supervisory experience and experience commensurate with appointment at the level of associate professor. Desirable qualifications: Demonstrated managerial and program building experience. Demonstrated experience in development or application of computational methods, software or algorithm development, database design or data information systems in the context of functional genomics, proteomics, structure-activity relationships and drug design, cell signaling or modeling of complex biological or population processes, systems an networks. Demonstrated ability to work productively in collaborative, multidisciplinary research environment. Demonstrated to cancer, diabetes, asthma, cardiovascular physiology, neuroscience, infection and inflammation, and medical informatics. Demonstrated experience in graduate or medical teaching. Demonstrated research productivity, as evidenced by peer-reviewed publications and extra-mural research support.

For best consideration, application materials must be received by July 31, 2001. Applicant must send a curriculum vitae, the names of three references and a concise description of their research program or plan to: Dr. Jeffrey Griffith, Computational Biologist Search Committee, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of New Mexico School of Medicine, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 87131-5221.

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Postdoctoral Fellow Positions: Gene Regulation of Aging National Institute on Aging - NIH

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The projects involve microarray analyses of gene expression during aging in mice, and use of this information to establish specific roles for candidate genes in normal aging and age-related diseases. The positions offer a unique opportunity to participate with a team that has developed cutting-edge technology for large-scale molecular profiling and is applying the technology to fundamental problems in the biology of aging. Applicants must have an established record of scientific accomplishment within one or more of the designated fields, and a strong interest in the biology of aging. Preference will be given to applicants with expertise in molecular and cell biology, gene expression analyses and/or bioinformatics.

Applicants should send curriculum vitae and three letters of recommendation to: AGEMAP; c/o, Human Resources Office, Box 26, National Institute on Aging, 5600 Nathan Shock Drive, Baltimore, MD 21224-6825. Announcement #NIA-01-022. Applications must be postmarked by July 8, 2001.

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Dr. Roy Arnold HMSC Search Committee Chair c/o Nagwa Naguib Research Office, A312 Kerr Administration Bldg Oregon State University Corvallis OR 97331 (541) 737-3467 phone (541) 737-3093 fax roy.arnold@orst.edu

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Neuroscience Faculty Search University of Massachusetts Medical School/ E. K. Shriver Center

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FACULTY POSITIONS in developmental neurobiology. The Department of Physiology and Cellular Biophysics, Pathology, Anatomy and Cell Biology, Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics, Genetics and Development, and The Center for Neurobiology and Behavior invite applications from candidates who wish to study developmental neurobiology.

As part of a continuing expansion in developmental neurobiology at Columbia University, we invite applications for tenure-track faculty positions. Preference will be given to candidates who address fundamental questions in areas ranging from cell lineage and specification, transcriptional regulation, and signaling to axon guidance and synaptogenesis and whose interests complement those of the existing groups of Investigators of developmental neurobiology at this campus.

Applicants must hold an M.D. or a Ph.D. and be capable of establishing and maintaining a strong, independent research program.

Please send curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research interests, and three letters of reference to: Ms. Nontrel K. Carwell, Neurobiology Search, Columbia University, P and S 11-511, 630 Wess 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. E-mail applications will not be accepted. Columbia University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinative Action Employer.

The Vassar College Department of Biology is seeking a broadly trained Biologist to fill a full-time, oneyear VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR position. Ph.D. is required and appropriate teaching and postdoctoral experience preferred. Teaching includes the evolution of biological diversity (introductory) in the fall semester followed in the spring by evolutionary biology (advanced) and another advanced biology course in the candidate's area of expertise. Please send curriculum vitae, statements of teaching philosophy and research interest, and three letters of reference to: Dr. David K. Jemiolo, Department of Biology, Box 731 Vassar College, 124 Raymond Avenue, Poughkeepsie, NY 12604. Applications must be submitted by June 29, 2001. Departmental and course information may be found at website: http:// depts.vassar.edu/~biology/. Vassar College is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

National Institutes of Health National Cancer Institute

The National Cancer Institute (NCI), the nation's premier research agency responsible for cancer research, is seeking a creative and innovative individual to fill the position of Cancer Genomics Scientific Project Director, in Bethesda, MD.

Description of Duties:

The incumbent of this position is responsible for providing leadership, direction, scientific management, and oversight on any one of the research programs (Cancer Genome Anatomy Project, Mammalian Gene Collection, Molecular Target Laboratories) and components to support the future goals of the Cancer Genomics Office. Monitors and facilitates the development of genomics technologies to support the CGO initiatives, CGAP, MGC, MTL and the transfer of that technology to cancer research laboratories, industry, clinical applications, and other biomedical and industrial applications. The area of cancer genomics technology development is scientifically complex, and highly visible, involving a multidisciplinary network that combines the expertise of large numbers of interdisciplinary research groups.

The incumbent of this position serves as a national expert for new cancer genomics technologies that can be capitalized upon in support of the CGO. In this capacity, functions as a staff expert on technologies being developed in relevant areas; facilitates the development of cancer genomics in the National Cancer Program; facilitates the transfer of project resources, including information, materials and technologies to cancer research laboratories, industry, clinical applications, and other biomedical and industrial applications.

Qualifications

To be minimally qualified for this position, applicants must have at least one year of specialized experience equivalent to the GS-601-14 level. In addition, the GS-601 series requires under the Individual Occupational Requirement a degree with a major study in an academic field related to the health sciences or allied sciences appropriate to the work of the position.

Must have advanced training and knowledge in Cancer Genomics, i.e., a Ph.D. degree or equivalent training, gained through formal education and/or experience.

Therefore applicants must also submit a supplemental statement to their resume or application addressing each of the specific KSAs listed below. Failure to provide a statement addressing each of the specific KSAs for this position will eliminate applicants from further consideration.

1. Knowledge of current activities in research to coordinate and direct a project of national significance in Cancer Genomics.

Skill in oral communication.
Skill in written communication.

Salary: \$ 87,864.00 - \$ 114,224.00 Opening/Close Date: 04/27/2001 - 06/30/2001 Announcement Number: NCI-01-2919 Series and Grade: GS-601-15

Applicants must address requirements as outlined in Vacancy Announcement NCI-01-2919



Eligibility: U.S. citizenship is required. For a complete position description, basic and specialized qualifications, application and procedures or to apply on line, please reference the NIH website at careerhere.nih.gov You may also use the NIH Fax Number: (301) 594-2953 and request Fax ID Number 1952 for vacancy information NIH/NCI is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



UNITED ARAB EMIRATES UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

Department of Pathology ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS IN MOLECULAR AND GENETIC MEDICINE

We currently have a vacancy at the level of Assistant/ Associate Professor in Molecular and Genetic Medicine, which offers the opportunity to work as part of a team of academic pathologists providing clinical service to the AI Ain Medical District, teaching our medical students through an integrated and problembased curriculum and pursuing research relevant to the needs of the UAE.

The appointee should have a PhD, MD/PhD, or equivalent qualification in Molecular/Medical Genetics, with significant postgraduate experience, demonstrated excellence in research and teaching, success in obtaining peer-reviewed grant support, and good interpersonal and team-working skills.

The position involves teaching at both the undergraduate and postgraduate medical levels in the fields of molecular biology and genetics (molecular basis of disease). The successful candidate should have ongoing research in the genetic basis for susceptibility to common diseases, including heart disease, hypertension, cancer, obesity and diabetes. The appointee is also expected to run the Genetic Testing Unit.

The UAE University offers salaries free from local income tax and a significant benefits package including free housing, furniture allowance, assistance with children's education fees, annual round trip air tickets, relocation expenses, generous leave arrangements, assistance in attending international conferences, annual bonus and an interest free car loan.

Further information may be obtained at http://www.fmhs.uaeu.ac.ae/fmhs/patho/patho.htm or from Dr Bertel Berg +971-3-7039469/7672000 (tel), +971-3-7671966 (fax) or email: bertelberg@uaeu.ac.ae

To apply, please send a comprehensive curriculum vitae and covering letter together with the names and addresses of four referees to:

Dr Bertel Berg (c/o Mr C. P. Nair) Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences

United Arab Emirates University

P O Box 17666, Al Ain, United Arab Emirates Fax No. +971-3-7672001

Applications will be closed 4 weeks after the date of publication.

POSITIONS OPEN

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR/DIRECTOR of the *E. Coli* Genetic Stock Center Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology Yale University

The Department of Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology at Yale University invites applications for appointment as Research Scientist or Senior Research Scientist to serve as **ASSOCIATE DIREC-TOR/DIRECTOR** of the *E. wli* Genetic Stock Center. The Stock Center serves the academic and industrial communities by archiving and supplying *E. wli* strains and by maintaining and continuing the development of extensive computerized databases. We seek a dedicated and meticulous scholar with an understanding of microbial genetics and metabolism, practical experience in microbiology, and administrative and managerial skills.

Additional information on the *E. wli* Genetics Stock Center and the Department of MCD Biology can be found at website: http://cgsc.biology.yale.edu and http://www.biology.yale.edu.

Please send curriculum vitae, description of research and academic interests, and at least three letters of recommendation by July 24, 2001, to: Dr. Mary Berlyn, E. Coli Genetic Stock Center, KBT 8, Kline Biology Tower, Yale University, P.O. Box 208103, New Haven, CT 06520-8103.

Yale University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and members of minority groups are urged to apply.

The Center for Neurovirology and Neurodegenerative Disorders (CNND), University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC), has two open positions, one at the level of INSTRUCTOR and one at the level of POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSO-CIATE. The successful candidates will utilize electrophysiological methods to investigate changes in glial and neuronal physiology in HIV dementia and Alzheimer's disease. Techniques will include sharp electrode intracellular recording and whole cell patching from brain slices and/or cultured neura/glial cells. An M.D. and/or Ph.D. is required with a minimum of three years of experience in a neuroscience discipline. Specific expertise in electrophysiology is required. Please send curriculum vitae and three letters of reference to: Howard E. Gendelman, M.D., Director, CNND, UNMC, 985215 Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE 68198-5215. E-mail: hegendel@unmc.edu.

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DIRECTOR CORE FACILITY

The Scripps Research Institute (TSRI) is the largest private nonprofit biomedical research institute in the world. We are seeking a Director for our stateof-the-art Protein and Nucleic Acid core facility. The facility provides technical services such as DNA and protein sequencing, peptide synthesis, amino acid analysis, and antibody production/development. Responsibilities include management of technical services and staff. Requires a Ph.D. and excellent communication skills. www.scripps.edu. Apply to: TSRI, 10550 North Torrey Pines Road, TPC-11, La Jolla, CA 92037. E-mail résumés to: mevans@scripps.edu; FAX: 858-784-8071; website: http://www.scripps.edu. Please reference *Science. Equal Opportunity Employer; Minorities/Females/ Veterans/Disabled*.

ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST or POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW positions available immediately to conduct research on genetic factors modifying the development of arteriosclerosis in mouse models. The goal is to identify novel genes using mouse genetics, genome scanning, and gene expression profiling. M.D. or Ph.D.; expertise in molecular biology/genetics required. Send curriculum vitae to: Alan Tall, Division of Molecular Medicine, Columbia University, P and S 8-401, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. We are an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN



POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS IN TISSUE ENGINEERING

Position One: polymers for biomedical applications. Ph.D. in polymer synthesis/related areas. Position Two: cell and molecular biology. Ph.D. in

cell/molecular biology/related areas. New Fellows will work on N.I.H.-supported musculoskeletal tissue engineering projects.

Send curriculum vitae and references to: Professor C. Laurencin, Advanced Biomaterials/Tissue Engineering Center, Drexel University, Chemical Engineering, 3141 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104. E-mail: attawia@drexel.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available in the area of experimental bone marrow transplantation and cancer immunotherapy. Projects include (1) study of immunoregulatory T cells after allogeneic marrow transplantation with a secondary focus on the study of posttransplant adoptive immunotherapy for the treatment/prevention of leukemia relapse. Experience in immunology and experimental murine systems is preferred. Contact: **Dr. Bryon Johnson; email: bjohnson@mcw.edu**.

(2) Retroviral transduction of T cell receptor genes that recognize tumor antigens, expression of the TCR from retroviral vectors, and analysis of transduced cytotoxic T cell function. The candidate should be skilled in molecular biology and interested in gene vector biology. Contact: **Dr. Rimas Orentas; e-mail: rjo@mcw.edu**.

Applicants should have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. degree and should send current curriculum vitae, names of at least three references, and a statement describing research skills and interests to one of the above Investigators at: Department of Pediatrics, Hematology/Oncology, Medical College of Wisconsin, 8701 Watertown Plank Road, Milwaukee, WI 53226. FAX: 414-456-6328. The Medical College of Wisconsin is an Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

RESEARCHER ASSISTANT/ ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR The Division of Clinical Perfusion Sciences at the University of Nebraska

Medical Center (UNMC), Omaha, Nebraska, seeks applicants for the position of SENIOR RE-SEARCHER in extracorporeal circulation and cardiovascular pathophysiology. This tenure-track faculty position will be at the Assistant/Associate Professor level and will involve leadership in the Department's development of a nationally recognized, extramurally funded research program and the instruction of graduate-level perfusion students. Candidates must hold either a Ph.D. or M.D. Rank and salary are subject to applicant's qualifications. Applicants should send curriculum vitae, a detailed statement of research interests, representative reprints, and addresses of three references to: Search Committee, Division of Clinical Perfusion Sciences, 985155 Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE 68198-5155. Website: http://www.unmc.edu/cpe/. The Search Committee will begin screening applicants March 1, 2001, and applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

Position open for a **RESEARCH INVESTIGA-TOR**. The successful candidate must have a track record of publications and experience with *in vivo* and *in vitro* research on the effects of alcohol and signal transduction on bone pathophysiology including osteoclastogenesis. Submit curriculum vitae, research goals, and letter of inquiry to: **Evan Keller, D.V.M., Ph.D., Room 5304 CCGCB, 1500 East Medical Center Drive, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48105**. The University of Michigan is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

STUDY DIRECTOR DRUG DISCOVERY SUPPORT

Our Madison, Wisconsin, facility is in need of a **STAFF SCIENTIST** to oversee drug metabolism projects. This individual will contribute to the development and implementation of new assays and technology to enable our clients to select the best compounds to proceed into the drug development phase.

Day-to-day duties will include planning, designing, and conducting complex studies to generate highquality scientific results. Expertise in drug metabolism and cytochrome P450 assays and excellent written and verbal communication skills are required. Qualified candidates will have a Ph.D. and more than one year of relevant experience. Previous experience in the pharmaceutical industry leading study teams and client interaction are desired.

As a leading contract research laboratory, Covance offers a unique chance to combine challenging science, project variety, and the opportunity to work with a respected team of Scientists both as coworkers and clients. Madison, Wisconsin, has consistently ranked in the top 10 U.S. metropolitan areas for quality of life. Our city has a vibrant economy with plentiful jobs, superb health care, a low crime rate, and a range of cultural activities.

> Covance Laboratories Attention Human Resources 2D0715 P.O. Box 7545 Madison, WI 53707-7545 FAX: 608-242-2624 E-mail: career.madison@covance.com Website: http://www.covance.com

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION BIOPHYSICAL/STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY

A Postdoctoral position is available involving NMR, calorimetry, and computational modeling. This collaborative effort, which involves academic and industry laboratories, provides a highly interactive environment and competitive salary (up to \$40,000 to start). Applicants should have a strong background in biophysics, and computer programming (C or Fortran) is helpful but not necessary.

Send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and the names of three references to:

Dr. Vincent J. Hilser Department of Human Biological Chemistry and Genetics The University of Texas Medical Branch 5.166 Medical Research Building Galveston, TX 77555-1055 Telephone: 409-747-6813 FAX: 409-747-6816 E-mail: vince@hbcg.utmb.edu

UTMB is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer; Minorities/Females/Disabled/Veterans. UTMB hires only individuals authorized to work in the United States.

ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST position available immediately to join a research group studying regulation of cardiac ion channels by development and disease. Applicant should have at least four years of postdoctoral research experience in cardiac patch clamp techniques, preferably directed toward the study of the pacemaker current and cardiac automaticity. Experience in studying both native and expressed currents and expertise in adenoviral technology are desired. Send résumé and references to: Dr. Richard Robinson, Columbia University, Department of Pharmacology, 630 West 168th Street, Room PH7W-311, New York, NY 10032. Columbia University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available to study signal transduction mechanisms underlying ion channel regulation in central neurons using combined electrophysiological and molecular biological approaches. Candidates with interest in neuroscience and experience in electrophysiological recording are preferred. Send curriculum vitae and names of references to: Dr. Zhen Yan, Department of Physiology and Biophysics, State University of New York, Buffalo, NY 14214. E-mail: zhenyan@ buffalo.edu.



Be an NCI Cancer Prevention Fellow

THE NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE (NCI) sponsors the Cancer Prevention Fellowship Program (CPFP). Its purpose is to train individuals from a multiplicity of health and biomedical science disciplines in the field of cancer prevention and control.

What will I get out of the program?

- Master of Public Health degree
- NCI Summer Curriculum
- in Cancer PreventionMentored research at the NCI
- Brief field assignments at other institutions

Research opportunities include cellular signatures of cancer, chemoprevention, clinical epidemiology, diet, nutrition and other lifestyle-factor studies, evidence-based decisionmaking and ethics, gene environment interactions, health disparities and special populations, intervention studies, molecular carcinogenesis, outcomes research, screening and early detection (including genetic and other biomarkers), smoking cessation, social and behavioral research, statistical and epidemiological methodology, and translational research.

Am I eligible?

You must have a doctorate degree (M.D., D.D.S., D.O., J.D., Ph.D. or equivalent). Foreign education must be comparable to that received in the United States.

You must also be either a citizen of the U.S. or resident alien eligible for citizenship within 4 years.

How long is the program?

Fellows are accepted for up to 5 years of training beginning in July.

When are applications due?

Applications are due September 1, 2001 for entry into the program July 1, 2002.

How do I apply?

To receive a catalog*, contact:

Douglas L. Weed, M.D., M.P.H., Ph.D. Director

Cancer Prevention Fellowship Program National Cancer Institute 6120 Executive Boulevard (EPS) Suite T-41, MSC 7105 Bethesda, MD 20892-7105

* Please provide home address and where you heard about the program.

Further inquiries: Mrs. Barbara Redding Phone (301) 496-8640 Fax (301) 402-4863 E-mail br24v@nih.gov

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http://resresources.nci.nih.gov /links.cfm

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Fellowships



The Pew Latin American Fellows Program in the Biomedical Sciences provides support for young scientists from Latin America for post-doctoral training in the United States.

Ten Fellows will be selected in 2002. An award of \$50,000 will be provided as a salary stipend for the fellow during the period of training (2 years) and will be administered by the sponsoring U.S. institution. The sponsoring institution is required to supplement the salary stipend with at least \$5,000 a year and to provide full medical benefits for the fellow. Following the two year fellowship, the Program will issue an additional \$35,000 award to the sponsoring institution to purchase equipment and supplies for the fellow to establish a laboratory in his or her home country.

Applicants must have held a Ph.D. and/or M.D. degree, or equivalent, for no more than five years as of July 1, 2002. Applicants may not have had previous post-doctoral training outside of Latin America nor may they have begun a post - doctoral position in the US prior to October 1, 2001. Applicants are not required to have a commitment of a position and laboratory space after the fellowship. However, applicants must submit a written statement of intent to return to Latin America. Fellows must accept a position and have confirmed laboratory space in Latin America by the end of the fellowship period in order to obtain the \$35,000 portion of the award.

Fellows will be selected on the basis of their promise as outstanding investigators, as well as the scientific merit of their research proposal, their record of training and how well their interests coincide with the laboratory of their sponsor in the United States. If potential applicants need assistance with the identification of an appropriate sponsoring laboratory in the United States, they may contact the Program Office before August 1, 2001. The program will accept applications from Mexico, Central and South America. Applications may be obtained from the Regional Committee contact listed here for each country or from our website at **www.pewlatinfellows.com**

The application deadline is October 1, 2001. Winners will be notified in April 2002 and the fellowship should begin no later than August 2002.

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 1, 2001

ARGENTINA

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Mario Zurita, Chair Instituto de Biotecnología. UNAM Mexico. Phone: (52)(5) 6227659 Fax: (52)(73) 172388 E-mail: marioz@ibt.unam.mx

All Other Countries

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POSITIONS OPEN

SENIOR STAFF FELLOW/ VISITING SCIENTIST POSITION Division of Viral Products Office of Vaccine Research and Review Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research Food and Drug Administration

The Laboratory of Hepatitis Viruses, located on the NIH campus, is searching for a candidate to fill a Senior Staff Fellow/Visiting Scientist position. The laboratory is actively engaged in research on the molecular biology of hepatitis viruses, specializing in hepatitis C virus vaccines using the mouse and chimpanzee models. Candidates should have Ph.D., M.D., or M.D.-Ph.D. degrees and research experience in virology, molecular virology, cell biology, or immunology. The candidate will conduct novel research using hepatitis C virus antigens in vaccine studies. In addition, the candidate will perform regulatory review (e.g., product chemistry, manufacturing and control, validation and review of clinical protocols) of licensed and experimental hepatitis virus vaccines. The initial appointment is for two years and may be extended up to seven years as a tenure-track position based on candidate's satisfactory performance and mutual agreement. Candidates must be U.S. citizens or resident aliens eligible for citizenship within four years. Salary is commensurate with experience and training. Applications should be sent to: Stephen M. Feinstone, M.D., 1401 Rockville Pike, HFM-448, Rockville, MD 20852. E-mail: feinstone@cber.fda.gov. Applications received on or before June 26, 2001, will be considered

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE POSITIONS

Research Associate positions are available in the Center for Bio/Molecular Science and Engineering of the Naval Research Laboratory. Applications are currently sought for two positions in the fields of (1)bacterial pathogenesis using microarray technology and (2) neural extracellular recording using microelectrode array assemblies. These positions require a Ph.D. in a relevant field with less than five years of previous postdoctoral experience. Starting salaries for National Research Council Fellowships are \$52,000 per year, and opportunities are excellent for transition to permanent status after a successful tenure. Applicants should send their curriculum vitae and the names of two references by e-mail or regular mail to: J.J. Pancrazio, Ph.D., CBMSE, Code 6910, Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC 20375. Email: jxp@cbmse.nrl.navy.mil. The NRL is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Only U.S. citizens or permanent residents can be considered for these positions.

Two NIH-funded POSTDOCTORAL POSI-TIONS are available immediately to work on projects in aging and transcriptional silencing, telomere length regulation, or telomerase using molecular genetic, genomic, and biochemical approaches. Experience in biochemistry, molecular genetics, or mass spectrometry is preferred. The projects offer broad-based training in the above fields using the state-of-the-art facilities in the new Lerner Research Institute. Interested candidates should send their résumé and contact information for three references to: Dr. Kurt Runge, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, The Lerner Research Institute, Department of Molecular Biology, 9500 Euclid Avenue, NC20, Cleveland, OH 44195. Additional information is available at website: http://www.ri.ccf.org/ri/pi/runge.html.

SCIENTISTS WANTED IN INDIA

Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh, a premier research and development organization of the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Government of India, invites applications for scientific record. The Institute is engaged in basic and applied research in different areas of modern biology. Visit us at website: http://www.imtech.res.in. The last date for submission of application on plain paper is July 20, 2001. For details, visit website: http://

POSITIONS OPEN

DIRECTOR Regeneration/Stem Cell Transplantation

The newly formed Regeneration/Stem Cell Transplantation Program at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Department of Pediatrics, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, is seeking a Director. This program will bring together Investigators and laboratories from multiple disciplines and establish core facilities to examine mechanisms of regeneration in different tissues, to determine the rules that govern the role of stem cells, and to develop methods for cell transplantation therapy. The program is designed to incorporate several Investigators and laboratories already at The University of Pittsburgh and recruit several additional Investigators with their laboratories. The Director's rank will be ASSOCIATE or FULL PROFESSOR with tenure. Applications from outstanding senior Scientists (Ph.D. or M.D.) with strong records of extramural funding and successful mentoring are encouraged. Please send curriculum vitae and three references to: Regeneration Search Committee, c/o Claudia Brazet, Office of the Chairman, Department of Pediatrics, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, 3705 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213. The University of Pittsburgh is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer.

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We are also looking for **POSTDOCTORAL SCI-ENTISTS** with experience in molecular biology and/or plant transformation. These individuals will be directly involved in the development of green technologies and in the generation of potato and turf plants with an improved agronomic performance. They will be encouraged to patent and/or publish their significant research findings.

Our facilities are located in beautiful Boise, Idaho, nestled between the Rocky Mountains and Treasure Valley and close to a wide variety of cultural and recreational facilities. We offer a competitive salary and benefits package and a highly stimulating, interactive environment. Interested candidates can e-mail their curriculum vitae, salary history, and research interest to e-mail: wdavis@simplot.com. J.R. Simplot Company is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Bioinformatics Developer. Develop Web applications at Harvard Medical School to browse the space of gene function; discover/display patterns in biological data. M.A. in CS (or equivalent); more than two years of software experience (Perl/CGI or Java) essential. Coursework and biology experience desired. XML and SQL a plus. Must be independent, able to implement a full-scale Web application, a problem-solver strong in math/stats, able to communicate in a multidisciplinary team, enthusiastic about bioinformatics. Please contact: e-mail: froth@ hms.harvard.edu.

POSITIONS OPEN

HYDROLOGIST/PHYSICAL SCIENTIST/ Atmospheric Scientist/Soil Scientist/ Agronomist

The U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, Hydrology and Remote Sensing Laboratory at Beltsville, Maryland, has an opening for a permanent full-time **RESEARCH SCIENTIST** to join a team whose research mission is to conduct nationally oriented basic and applied research on water resources and remote sensing concerns related to the production of food and fiber and the conservation of natural resources. The candidate should have experience in one or more of the following areas: (1) investigating the effects of scaling-up from point-based process models to landscape, regional, and continental scales; (2) developing methods for modeling and inventorying carbon in soil at various scales from field to continental and relating carbon stocks and sequestration rates to the water cycle, climate, and vegetation; (3) integrating mesoscale atmospheric modeling with remotely sensed data in data assimilation schemes for assessing regional climate effects; (4) developing coupled modeling of land-atmosphere processes leading to improved predictability in the global water and carbon cycles that includes key factors related to agriculture; (5) developing techniques for extracting information from remotely sensed data and a framework to incorporate remotely sensed data into watershed and regional scale hydrologic and climate models; and (6) assisting in technology transfer. Candidates must be U.S. citizens. Salary is commensurate with experience (GS-12: \$53,156 to GS-14: \$97,108). For information about the position, contact: Dr. Walter Rawls; Telephone: 301-504-8745; e-mail: wrawls@hydrolab.arsusda.gov. Information about the laboratory is available at website: http://hydrolab.arsusda.gov. Information about the application procedures may be obtained by contacting: Beverley Jacobs; Telephone: 301-504-1350; e-mail: bjacobs@ars.usda.gov; ARS website: www.afm.ars.usda.gov/divisions/hrd/index. html. Announcement Number ARS-X1E-1359. Applications must be postmarked by the closing date of July 23, 2001. USDA–ARS is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

FACULTY POSITION PHARMACOGENOMICS

The Pharmaceutical Sciences Division of the College of Pharmacy, University of Kentucky, seeks applicants for a 12-month, tenured/tenure-track faculty position at the ASSISTANT, ASSOCIATE, or FULL PROFESSOR level. Candidates should have a Ph.D. or equivalent degree and an active research program in genomics relevant to drug discovery, development, or therapeutics. The successful candidate will develop a competitive, extramurally supported research program and contribute to the teaching missions of the professional program in pharmacy and graduate program in pharmaceutical sciences. Please send curriculum vitae, an outline of current and future research plans, and names of three references to: Dr. Peter Wedlund, Chair, Search Committee, College of Pharmacy, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40536-0082. Website: http://www. uky.edu/Pharmacy/ps/psfaculty.html. Applications accepted until the position is filled.

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TENURE-TRACK FACULTY POSITIONS in the Department of Medicine, Division of Rheumatology, are available at the University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Memphis. We are currently recruiting two to three faculty with research expertise in laboratory research related to rheumatic and bone diseases. Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae with letter of interest to: Arnold Postlethwaite, M.D., University of Tennessee Health Science Center, Division of Rheumatology, 956 Court, A302, Memphis, TN 38163. E-mail: apostlethwai@utmem.edu. The University of Tennessee is an Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/ Title VI/Title IX/Section 504/Americans With Disabilities Adt/Age Discrimination in Employment Act Employer.





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The Research Technologies Branch (RTB) has an opportunity for an individual with a doctoral degree and experience in preparation and analysis of DNA-based microarrays. The incumbent will be responsible for the design and oversight of a facility for the production of high-density DNA-based microarrays for various uses including monitoring differential gene expression levels. The individual will be responsible for the selection and maintenance of appropriate instrumentation, optimized protocols and methodology for all aspects of microarray technology. The individual will be responsible for interfacing with the Intramural research community in a collaborative, consulting, or service capacity as appropriate in the area of microarray technology. This program will initially focus on microorganisms where complete or partial genomic DNA sequence is available for use in the design process. The individual will oversee implementation and expansion of these efforts in various prokaryotic and eukaryotic systems. Successful candidates will have an advanced degree in microbiology, biochemistry or biology and experience with all microarray instrumentation and scanners. Experience constructing microarrays of prokaryotic genomes is preferred. Salary will be dependent upon qualifications. A curriculum vitae and bibliography must be submitted by June 22, 2001 to Robert Hohman, NIH/NIAID/RTB, Twinbrook II, Room 201b, 12441 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, MD 20852. Applications may be forwarded electronically to ebutler@niaid.nih.gov.

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GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES

National Yang-Ming University (http://www.ym.edu.tw/sls) Assistant, Associate and Full Professor Positions

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Institute of Microbiology and Immunology. Two positions are available. Candidates should have demonstrated productivity in the area of bacteriology, virology, or immunology. Candidates with expertise in the techniques and methods of genomics and proteomics research will be an added advantage. Correspondent : Dr.Ning-Hsing Yeh, Director (yphcsl@ym.edu.tw)

Institute of Physiology. The Institute invites applications for two faculty positions, preferably in the area of molecular physiology and functional genomics. Applicants are expected to apply techniques of molecular biology or genomics to fundamental problems of physiological interest. Correspondent : Dr. Tsai-Hsien Chiu, Director (thchiu@ym.edu.tw)

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Institute of Anatomy and Cell Biology. One position is available for candidates who have a strong background in cell and/or molecular biology and an aptitude for independent research. Experience with anatomical sciences teaching is desirable. Correspondent : Dr. Hung-Hai Ku, Director (hhku@ym.edu.tw)

Institute of Parasitology. The Institute invites application for a faculty position. Candidates must have research experience and good publication record in immunology or molecular biology of helminths or protozoa. Applicants with strong background in General Parasitology will be an added advantage. Correspondent : Dr. Kin-Mu Lee, Director(kinmu@ym.edu.tw)

Institute of Genetics. The Institute is seeking a faculty member with expertise in population or quantitative genetics. Candidates should have demonstrated good research productivity in the fields of statistical genetics, genetics or related disciplines, as well as experience in linkage analysis and applying bioinformatics to human population. Correspondent : Dr. Kwang-Jen Hsiao, Director (http://www.ym.edu.tw/ig/)

Interested applicants should send a letter of intent, curriculum vitae with publication list, a brief research proposal, reprints of selected publications, and three reference letters to the correspondent at the National Yang-Ming University (155, Li-Nong St., Sec. 2, Peitou, Taipei 112, Taiwan). Applications will be received until positions are filled.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Division of Transplantation University of Nebraska Medical Center Omaha, Nebraska

One Postdoctoral position is available immediately in an NIH-funded laboratory in the Division of Transplantation to study the impact of the extracellular matrix on immune responses. Our laboratory's specific interests involve the interaction between IL-2 and heparan sulfate including how this interaction may modulate normal immune responses as well as the pathologic consequences that may ensue when this association is disrupted. The potential Ph.D. or M.D. candidate must be within five years of receiving his/her degree; rank dependent upon qualifications. Curiosity and excitement about immunology is mandatory. Experience with flow cytometry is essential and experience with small animal models, basic molecular biology, and histology is desirable. Applicants should send/e-mail curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research interests, and contact information for three references to:

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The Laboratory of Clinical Investigation (LCI) has an opportunity for a tenured or tenure-track Investigator to conduct studies that complement the existing research interests of the laboratory, specifically the immunology of autoimmune/inflammatory conditions and/or the pathogenesis of chronic infections. For more information about LCI and NIAID Intramural programs, see website: http://www.niaid. nih.gov/dir. An ideal candidate will have welldeveloped clinical interests and will initiate patientoriented research studies leading to the improved understanding and/or novel therapies of diseases in the field of interest. Candidates must be U.S. trainees or ECFMG/USMLE-certified physicians with specialty training. Salary will be dependent upon qualifications. Other incentives may be available. Curriculum vitae; bibliography; three letters of reference; a detailed statement of research interests; and selected publications must be submitted by July 1, 2001, to: Ms. Joann Martin, Office of Human Resources Management, NIAID, Building 31, Room 7A27, 31 Center Drive, MSC 2520, Bethesda, MD 20892-2520. All information provided by the applicants will remain confidential and will be viewed only by authorized officials of the NIAID.

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POSITIONS OPEN

SIGNAL TRANSDUCTION AND CANCER University of California Los Angeles

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available in the Unit of Signal Transduction and Gastrointestinal Cancer established by Dr. Enrique Rozengurt in the Department of Medicine, UCLA. The central aim of this laboratory is to identify and characterize signal transduction pathways that regulate the proliferation of normal and cancer cells (e.g., JBC 275:2157, 2000; JBC 275:17114, 2000; JBC 275: 30644, 2000; JBC 276:17788, 2001). A special opportunity for Physicians also exists within the STAR (Specialty Training and Advanced Research) program based in the Department of Medicine. Interested candidates (U.S. citizens or green card holders) with a strong background in cellular and molecular biology should send curriculum vitae, a letter containing a brief description of research experience, and contact information for three references to: E. Rozengurt, UCLA School of Medicine, 900 Veteran Avenue, Warren Hall, Room 11-124, Los Angeles, CA 90095-1786. FAX: 310-267-2399; e-mail: erozengurt@mednet.ucla.edu

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The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), Agricultural Research Service (ARS), Periparturient Disease of Cattle Research Unit at the National Animal Disease Center (Ames, Iowa) is seeking a RE-SEARCH MOLECULAR BIOLOGIST to conduct basic and applied research on diseases of dairy cattle occurring around time of parturition, such as mastitis. The Scientist will serve as an independent Investigator and as a team member on the periparturient disease and nutritional immunology projects. The focus will be host-pathogen interactions within mammary tissue and use of proteomics and molecular/biochemical techniques to assist in identifying disease-specific proteins. The incumbent develops research proposals and participates in developing joint proposals. The incumbent develops methods of approach and is responsible for organizing, conducting, interpreting, and reporting assigned portions of the research results upon completion. Ph.D. in molecular biology, chemistry, biological science, or related disciplines or equivalent experience is preferred. Comprehensive benefits package includes paid annual and sick leave, life insurance, health insurance, and a savings and investment plan in addition to a federal retirement plan. Salary commensurate with experience (\$51,927 to \$94,862). U.S. citizenship required. For further information, please contact: Dr. Ron Horst; Telephone: 515-663-7312; e-mail: rhorst@nadc.ars.usda.gov. Vacancy announcements and application information can be obtained by ARS DIAL-A-VACANCY at Telephone: 301-504-1482; Janae Lentz: 515-663-7277; or the ARS website: http://www.ars.usda. gov/afm/hrd/resjobs. Applications in response to this ad must be postmarked by August 20, 2001, and reference Vacancy Announcement Number ARS-X1W-1327. The USDA is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR POSITIONS Department of Biological Sciences Université de Montréal

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POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCI-ATE to study gene expression in enteric bacteria. Project involves construction of vectors expressing protective antigens of pathogenic *Escherichia coli* and other enteric pathogens in attenuated vaccine strains of *Shigella*. Experience with molecular genetic techniques, protein biochemistry, and immunology helpful. Salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Contact: **Dr. Malabi Venkatesan; Telephone: 301-319-9764; FAX: 301-319-9801; email: malabi.venkatesan@na.amedd.army.mil.**

Department Graduate School of Journalism

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The Graduate School of Journalism is a twoyear program, with approximately 110 students. At its core is a strong emphasis on learning the craft of journalism through writing and reporting. Responsibilities for this new faculty position include teaching and designing classes in coverage of science and technology; and recruiting and supervising lecturers to augment the curriculum. A copy of the endowment grant proposal is available on our web site, www.journalism.berkeley.edu The starting salary is dependent on experience and qualifications.

To apply: Send letter of introduction, statement of qualifications, curriculum vitae, and the names of at least three references to: Knight Chair Search Committee, Graduate School of Journalism, North Gate Hall, Berkeley, Calif. 94720-5860.

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Post-Doc Position Biophysics

In a joint research effort between the Physics and Biochemistry Departments of the University of Zurich, tools and methods will be developed to interface individual biomolecules with solid state structures to be imaged with a coherent low energy electron beam. The ultimate goal is to obtain structural and electronic information about single molecules.

Candidates are expected to have a Ph.D. in Biophysics or Molecular Biology as well as some experience in optical and/or electron microscopy techniques and a strong interest to participate in developing novel technologies for structural biology.

Applicants should send a letter of application and a resume including a statement of research interests, along with the names of a least three references to: **Prof. Heris-Werner Fink (Institute of Physics) or Prof. Andress Ptückthun** (Institute of Biochemistry) University of Zürich, Winterthurerstrasse 190, CH-8057 Zürich, Switzerland

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To apply, send a letter of interest, curriculum vitae, and bibliography and arrange for three letters of reference. Communications by E-mail, including attached files, are welcome.

Donald Ouellette, Personnel Management Specialist Personnel Management Branch National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute National Institutes of Health, Bldg. 31, Room 5A28 Bethesda, MD 20892-2484 USA (301) 496-6477; E-mail: <u>ouelletd@nih.gov</u>

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Deadline for receipt of nominations: Announcement of Award Recipient: **U.S. \$50,000** November 1, 2001 April 2002

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POSTDOCTORAL

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A POSTDOCTORAL ASSOCIATE POSI-TION to investigate elementary steps of the crossbridge cycle in cardiac muscle strips after removal of the thin filament by gelsolin and reconstitution of the thin filament with purified proteins. The successful candidate must have a Ph.D. or equivalent. Experience in purification of muscle proteins is advantageous. The work includes dissection of cardiac muscle strips and computer-controlled mechanochemical experiments to access elementary steps of the crossbridge cycle. Interested individuals should send the application letter and curriculum vitae and arrange three letters of recommendation to be sent to: Professor Masataka Kawai, Department of Anatomy and Cell Biology, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA 52242 U.S.A. E-mail: masataka-kawai@ uiowa.edu.

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Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae; description of research experience/interests; and names, addresses, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses of three references to: Dr. Dax Fu, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Biology Department, Building 463, Upton, NY 11973. Email: dax@bnl.gov. BNL is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are especially encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS are available immediately to study cell-mediated immune responses of human volunteers immunized with genetically engineered vaccine strains of Salmonella typhi and Shigella or malaria vaccine candidates. Studies include antigen presentation, MHC restriction, cloning and characterization of cytotoxic and helper T cells, identification of protective epitopes, role of dendritic cells, and microarray profiling and manipulation of cytokine production patterns to elucidate their role in the outcome of immune responses to vaccination. The candidate should have a Ph.D. in microbiology/immunology or M.D. degree and experience in the study of immunological mechanisms. Experience in cellular and molecular biology, microarray, and/or tetramer technologies is highly desirable. Send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Marcelo B. Sztein, M.D., Chief, Cellular Immunology and Flow Cytometry Section, Center for Vaccine Development, 685 West Baltimore Street, Room 480, University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD 21201. E-mail: msztein@medicine.umaryland. edu.Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

Applications are invited for a position to study the role of tyrosine phosphatases in the immune system. Applicants should have experience in molecular and cellular biology. This position has to be approved by the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (website: http://stafellow.jst.go.jp/index.html). The two-year tenure will start after April 1, 2002. Please submit curriculum vitae, description of research interests, and names of three references by June 30, 2001, to: Dr. Hidetaka Yakura, Department of Immunology and Signal Transduction, Tokyo Metropolitan Institute for Neuroscience, Fuchu, Tokyo 183-8526 Japan. E-mail: yakura@tmin.ac.jp; website: http://www.tmin.ac.jp/dept/immunology/index-e.htm.

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