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ith the biotech revolution more than 20 years old, and products emerging from the pipeline, bioprocess technology is getting more attention. Companies once concerned mainly with filling jobs in discovery science need key personnel in bioprocessing.

"Excellent career opportunities exist in bioprocessing," said Melvin S. Oka, executive director of the biological process sciences group at Bristol-Myers Squibb Company, Princeton, New Jersey. "Biotech and biopharmaceuticals are starting to reach their potential. Many biotech products will hit the market during the next few years. Companies will need talented, skilled individuals to produce these materials in commercial quantities. Success of the initial products will stimulate still more interest in the whole biotech field, and in bioprocess sciences."

Bioprocessing is as old as humanity's first efforts to use yeast cells and nutrients in cereal grains and fruits to produce beer, wine, and other alcoholic beverages. And it's as new as the latest twists on tangential flow filtration (TFF), clean-in-place (CIP) technology, and other approaches for moving from laboratory to pilot plant to large-scale manufacturing. A new revolution may be just over the horizon: bioprocesses involving transgenic animals. Yet bioprocess science's basic goals remain much the same: harnessing cells, enzymes, and other cell components in biochemical reactions. Given proper temperatures, pressures, flow rates, pH, oxygen concentration, and other conditions, the reactions transform raw materials into useful end products. Bioprocess engineering finds applications in production of medicine and foods, waste management, agriculture, and other fields.

In a way, bioprocess scientists are the scale-up types of the biopharmaceutical industry. Discovery scientists generally produce very small quantities of material in the early stages of research. Bioprocess people help discovery teams produce larger amounts of material for more advanced bench-top research. Ultimately, they transform laboratory-scale techniques for producing, recovering, and purifying a compound into commercial-scale technology for mass marketing the compound as a drug.

Oka's career in bioprocessing began with a biotech start-up company, which he joined after getting a Ph.D. in cell biology and a postdoc. He moved into the pharmaceutical industry, working for seven years on process development for biologics. About five years ago, Oka joined Bristol-Myers Squibb, and now leads one of the process science groups. The group supports late-phase discovery science efforts, process development for preclinical research, and generating the larger quantities of material needed as drug candidates move through early clinical trials.

What kind of degrees can open the door to a career in bioprocessing? Oka cited chemical engineering, biochemical engineering, cell biology, microbiology, biochemistry, and protein chemistry among the most common. But he sees profound changes in the range and complexity of skills expected in bioprocess scientists today. "In the past, people emerged from many separate disciplines such as cell biology, engineering, and purification who contributed individually to the entire

process. Now there is a trend toward integrating diverse skill sets into every bioprocess scientist, and the creation of a new hybrid discipline.

The strongest demand for bioprocess scientists in the future will be for individuals with academic training or industry experience that incorporates such broad knowledge, he said. Bioprocess scientists must have skills in engineering, chemistry, biology, protein chemistry, and other fields. Graduate school programs are responding and giving students more broadly based skills, Oka noted. He advised individuals already working

in industry to keep pace and acquire as many bioprocess skills as possible. These range from pro-

ject conception to vialing.



Melvin S. Oka, Ph.D.

Bioprocess people must, of course, be excellent scientists. However, nonscience skills can tip the balance when recruiters must pick between applicants with equivalent scientific skills. "An ability to communicate, get along with other people, and work effectively on a team are important in every career in the biopharmaceutical industry," Oka pointed out.

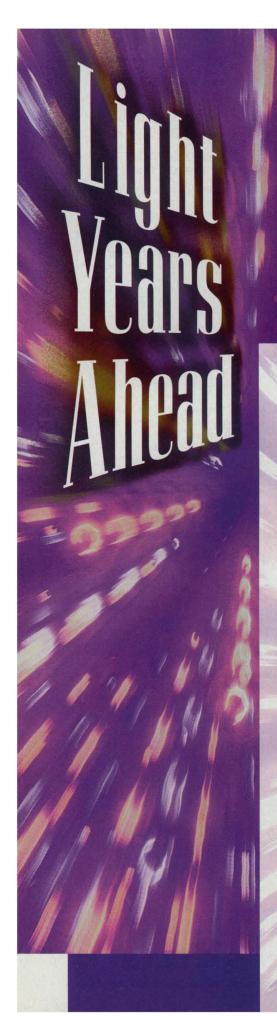
But the sheer complexity of bioprocess development makes good interpersonal skills an absolute must for bioprocess scientists, who often interact with individuals working in discovery science, clinical research, patent and licensing, manufacturing, and other areas of drug development. "The challenge is to communicate clearly across those disciplinary lines," Oka said. "It's the kind of challenge that makes this such an interesting career path."

Students can't always count on acquiring such skills in graduate school, Oka added. He suggests that individuals take advantage of every opportunity to get experience doing research in a team setting. Undergraduate group research projects can be very helpful. Internships in an industry setting also can provide invaluable experience.

What about the notion that it takes one mind set to excel in bioprocess engineering, and another in discovery science? Both fields require creativity in solving problems, Oka said. Bioprocess often requires a more structured approach. For example, solutions to problems must be scientifically sound, and also must be evaluated in light of additional factors, such as time, cost, patent, and regulatory requirements.

Oka foresees strong demand for qualified bioprocess scientists in the years ahead, with rapidly evolving fields like pharmaceutical production in transgenic animals offering new challenges and outstanding opportunities.

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The successful candidate will head up this department engaged in the identification, isolation, and characterization of genes, encoding new molecular targets of oncological interest. This scientist is expected to develop innovative genomic approaches for the identification and characterization of target genes, exploiting new technologies. The position requires a Ph.D. in Molecular or Cell Biology with 5+ years of postdoctoral experience in Oncology or related areas and an excellent publication record. Candidate should have a strong background in a broad range of molecular biology techniques, including cDNA library construction and screening, gene cloning and characterization, and analysis of differential gene expression, and more success in the isolation and characterization for molecules. and proven success in the isolation and characterization of molecules involved in cell cycle, oncogenic, and apoptotic signal transduction pathways. The candidate should also have a solid background in DNA and protein database searches and computational methods for characterization of novel sequence data. Experience in utilizing microarray technologies and previous participation in a Genomic project are highly desirable.

CHEMISTRY

Department Head Combinatorial Chemistry

The successful candidate will lead a team of chemists and will focus on the The successful candidate will lead a team of chemists and will focus on the discovery and optimization of small molecule lead compounds through the implementation of new high-throughput chemistry, closely interacting with molecular biologists and computational chemists. A Ph.D. in Chemistry and 5+ years of postdoctoral experience with a solid background in synthetic organic chemistry is required, as is expertise in combinatorial chemistry, particularly parallel synthesis and split-pool methodologies, as documented by a strong publication record in the field. Evidence of development of original methods in solid and solution phase synthesis complementing our ongoing efforts will be a plus. Leadership and communication skills are essential.

Oncology Research is centered at our labs in Nerviano, Italy, 20 km outside Milan. Send applications to: D. Didoni, Pharmacia & Upjohn, S.p.A., via R. Koch, 1.2, 20152, Milano, Italy,

METABOLIC DISEASES RESEARCH

Department Head Molecular Biology & Genomics

We are seeking a Ph.D. or M.D. with demonstrated competence in supervising a productive research group in the fields of Molecular Biology and/or Genomics or Bioinformatics. An internationally recognized track record of excellence and research accomplishments using molecular biology, genetics, bioinformatics, and other relevant tools to answer significant biological questions is preferred. Highly developed organizational and interpersonal skills are required. Knowledge of metabolic diseases and an understanding of the medical needs for new therapeutics in our priority disease areas are highly desirable. Experience working in the pharmaceutical industry is desirable.

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Molecular Genetics: This scientist will play a major role in advancing our genomic approaches to the dis-covery of new infectious disease targets.

Mycology: The successful candidate will be joining our fledgling and exciting antifungal discovery effort and will have responsibility for directing the work of 2-3 B.S./M.S. scientists.

Virology: This scientist will participate in our advanced programs in CMV and HCV research, as well as define new targets and approaches for antiviral drug discovery.

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Neuropharmacologist and Neuromolecular Biologists

We are seeking a Neuropharmacologist to develop and utilize etiologic models of neurologic and psychiatric diseases and a Neuromolecular Biologist who will use genomic information in the discovery of new therapeutic targets. Both scientists will be leaders in the development of models to test

new agents for the treatment of neurologic and psychiatric diseases. The successful candidates will lead labs of 2-5 M.S. and B.S. scientists and will investigate novel, efficacious, and safe therapeutic agents for the treatment of diseases such as Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, migraine, schizophrenia, anxiety, and depression. We invite dynamic, innovative neuroscientists to apply for these key leadership positions in our expanding CNS research organization. Candidates should have a Ph.D. with postdoctoral experience or the equivalent. Strong communication and problem-solving skills plus integrity, perseverance, good judgment, and a drive for results are essential. Successful candidates will show individual initiative while working in a team-based drug discovery effort.

Position #980219.

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POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWS AND CONFOCAL MICROSCOPIST

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- A. Ten Postdoctoral Associates in molecular genetics, neurobiology, cell physiology, and microbiology. For additional information, please e-mail the following Principal Investigators:
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 - 2. Sympathetic nervous system innervation of adipose tissue using viral tract tracers: **Dr. T. J. Bartness**, bartness@gsu.edu.
 - Viral RNA structures and their interactions with cell proteins: Dr. M. Brinton, biomab @ panther.gsu.edu or Dr. W. D. Wilson, chewdw @ panther.gsu.edu.
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Applications should include: letter of intent; curriculum vitae; and names, addresses, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses for five references.

Applications and nominations should be sent to:

Dr. Suresh Rao, Chair, Search and Screen Committee
Director, Center for Natural Resources
P.O. Box 110180
Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences

Institute of Food and Agricultural Sciences
University of Florida
Gainesville, FL 32611-0180

Ph: 352-846-2009; FAX: 352-846-2856 e-mail: cnr_director@gnv.ifas.ufl.edu

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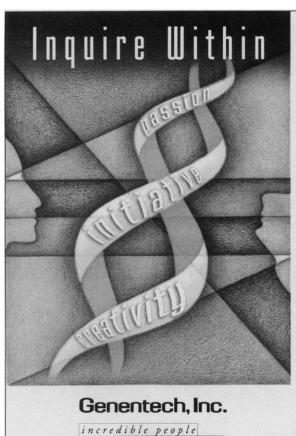
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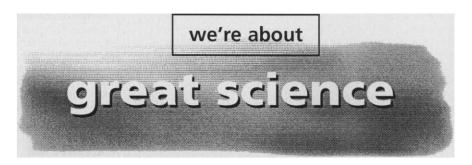
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Evelyn Bennett, Assistant Director, HRM Ref: Faculty Pennington Biomedical Research Center 6400 Perkins Road Baton Rouge, LA 70808

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Initial applications should include: 1) curriculum vitae containing education and training, research experience, awards, and a list of publications; 2) a statement describing research interests and experience, and how the proposed postdoctoral fellowship training relates to career goals; 3) one scientific reprint, which best describes the applicant's research results. The deadline for application is Friday, May 1, 1998.

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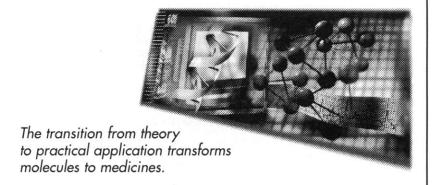
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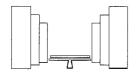


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M. Gordon Wolman

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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

The Department of Immunology and Infectious Diseases at the Harvard School of Public Health is seeking an Assistant Professor. The successful candidate will be expected to engage in a combination of research and teaching at the graduate level. Applicants should have a doctoral degree and evidence of postdoctoral research experience in molecular immunology with strong emphasis on gene transcription. The successful candidate will be expected to conduct research and teaching in the area of cytokine gene regulation. Applicants should send a statement of research interests, curriculum vitae, and names and addresses of three references to:

Dr. Tun-Hou Lee

Dr. Tun-Hou Lee Chair, Search Committee Department of Immunology and Infectious Diseases Harvard School of Public Health 651 Huntington Avenue MB: FXB/DIID3 Boston, MA 02115

Harvard University is committed to increasing the number of women and minorities in its faculty and especially encourages applications from such candidates.

INSECT PHYSIOLOGIST

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR of entomology, 12-month tenure-track appointment. The successful candidate will develop an independent research program, and teach an introductory course in physiology of insects and an advanced course in area of interest. A Ph.D. in entomology or other biological science with research expertise in insect physiology is required. Submit letter stating research and teaching goals, curriculum vitae, transcripts of postsecondary education, reprints, and names and addresses of three references to: Search Committee, Department of Entomology and Plant Pathology, Box 9775, Mississippi State, MS 39762-9775. Deadline: June 15, 1998. For additional information contact: Clarence Collison, Telephone: 601-325-2086; FAX: 601-325-8837; e-mail: chc@ea.msstate.edu. MSU is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

Neurobiology search extended. Drew University seeks NEUROBIOLOGIST for tenure-track, ASSIS-TANT PROFESSOR position to teach undergraduate courses and laboratories in neurobiology, and to coadvise the psychobiology major. Focus must be in biology rather than psychology or biochemistry. Starts September 1998. Qualifications: Ph.D., demonstrated excellence and interest in teaching, and commitment to research with undergraduates.

Send letter of application, curriculum vitae, three letters of reference, evidence of teaching excellence, and copies of select publications (maximum of three) to: Psychobiology Search Committee, Department of Biology, Drew University, Madison, NJ 07940.

Application deadline: May 15, 1998.

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POSITIONS OPEN

ASSISTANT OR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (N OR P) FOOD SAFETY

Division of Environmental and Occupational Health School of Public Health University of Minnesota

This is a new faculty position (100 percent-time, 12month, tenure or tenure-track) in the Division of Environmental and Occupational Health. Salary and rank will be commensurate with qualifications. The division is nationally recognized for strong academic specialties in environmental epidemiology, industrial hygiene, environmental policy, occupational and environmental medicine, occupational health nursing, environmental chemistry, environmental microbiology, and environmental toxicology. This position will expand the environmental microbiology specialty by adding the increasingly vital area of food safety. The successful applicant will develop an independent, externally funded research program, teach and advise Master's and doctoral students, and participate in outreach activities related to food safety. Qualifications include earned doctorate in related scientific discipline by date of hire, demonstrable research record relevant to food safety, and demonstrable teaching skills in food safety. Submit a curriculum vitae, a letter of interest, and names and addresses of three professional references to: Donald Vesley, Ph.D., Chair, Search Committee, Di-vision of Environmental and Occupational Health, School of Public Health, University of Minnesota, Box 807 Mayo, 420 Delaware Street S.E., Minneapolis, MN 55455. Applications will be accepted through July 15, 1998, or until a final selection is made.

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TENURE-TRACK ASSISTANT PROFESSOR

The Department of Physiology, College of Medicine, invites applications for a full-time tenure-track Assistant Professor position. The successful candidate will be a MAMMALIAN PHYSIOLOGIST who will develop an extramurally funded independent research program in the area of vascular biology and/or stroke. Initial support will be provided by the Howard Hughes Medical Research Resources Program for Medical Schools. Applicants must have a Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent, and postdoctoral experience in cellular/molecular approaches to physiological problems. The primary appointment will be in the Department of Physiology, with extensive interaction encouraged across departments of the Interdisciplinary Graduate Program in Biomedical Sciences at the Health Science Center. The candidate may complement current departmental and college strengths in the areas of hypertension, signal transduction, fetal/maternal physiology, neuroendocrinology, membrane transport and ion channels, developmental genetics, and other interests described at our website: http://www.med.ufl.edu/phys/index.html.Responsibilities will include participation in departmental teaching and educational programs. Submit a curriculum vitae, including a statement of research plans, and have three letters of reference sent to: Dr. Bruce R. Stevens, Search Committee Chair, Department of Physiology, College of Medicine, University of Florida, P.O. Box 100274, Gainesville, FL 32610-0274. Salary is negotiable. Application deadline is June 15, 1998, and anticipated start date is January 1, 1999. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

CHAIR: SCHUBOT AVIAN HEALTH CENTER. The Department of Pathobiology at Texas A&M University seeks applicants for the Schubot Avian Health Center Endowed Chair. Applicants should have a strong infectious disease background relating to an area of avian health, reproduction, management, genetics, or conservation. The successful applicant will have good interpersonal skills and will be expected to work toward increasing the Center's endowment and further developing the program to a nationally and internationally recognized level. Further information about the Department of Pathobiology is available on our website: http://www. cvm.tamu.edu/vtpb. Applications will be accepted until a suitable candidate is identified. Application procedure: applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, and the names and addresses of three references to: Schubot Search Committee, Department of Pathobiology, College of Veterinary Medicine, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX 77843-4467. Telephone: 409-845-5941; e-mail: mzemanek@cvm. tamu.edu. Texas A&M is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST

The Division of Radiation Oncology at City of Hope National Medical Center/Beckman Research Institute is seeking a highly motivated individual to establish an independent program in radiation research. Requires a Ph.D. and experience in radiation biology. A strong interest in the areas of radioimmunotherapy of solid tumors, radiation-induced DNA damage, and/or radiationchemotherapy interactions is highly desired. This individual would be expected to establish collaborations with ongoing research efforts both inside and outside the Division, which include programs in radioimmunotherapy, tumor immunology, molecular biology, bone marrow transplantation, gene therapy, and experimental thera-peutics. The Division of Radiation Oncology is active in basic, clinical, and translational research, with particular emphasis in multimodality and multidisciplinary approaches to cancer therapy. The City of Hope is an NCI-designated Comprehensive Cancer Center and Charter Member of the National Comprehensive Cancer Network. Salary and benefits are competitive and commensurate with level of experience. Please send curriculum striate with text of experience. Texas sente curriculars vitac to: Jeffrey Wong, M.D., Chairman, Division of Radiation Oncology, City of Hope National Medical Center, 1500 East Duarte Road, Duarte, CA 91010. E-mail: cohapply@smtplink.coh.org; FAX: 626-301-8182. Equal Opportunity Employer.

CHAIR DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY School of Medicine

Wake Forest University School of Medicine is seeking applications for the position of Professor and Chair of the Department of Biochemistry. The Department currently has 21 primary faculty members and strong research programs in protein structure and function, metabolism, and molecular biology. The Department has excellent medical and graduate school teaching programs. The successful candidate, in addition to having a nationally recognized research program, will have exceptional administrative and organizational skills to direct the Department's continued development and pursuit of academic excellence. Applications including a current curriculum vitae or nominations should be sent to:

Elizabeth Sherertz, M.D. Associate Dean for Faculty Services Wake Forest University School of Medicine Medical Center Boulevard Winston-Salem, NC 27157

Wake Forest University School of Medicine is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and especially encourages applications from women and minority candidates.

FACULTY POSITION CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL CENTER CINCINNATI, OHIO

The Division of Infectious Diseases is seeking an outstanding faculty member whose rank (INSTRUCTOR to FULL PROFESSOR) will be commensurate with qualifications. The candidate will be expected to collaborate in ongoing studies in rotavirus molecular genetics, immunology, and vaccine development as well as develop a funded and associated independent research program. The candidate will have a doctoral degree and a record of successful independent research in molecular virology or viral immunology.

Applicants should send a curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Richard L. Ward, Ph.D., Division of Infectious Diseases, Children's Hospital Medical Center, 3333 Burnet Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45229-3039. E-mail: wardd0@chmcc.org; FAX: 513-636-7682.

FACULTY POSITION

A tenure-track position at the ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR level is available. Preference will be given to an individual able to develop a strong independent research program yet able to interact with current faculty having research interests in aging, cancer, cardiovascular disease, or neurochemistry. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, a statement of research interests, and the names of three references to: Faculty Search Committee, Department of Biochemistry MS607, University of Kentucky College of Medicine, Lexington, KY 40536. The University of Kentucky is an Equal Opportunity Employer, and encourages applications from qualified women and minorities.

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Two Openings for POST-DOCTORAL ASSOCIATES or RESEARCH SCIENTISTS in the area of Global Climate Modeling

Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Center for Global Change Science (CGCS) seeks applicants with a Ph.D. in a field relevant to global climate modeling to participate in the research activities of MIT's Climate Modeling Initiative (CMI). The main goals of the CMI are to understand how the global climate system operates, to determine what the limits are to our ability to predict climate, to improve climate predictions and simulations of past climate on all time scales, and to provide a hierarchy of climate models for use by CGCS faculty and students in their research. There are two positions available, which can be filled at either the post-doctoral or starting research scientist level. We seek particularly candidates with degrees and experience in the fields of atmospheric science, oceanography, hydrology, or paleoclimate studies, and who have had experience with three dimensional models. Scientists with expertise in numerical and computational methods, physical parameterizations, diagnostics calculations, or model applications are all invited to apply. Salary will be commensurate with experience.

Interested candidates should send a copy of their curriculum vitae and names of three references to Prof. Peter Stone, MIT Room Center for Global Change Science 54-1718, Cambridge, MA 02139-4307, USA. Further information may be obtained by contacting the CGCS office MIT is (tel: 617-253-4902, fax: 617-253-0354, an eaual e-mail: globalchange@mit.edu), or by accessing obbortunity its web site at http://web.mit.edu/cgcs/www/. employer

NATIONAL CENTER FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY INFORMATION NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

RESEARCH BIOLOGIST - GS-401-13

The Information Engineering Branch of the National Center for Biotechnology Information seeks a Epidemiologist/Computational Biologist to develop software for producing, analyzing, displaying, and editing sequence alignments to facilitate the submission of population studies to GenBank and the usefulness of sequence data in NCBI public resources for retroviral epidemiology. Applications are invited from scientists having an M.D. or Ph.D. degree with significant years of postdoctoral experience. Applicants should have extensive knowledge of sequence alignment tools and algorithms, molecular population biology and epidemiology, and retrovirus biology. The position requires extensive experience with software development on UNIX, Macintosh, and MS windows using C in a production quality environment. U.S. citizenship is required. The salary will be in the range of \$51,00 to \$65,000 per year, depending on experience. Applications will be accepted if postmarked by 05/15/98. For further information please contact Dr. James Ostell at (301) 496-2475. Candidates should send applications including a curriculum vitae, bibliography, and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three referees directly to: Chair Search Committee, James M. Ostell, Ph.D., National Center for Biotechnology Information, National Library of Medicine, NIH, Building 38A, Room 8N805, Bethesda, MD 20894 USA.

Selection for this position will be based solely on merit, with no discrimination for nonmerit reasons such as race, color, religion, sex, national origin, politics, marital status, physical or mental disability, age, or membership or nonmembership in an employee organization.

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CELL MOTILITY CYTOSKELETON

Postdoctoral Positions University of Massachusetts Medical Center

Postdoctoral research positions are available in a number of the highly interactive laboratories studying cell motility and/or the cytoskeleton. Investigators and their areas of interest include:

 Roger Craig:
 Molecular structure and contractile mechanism of muscle

 Stephen Doxsey:
 Mitotic spindle and centrosome function, regulation, dynamics

 Mitsuo Ikebe:
 Motor function of myosin superfamily, regulation of cell motility

 Stephen Lambert:
 Membrane-cytoskeleton interactions in axonal function

 Elizabeth Luna:
 Membrane skeleton dynamics, motility, adhesion, signal transduction

 Dannel McCollum:
 Cell cycle control and cytokinesis in fission yeast

Peter Pryciak: Cell polarity, chemotaxis, and signal transduction in yeast
Greenfield Sluder: Control of mitosis, centrosome reproduction, cell cycle checkpoints
Richard Vallee: Microtubule motors, cytoskeleton, endocytosis

Yu-li Wang: Dynamics of the cytoskeleton in living cells
George Witman: Motor protein function and assembly; cilia and flagella
Zuoshang Xu: Neurodegeneration in ALS mouse models, neuronal cytoskeleton

Detailed descriptions of these research programs are available on the Cell Motility Group page at: http://www.ummed.edu/dept/ oor/motility.html.

Both beginning and senior postdoctorals are invited to apply. Applicants for postdoctoral positions in one or more of the listed laboratories should send a curriculum vitae, description of research experience, and names and addresses of three references to the investigator(s) of interest: c/o Andrea Werme, UMMC - Worcester Foundation Campus, 222 Maple Avenue, Shrewsbury, MA 01545 USA.

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TENURE-TRACK POSITION IN ENDOCRINE MOLECULAR GENETICS RESEARCH

The Developmental Endocrinology Branch, NICHD, is offering a tenure-track position for a clinical investigator to establish an independent research program employing state-of-the-art molecular genetic tools to investigate the etiology and/or treatment of pediatric endocrine diseases. Areas of research that would complement existing programs include, but are not limited to, developmental and neoplastic disorders of the adrenal and pituitary. Candidates should be Board-certified/eligible in Pediatric Endocrinology. Formal training (e.g., Board eligibility) in Human Genetics is highly desirable but not required. The successful candidate will have demonstrated previous success in both laboratory-based and clinical research as evidenced by a strong publication record. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. A tenure-track investigator will be supported for up to 6 years before tenure is required. Candidates should send a CV, a statement of research plans, and three letters of recommendation by June 30, 1998, to: Ms. Sue Perdue, NIH; Bldg. 10, Room 10N262; 10 Center Drive MSC 1982; Bethesda, MD 20892-1862. The NIH is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

VISITING ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN BIOLOGY

Two Visiting Assistant Professor positions are available for the 1998–99 academic year. Responsibilities will include teaching sections of general education biology, and possibly principles of biology I and II. Additional teaching opportunities may exist in the areas of developmental biology, genetics, and environmental science. A Ph.D. is required, and some university-level teaching experience is expected. Some research support can be provided.

The department contains 23 regular faculty, and has over 400 majors and a Master's program. Conway is a prosperous city of 40,000 located 30 minutes from Little Rock, yet close to pristine wild areas such as the Buffalo National River and Ozark Mountains.

Submit curriculum vitae, statement of teaching philosophy, evidence of teaching effectiveness, and the names of three references to: Dr. Paul Hamilton, Department of Biology, University of Central Arkansas, Conway, AR 72035. Application review will begin May 20th and continue until filled. For further information see website: http://www2.uca.edu/biology/bio_hp/. An Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action Employer.

RESEARCH SCIENTIST. The Clinical Branch of the National Eye Institute, National Institutes of Health, has an immediate position for a Research Scientist. Areas of laboratory investigation will include the role of cell adhesion molecules, costimulatory molecules, and cytokines in ocular inflammatory diseases caused by autoimmunity or allergy. Research will also encompass the immunologic analysis of specimens from patients with ocular inflammation.

Candidates should have a Ph.D. or M.D.-Ph.D. degree and experience in cellular or molecular immunology.

Please send your curriculum vitae and three references to the following address by June 1, 1998: Scott M. Whitcup, M.D., National Eye Institute, National Institutes of Health, 10/108221, 10 Center Drive—MSC 1863, Bethesda, MD 20892-1863. FAX: 301-496-7295.

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University of Pennsylvania Health System, Department of Psychiatry, is recruiting an ASSISTANT PROFES-SOR, tenure-track, to work within the newly created Center for Neurobiology and Behavior at the University of Pennsylvania. Applicants must have a strong academic background with postdoctoral experience in monkey cortical electrophysiology. Candidates interested in interdiciplinary research with an emphasis on cognitive neuroscience are of particular interest. Newly renovated laboratory space and attractive start-up package and benefits available. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dwight L. Evans, M.D., Professor and Chair, and Gary Aston-Jones, Ph.D., Professor, c/o Ava Plotnick, Department of Psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania, 305 Blockley Hall, 423 Guardian Drive, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

FOUNDATION GRANTS ADMINISTRATOR

Individual with a graduate degree in science sought to administer the awards program of the Cancer Research Fund of the Damon Runyon-Walter Winchell Foundation. This is a position that requires good management skills and a creative approach to maximizing the position. Office located in midtown Manhattan. Good benefits. Contact by mail:

Rebecca R. Kry
Executive Director
The Cancer Research Fund
of the Damon Runyon–Walter Winchell Foundation
675 Third Avenue, 25th Floor
New York, NY 10017

MEDICAL DIRECTOR CARDIOVASCULAR Ph.D., Pharm.D., or M.D.

Medical education firm seeks a Medical Director responsible for the content of preclinical and clinical cardiovascular projects.

Experience in reviewing, analyzing, and writing manuscripts concerned with cardiovascular clinical and basic research is required. Strong publication track record and familiarity with diseases like arrhythmias, hypertension, heart failure, and restenosis are highly desirable. Mail résumé to: Applied Clinical Communications, 1160 Parsippany Boulevard, Parsippany, NJ 07054. FAX: 973-316-5997; e-mail: jdagnese@appliedclinical.com.

POSITIONS OPEN



c2 Biotechnologies

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SENIOR SCIENTIST. Requires a Ph.D. and post-doctoral experience with expertise in the following combination of fields: genomics, fluorescence resonance energy transfer, sensitive optical detection, and basic experimental DNA techniques. Industry experience preferred. Successful track record of writing successful grants and strong oral communication skills a must. Enthusiastic and energetic individuals will thrive in the company's entrepreneurial corporate culture. Mail or FAX curriculum vitae, a list of references, and salary history to: c² Biotechnologies, Inc., Attn: Human Resources, 65 Brook Street, Boston, MA 02146. FAX: 617-731-8548.

PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR BASIC IMMUNOBIOLOGY NATIONAL INSTITUTE ON AGING

The Biology of Aging Program (BAP) of the National Institute on Aging (NIA) is seeking an oustanding Immunologist to direct, develop, and manage the Immunobiology of Aging extramural basic research program. Applications are invited from candidates with a strong research background in immunology, cellular or molecular immunology, or microbiology and demonstrated administrative skills. An established track record in obtaining funding and managing a research program is desirable. Responsibilities include providing scientific and professional leadership in the development, direction, coordination, and evaluation of the Immunobiology of Aging grant program at the NIA. The Immunobiology Program Administrator Position is at the GS-601-13/14 levels with an annual salary range of \$55,969 to \$85,978. To receive a FAX copy of the complete vacancy announcement, AG-98-840, ID # 1220, Telephone: 1-800-728-5627.

Please send your curriculum vitae or résumé and the Optional Application for Federal Employment Form (OF-612) or the Application for Federal Employment (SF-171) by June 30, 1998, to:

Christine Hartz NIA Personnel Office Building 31, Room 2C02 31 Center Drive MSC 2292 Bethesda, MD 20892-2292 Telephone: 301-496-5347

U.S. citizenship is required. NIH is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

SENIOR RESEARCH SCIENTIST DEPARTMENT OF NEUROLOGY University of California, San Francisco

Position immediately available for Ph.D. to direct protein expression and purification group that prepares proteins for structural studies. Requires six to ten years of experience in constructing expression vectors, expressing proteins in bacterial and mammalian cells, purifying the protein products, and characterizing their physical properties. Experience with protein crystallization is desirable but not required. Preferred skills include creative problem solving, clear and concise writing, constructive editing of manuscripts, strong leadership and organization. Salary and title is commensurate with experience and accomplishments. Send curriculum vitae and four letters of recommendation to: Steven Glaser, Department of Neurology, Box 0518, University of California, San Francisco, CA 94103. FAX: 415-476-8386. Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

PARKER COLLEGE RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Parker College of Chiropractic Research Institute is seeking an experienced Clinical Researcher to fill the position of ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR FOR CLINICAL RESEARCH. Applicants must have an earned Ph.D., D.C., M.D., and/or D.O., extensive clinical research training, and a history of publication and funding. Competitive salary commensurate with experience. Anticipated starting date September 1998. Please send curriculum vitae and research interests to: Parker College of Chiropractic, Suite #136, 2500 Walnut Hill Lane, Dallas, TX 75229. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

RESEARCH SCIENTIST GLOBAL CHANGE AND RIVER BASINS

Global change research group seeks Scientist to participate in a multidisciplinary impact study of human activity on the hydrology and biogeochemical dynamics of river basins. Duties include development and testing of surface hydrology/terrestrial nutrient loading models, statistical analysis, database management, technical documentation and scientific writing, project management, and workshop organization. Experience with GIS, UNIX-based workstations, and computer modeling preferred. Applicants must have a Ph.D. or a Master's with three years of professional experience. Strong quantitative background in environmental sciences/engineering, hydrology, geochemistry, ecology, or mathematics essential. This is a grant-funded position. Starting salary: \$35,710 to \$40,500. Résumés received by June 1, 1998, are assured full consideration. Please forward résumé to: Dr. Charles Vorosmarty, Institute for the Study of Earth, Oceans, and Space, University of New Hampshire, Morse Hall, Durham, NH 03824. Telephone: 603-862-1792; FAX: 603-862-0188; e-mail: charles.vorosmarty@unh.edu.

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Biomolecular materials RESEARCH CHEMIST ZP-1320-III (\$39,270 to \$61,432). The Biotechnology Division, National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), Department of Commerce, is seeking a Research Chemist for a two-year term appointment. Applicants must have specialized experience in physical biochemistry to ap-ply to measurements of model cell membranes for strucwith lipids and proteins, vibrational spectroscopy, and methods of surface analysis. Knowledge of diagnostics, tissue engineering, and/or pharmaceutical development is a plus. For technical details, contact: **Dr. Anne Plant, Telephone:** 301-975-3124; e-mail: anne.plant@nist.gov. Telephone: 301-926-4851 or visit website: http:// www.nist.gov/public_affairs/general2.htm for position requirements and copy of the vacancy announcement NIST/98-1516/CAH before submitting an application. Applications must be postmarked by June 12, 1998. Send to: NIST, Administration Building, Room A-123, Office of Human Resources Management, ATTN: NIST/98-1516/CAH, Gaithersburg, MD 20899. DoC/NIST is an Equal Employment/Affirmative Action Employer. U.S. citizenship required.

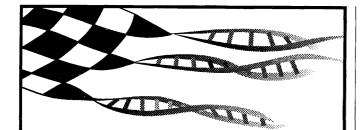
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR. The Department of Medicine at the Yale School of Medicine seeks an individual with at least four years of experience in molecular genetics to establish a research program on the genetics of renal and/or cardiovascular disease. The successful applicant should also have appropriate clinical training and Board certification to serve as a teaching attending in an internal medicine subspecialty (e.g., nephrology, cardiology). Tentative starting date September 1, 1998. Applicants should send curriculum vitae before May 15, 1998, to: Linda Chiaraluce, Associate Administrator, Department of Internal Medicine, Yale School of Medicine, P.O. Box 208029, New Haven, CT 06520-8029. An Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action Employer. Women and members of minority groups are particularly encouraged to apply.

THEORETICAL SYSTEMS NEUROBIOLOGY

Tenure-track, 12-month ASSISTANT PROFES-SOR position in theoretical neurobiology at the Institute of Neurobiology in Old San Juan Puerto Rico. Preference will be given to candidates who can apply novel theoretical approaches to the study of simple nervous systems and who can combine modeling and experimental techniques. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, a statement of current and future research interests, and the names of three references to: Director, Institute of Neurobiology, 201 Boulevard del Valle, Old San Juan, Puerto Rico, 00901.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Research Assistant position available immediately to study the role of vascular mediators in intrauterine growth restriction and preeclampsia using animal model systems. Candidates must have a B.S./M.S. An interest in animal surgery and experience in molecular biology required. Please send curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Larry G. Thaete, Ph.D., Division of Maternal-Fetal Medicine, Evanston Hospital, Evanston, IL 60201.



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Manager, Confocal Imaging Facility Experimental Immunology Branch of the National Cancer Institute

The Experimental Immunology Branch (EIB) of the National Cancer Institute (NCI) invites applications for a Staff Scientist position to function as Manager of a Confocal Imaging Facility. Typical applicants will have an advanced degree in immunology, cell biology, or allied fields. The applicant must have extensive experience using laser scanning confocal microscopy, digital imaging, and video microscopy in cell biological applications. The applicant should have a wide range of computer skills that facilitate image capture and analysis, and preferably have some programming skills. The applicant would manage and run a core facility to support the imaging need for the EIB, which is a highly interactive group of about 50 scientists conducting research in molecular and cellular immunology. The applicant will be expected to apply new imaging technologies as they emerge. Salary range is between \$54–70,000 depending on qualifications and experience. Applicants should send curriculum vitae, bibliography, statement of career directions, and three letters of reference to:

> Ms. Karen Augustine National Institute of Health 10 Center Drive Bldg. 10 Room 4B17 MSC 1360 Bethesda, MD 20892-1360

Applications should be postmarked by July 15, 1998.

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GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES



RIKEN BRAIN SCIENCE INSTITUTE, Japan LABORATORY HEADS IN ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT CENTER

RIKEN, the Institute for Physical and Chemical Research (http://www.riken.go.jp) in Tokyo launched the Brain Science Institute (RBSI) (Science 275:1562, 276:1011; Nature 382:105) in October 1997. The Institute has established an Advanced Technology Development Center (ATDC) in addition to three research areas: understanding, protecting, and creating the brain. The novel characteristics of this unique ATDC are described below.

Science and technology are the two legs that support modern civilization. Many scientific discoveries owe much to technical innovations, while technical advances are often stimulated by scientific breakthroughs. The ATDC consists of research laboratories involved in the development of physico-chemichal measurement technologies and cell biological methods and materials for brain science. The primary research thrust is the creation of innovative technologies for brain science. The laboratories play an important role in the technological advancement program of the Institute. Two already established ATDC laboratories are entitled: Neural Architecture and Behavioral Genetics. These laboratories are focusing on new immunocytochemical methods and gene manipulation technologies with the aim of bringing innovations which will improve the information derived from these methods.

The ATDC is planned to establish two other laboratories late in 1998. The focus of the laboratories will be determined by the laboratory head, but should be in one of the following general areas: New non-invasive measurement techniques including optical recording (instrumentation, markers, etc.) or image analysis, and new biological methods and materials including cell and tissue culture or transplantation. The laboratory head will be generously supported and will be responsible for recruiting 5–10 members of his/her. The laboratory head will be reviewed every 5 years by an international panel of experts and can continue the laboratory when a good evaluation is given. Applications are encouraged from around the world, but the person will be required to work at RBSI full time.

Applicants should submit a proposed project (not more than 1,000 words), along with a full curriculum vitae listing all publications and the name, address, and telephone number of three references to: Search Committee #3, Brain Science Institute, RIKEN, 2-1 Hirosawa, Wako, Saitama, 351-0198 Japan, FAX: +81-48-467-9692, E-mail: search3@brain.riken.go.jp.

Deadline for application: July 31, 1998

POSITIONS OPEN

MANAGER OF TECHNOLOGY ACQUISITION AND LICENSING

Seminis, the world's largest vegetable seed company, seeks applicants for the position of Worldwide Manager of Technology Acquisition and Licensing at its Woodland, California, Research and Development Headquarters. The incumbent will be responsible for identifying and evaluating new technologies, particularly biotechnology, and on a worldwide basis. The position will also be responsible for all licensing and research agreements for Seminis Department. The position requires a Ph.D. In plant molecular biology or related field, significant experience in contracts and licensing, and strong organizational, interpersonal, and management skills. Compensation will be commensurate with experience. Please send letter, résumé, and references to: Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Attn: Human Resources, 37437 State Highway 16, Woodland, CA 95695. FAX: 530-666-3198; e-mail: donald.greenbaum@svseeds.com. Applications must be marked: "EG-498." Seminis Vegetable Seeds is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, is recruiting an individual to fill a RESEARCH POSITION. The candidate must hold an M.D. or Ph.D. degree, have national/international visibility as an Investigator, and have a track record of sustained federal funding in the United States or its equivalent abroad. His/her research interest should be relevant to gastroenterology and/or hepatology. The Mayo Clinic provides an outstanding research environment with substantial intramural support. Academic rank will be commensurate with the individual's experience. Interested applicants should submit a statement of research interests, curriculum vitae, bibliography, and a list of references to: Dr. Nicholas F. LaRusso, Chair, Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, Mayo Clinic, 200 First Street S.W., Rochester, MN 55905. E-mail: thornton.lisa@mayo.edu. Deadline for application is July 1, 1998. Mayo Foundation is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Educator and Employer.

APPLICATION SCIENTIST

Biacore, Inc. (website: http://www.biacore.com), the world leader in novel biosensor technology for the analysis of biomolecular interactions, has an opening for an Associate Application Scientist at our U.S. headquarters in Piscataway, New Jersey. Responsibilities include customer training and telephone support, product demonstrations, and the development of new applications for biomolecular characterization. B.S. or M.S. with two to five years of postgraduate laboratory experience in biochemistry, biophysics, protein characterization, and/or assay development. Strong written and verbal communication skills required. Instrumentation background and knowledge of kinetics would be a plus. Send résumé with references and salary history/requirements to: Human Resources, Biacore, Inc., 200 Centennial Avenue, Suite 200, Piscataway, NJ 08854. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer. Minoritics/Females/Disabled/Veterans.

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Send résumé to:

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ASSOCIATE RESEARCH SCIENTIST

Position open for individual with Ph.D. degree and several years of research experience in cell and molecular biology with a focus on secretion of proteins from cultured hepatocytes. Particular expertise in hepatic assembly of lipoproteins is desired. Individual must have a proven track record of conducting and publishing independent research. Please send curriculum vitae to: Department of Medicine, Columbia University, 630 West 168th Street, Room P&S 9-510, New York, NY 10032. We take Affirmative Action toward Equal Employment Opportunity.

POSITIONS OPEN

Keck Graduate Institute of Applied Life Sciences, founded in 1997 as a member of the Claremont Colleges consortium in California, is recruiting an innovative and interdisciplinary FOUNDING FACULTY. Fields of particular interest include bioinstrumentation, biochemical process engineering, and bioinformatics. Further information at website: www.kgi.edu. Contact: Bonnie Busenberg, 1263 North Dartmouth, Claremont, CA 91711. Telephone: 909-607-7853; e-mail: bonnie_busenberg@kgi.edu.

ENVIRONMENTAL SPECTROSCOPY POSITION

The William R. Wiley Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory (EMSL) at Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (PNNL) is seeking an Environmental Spectroscopist(s) to work within its Environmental Dynamics and Simulation directorate. The EMSL is a national user facility with overall focus on environmental molecular science. The position involves the performance of original grant-supported research and the mentoring and support of collaborators using the EMSL facility. Candidates are sought to apply spectroscopic techniques including vibrational spectroscopy/microscopy, scanning probe microscopy, electron paramagnetic resonance, and/or optical spectroscopy methods to the study of chemical reaction at the mineral water or microbe-water interface.

Many other techniques, including access to a synchrotron beamline with X-ray microprobe capability and state-of-the-art UHV microscopy and spectroscopy, are available for application in research, but the laboratory specifically seeks candidates with strength and experience in the techniques mentioned above to complement existing staff. The laboratory will consider hiring at one of two levels. The lower level requires a Ph.D. in geochemistry, environmental chemistry, or related fields and documented capability to perform and publish high-caliber research. The upper level is more senior and requires a strong record of publications and grantsmanship in the environmental/geochemical sciences, and documented program development skills in addition to the other criteria.

Battelle Memorial Institute operates Pacific Northwest National Laboratory for the U.S. Department of Energy. Résumés and inquiries should be directed to: Battelle Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Attn: Department 10-2082-091-MJH, P.O. Box 999, Richland, WA 99352. E-mail: mary.heaton@pnl.gov. Battelle PNNL is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer and supports diversity in the workplace. Women, minorities, disabled and Vietnam-era veterans, and disabled persons are strongly encouraged to apply.

Administrative position. HEAD, DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES at the Oregon State University College of Veterinary Medicine. The departmental faculty have academic, research, and service responsibilities in anatomy, physiology, microbiology, pathology, and toxicology. Ph.D. required; preference given for the D.V.M. Demonstrated abilities in extramurally funded research, budget management, and leadership required. For information: Telephone: 541-737-2098; email: rarickd@ccmail.orst.edu. Application deadline is June 15, 1998. Oregon State University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

NMR SPECTROSCOPIST UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

The University of Delaware seeks an NMR Spectroscopist to manage its facility. For full details on the position and deadlines, check our website: http://www.udel.edu/dybowski/bhnmr.htm. Or contact: Telephone: 302-831-6770.

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MATERIAL SCIENTIST

Trained in ceramics, polymers, and metals and their application as biomaterials in medical devices, especially blood-contacting medical devices.

Please send your résumé to:

Kriton Medical, Inc. P.O. Box 4225 Citrus Heights, CA 95610 E-mail: kriton@kritonmedical.com

POSITIONS OPEN

RESEARCH ASSOCIATES IN SPACE BIOLOGY SPECIAL PROGRAM FOR MINORITY APPLICANTS

The advances in the Space Shuttle Program and development of the Space Station have allowed the development of space biology science that offers exceptional opportunities for research. NASA is offering Research Associate Awards in a special program for minorities at the postdoctoral level for scientists to conduct space biology research in a university laboratory or nongovernmental research institute of your choice that can provide the necessary facilities and research environment. Projects should be in the gravitational and space biology discipline. The awards are \$20,000 for the first year and have the possibility of renewal at \$22,000 for a second year. Funding will begin July 1 to October 1, 1998. This is a special program for minority applicants, and U.S. citizens and permanent resident aliens with Ph.D., M.D., D.V.M., D.M.D., or equivalent degrees are eligible to apply. Proposals are due June 30, 1998. For information and application booklet contact: Dr. Gerald Sonnenfeld, Department of General Surgery Research, Carolinas Medical Center, P.O. Box 32861, Charlotte, NC 28232. Telephone: 704-355-2639; FAX: 704-355-7203.

SENIOR RESEARCH INVESTIGATOR. The Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research in the Department of Pathology and Laboratory Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania invites applications for a Senior Research Investigator. The candidate should hold a Ph.D. degree in neurobiology and should have five years of postdoctoral experience in neurodegenerative research. Duties include maintenance of a brain bank, supervision of Fellows, students, and technicians in neurohistology studies. The applicant is expected to be familiar with quantitative microscopy, electronic imaging techniques, confocal microscopy, and to conduct research in Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases.

Curriculum vitae, bibliography, and three references should be submitted to: John Q. Trojanowski, M.D., Ph.D., Co-Director of the Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research, University of Pennsylvania, 3rd Floor Maloney Building, 3400 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104-4283. FAX: 215-349-5909; email: florence@mail.med.upenn.edu. The University of Pennsylvania is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY

The Hurley Research Group at The University of Texas at Austin has two Postdoctoral positions available in studies related to the effect of drugs on transcriptional control and design and synthesis of telomerase inhibitors. Experience in *in vitro* transcription experiments, protein-DNA binding studies, or synthetic organic chemistry is required.

Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Laurence H. Hurley, Ph.D. College of Pharmacy, PHR 3.206 The University of Texas at Austin Austin, TX 78712

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Princeton University. Applications are solicited for POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology. Areas include ecological and evolutionary genetics; speciation; molecular evolution; RNA evolution; evolutionary ecology; behavioral ecology; theroretical ecology; population and community ecology; physiology, neuroscience, and behavior; epidemiology of infectious diseases; global interactions among the biosphere, atmosphere, oceans, and climate; and conservation biology. Ph.D. required. Please send curriculum vitae, letter describing research interests, and names of three references to: Department Manager, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ 08544. Princeton University is an Equal Opportunity/Affinnative Action Employer.

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OriGene Technologies Inc. is a rapidly growing biotechnology company located in close proximity to NIH. We are seeking outstanding MOLECULAR BIOLOGISTS who have strong interests in developing innovative solutions for gene cloning and functional genomics. Please send curriculum vitae to: James A. Riley, OriGene Technologies Inc., 13 Taft Court, Suite 111, Rockville, MD 20850.

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Departments of Engineering Science & Physiology

Vacancy 957SNC

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Applicants should have a PhD and experience in developing instruments for precision low level measurements. Some familiarity with the finite element method, signal processing, or experimental physiology is desirable.

Salary will be NZ\$45,250 per annum.

Resumes with details of academic record and research experience, along with the addresses of two referees should be sent to the Human Resources Adviser, Faculty of Medicine and Health Science, The University of Auckland, Private Bag 92019, Auckland, New Zealand, by 15 May 1998.

Further information is available from Dr Poul Nielsen, telephone 64-9-373 7599 ext 8391, fax 64-9-373 7468, email: p.nielsen@auckland.ac.nz. For general information about The University of Auckland visit our website at: www.auckland.ac.nz

Please quote Vacancy 957SNC in all correspondence.

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Post-doctoral positions

Who we are

One of the primary missions of the preclinical CNS research department at F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd in Basel (Switzerland) is to investigate novel approaches to the therapy of affective and neurological disorders and to discover and develop drugs offering major therapeutic advances.

The positions

To plan, develop, validate, and conduct novel test paradigms for the therapy of CNS disorders with the goal of identifying novel antidepressants, antipsychotics, anxiolytics, and cognition enhancers. To collaborate on interdisciplinary teams with specialists in other scientific areas. To stay abreast with the latest research advances. Publication of research findings is strongly encouraged. Several positions are available which require different levels of post-graduate experience.

Who you are

You have a Ph.D. in biological or medical sciences with a solid background in state-of-the-art techniques in behavioral pharmacology (such as intracerebral stimulation and recording, microneurosurgery, operant conditioning, etc.). A basic knowledge of biochemistry and molecular biology would be advantageous. Experience in setting up test systems, including associated computer programming, would be useful. Proven research skills in a relevant research area and basic computer skills are prerequisites. You are fluent in English (a good command of German or French is desirable).

Who to contact

If the above profile fits your background and experience and you are interested in such a challenging post-doctoral position then please forward full application documentation to our Human Resources Department, attn. of Mr. W. Aschwanden, F. Hoffmann-La Roche Ltd, P.O. Box, CH-4070 Basel, quoting reference As613.

POSITIONS OPEN

SENIOR MEMBER AND DIRECTOR OF THE LABORATORY FOR ATHEROSCLEROSIS RESEARCH Tampa Bay Research Institute

Tampa Bay Research Institute (TBRI) is an independent, nonprofit research organization located on a small lake in the beautiful Tampa Bay area. The Institute is based in a modern facility with excellent laboratories suitable for research on molecular biology, virology, and immunology research of human chronic debilitating diseases.

TBRI announces a national search for an experienced Investigator to assume responsibility as the Director of the newly endowed Laboratory for Research on Atherosclerosis. Applicants should have a Ph.D. or M.D. or equivalent training, engaged in peer-reviewed, funded program, a minimum of seven years of postdoctoral research experience, and evidence of sustained productive, independent research.

Qualified individuals are encouraged to apply for the position of Senior Member and Laboratory Director. Applications should include a curriculum vitae and a statement of research interests to:

Chair, Search Committee Tampa Bay Research Institute 10900 Roosevelt Boulevard St. Petersburg, FL 33716

NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASE POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

Applicants are sought for Postdoctoral openings in a close-knit neurodegenerative disease research group to work under the mentorship of Dr. J. Eberwine, Dr. V. M.-Y. Lee, Dr. J. Q. Trojanowski, and/or Dr. B. Wolf on the cell and molecular biology of mechanisms of Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, and related diseases using models and patient-derived samples. The program emphasizes state-of-the-art model systems (e.g., human neuron cultures, transgenic mice) and methods (e.g., "single cell" mRNA expression profiling, viral expression vectors, confocal microscopy).

Candidates should be M.D's or Ph.D's in neurobiology with a strong commitment to neurodegenerative disease research. Curriculum vitae, bibliography, and three references should be submitted to: Ms. Karen Engel, c/o Director of the Center for Neurodegenerative Disease Research, University of Pennsylvania, 3rd Floor Maloney Building, 3400 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104-4283. FAX: 215-349-5909; e-mail: engelk@mail.med.upenn.edu. The University of Pennsylvania is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

A Postdoctoral position at the Harvard Medical School is open immediately to conduct research in the areas of oncogenesis and signal transduction. The appropriate candidate would be involved in the functional characterization of novel tyrosine kinases and novel tyrosine phosphatases in hematopoietic and endothelial cells. A working knowledge of molecular and cell biology is essential for this project. Please send curriculum vitae and three references to:

Jerome E. Groopman, M.D.
Chief, Division of Experimental Medicine
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
Harvard Institutes of Medicine
4 Blackfan Circle
Boston, MA 02115
FAX: 617-975-5244

CELL BIOLOGIST/BIOCHEMIST

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW position is available in the Medicine Department, Brigham and Women's Hospital/Harvard Medical School to study the role of cysteine proteases in MHC class II antigen presentation and immunity. Experience in immunology, cell culture, and mouse models preferred. Send curriculum vitae to:

Dr. Harold Chapman Pulmonary and Critical Care Brigham and Women's Hospital 75 Francis Street Boston, MA 02115 FAX: 617-732-7421

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POSITIONS OPEN



POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

Seeking two Postdoctoral Fellows experienced in the field of DNA repair on extremely DNA damage-resistant bacterium Deinococcus radiodurans. Positions are located in the Department of Pathology, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, Maryland. One position will address recombination systems studies in vivo and in vitro. The other position will investigate the role of chromosome structure in DNA damage-resistance, and will call for techniques of molecular biology, electron microscopy, and light microscopy including confocal and CellScan deconvolution microscopy with FISH. For more information, e-mail: kminton@usuhs.mil. We offer a comprehensive benefits package. Send curriculum vitae to:

Human Resources Department Attn: PL#2980150, —151 Henry M. Jackson Foundation for the Advancement of Military Medicine 1401 Rockville Pike, Suite 600 Rockville, MD 20652 E-mail: hr@mall.hjf.org

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COMPUTATIONAL/SIMULATION POSTDOCTORAL/VISITING SCIENTISTS

Position One: Computational metallo-organic biochemistry. Will focus on describing transition metal containing enzymatic reactions using high-level ab initio and/or DFT computational methods. Subsequent forcefield development for molecular dynamics simulations to better understand fundamental dynamics motions. Opportunity to work with experimentalists toward rational enzyme redesign.

Position Two: Protein-ligand molecular dynamic simulations and drug design. Will focus on molecular dynamics simulations of proteins with ligands and different solvents. Will work closely with experimental collaborators on rational drug design projects.

These are one-year positions, but renewable for several years with mutual consent. Candidates must have a strong publication record and be highly motivated. Exceptional candidate could have opportunity for long-term position. Must be able to work with others and by self. Stipend \$36,000 or higher depending on qualifications, plus medical, plus some relocation expenses. Positions are available starting summer or fall 1998, but will consider waiting for exceptional candidate. Send résumé, three reprints, and e-mail addresses of three professional references to: Dr. Rick L. Ornstein, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Battelle-Northwest, Mailstop k1-83, Richland, WA 99352. FAX: 509-375-6904; e-mail: rl_ornstein@pnl.gov.

Two POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS beginning immediately, in a major research laboratory concerned with all aspects of the biochemistry, molecular biology, and endocrinology of vitamin D and its biologically active hormone 1,25(OH)₂-vitamin D₃. Both Postdoctoral positions to work on the mechanisms of how the steroid hormone 1α,25(OH)₂-vitamin D₃ interacts with its receptors to affect regulation of gene transcription, cell differentiation events, and rapid responses. The focus will be on molecular biological approaches and site-directed mutagenesis. Salary approximately \$27,000. Send curriculum vitae and names and telephone numbers of three references to: Dr. Anthony W. Norman, Biochemistry Department, University of California, Riverside, CA 92521. FAX: 909-787-4784; e-mail: norman@ucracl.ucr.edu. University of California is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY. The Fox Chase Cancer Center is seeking a PROFESSIONAL to develop and maintain state-of-the-art bioinformatics software, as a participant in research including genetics, protein structure, cell biology, and more. You should have strong programming experience, ideally including standard bioinformatics tools, UNIX, C, Perl, Java, relational databases, data warehousing and mining. Strong computer science, biology, and/or mathematics desired. Please forward a letter of application including salary requirements and résumé to: Human Resources, c/o Marianne Green, Attn: Bioinformatics, Fox Chase Cancer Center, 7701 Burholme Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111. FAX: 215-728-2682. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH POSITION BETH ISRAEL DEACONESS MEDICAL CENTER Harvard Medical School

Two positions will be available July 1, 1998. To use gene targeting, transgenic, and other molecular biology approaches to investigate mechanisms important in the pathogenesis of obesity. Molecules being studied include uncoupling proteins 1, 2, and 3, adrenergic receptors, bring in neuropeptides, and neuropeptide receptors.

Applicants must have Ph.D. and/or M.D. degrees and

Applicants must have Ph.D. and/or M.D. degrees and productive research experience as evidenced by publications in the areas of molecular biology or mitochondrial biochemistry. Send, e-mail, or FAX curriculum vitae, a description of research interests, and three letters of reference to:

Bradford Lowell, M.D., Ph.D.
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
RN-320, Division of Endocrinology
330 Brookline Avenue
Boston, MA 02215
E-mail: blowell@bidmc.harvard.edu
FAX: 617-667-2927

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION MOLECULAR NEUROSCIENCE ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

The Department of Psychiatry at The Mount Sinai Medical Center has a position available immediately to study mechanisms of inflammation in Alzheimer's and transgenic mouse models of Alzheimer's disease at the level of gene expression. Candidates with molecular biological, neuroanatomical, and cell culture expertise are strongly encouraged to apply for this position.

Qualified candidates should forward curriculum vitae and the names of three references to: Giulio Maria Pasinetti, M.D., Ph.D., Director, Neuroinflammation Research Laboratory, Department of Psychiatry, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, One Gustave L. Levy Place, New York, NY 10029-6574. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer fostering diversity in the workplace.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study the neuroanatomy and neurophysiology of afferent regulation of brain monoaminergic neurons. The successful applicant will join the newly created Laboratory of Neuromodulation and Behavior, a group that integrates multiple neuroscience techniques to study noradrenergic and dopaminergic brain systems. Applicants must have a strong academic background and either neuroanatomy or neurophysiology experience. Competitive salary and benefits. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Gary Aston-Jones, Professor, Department of Psychiatry, University of Pennsylvania, VA Medical Center (151), University and Woodland Avenues, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

RESEARCH POSITIONS CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

One LABORATORY DIRECTOR and one POST-DOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study cellular and molecular aspects of hypertension. Applicants must have Ph.D. or M.D. with extensive experience in molecular biology and genetics. In addition, to study pathogenesis of hypertensive kidney disease. Send résumé and three references to: Dr. Harry Ward, Chief, Division of Nephrology and Hypertension, King/Drew Medical Center, 12021 South Wilmington Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90059. FAX: 213-563-4924; Telephone: 310-668-3177.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available in early 1998 to study the molecular genetics of human gynecologic cancers. Candidates must have the Ph.D. degree and a strong background in basic techniques of cell and molecular biology and molecular genetics, such as cell culture, molecular cloning, PCR, sequencing, and mutation analysis. Salary commensurate with experience. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Jeff Boyd, Department of Surgery, Box 201, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1275 York Avenue, New York, NY 10021. MSKCC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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You will be involved in the identification of novel genomic targets using molecular biology techniques and bioinformatics.

Qualifications include a Ph.D in molecular biology and 4-5 years of postdoctoral experience. You will have a strong background in methods such as mRNA isolation, cDNA library construction, differential screening, subtractive hybridization, and cDNA cloning. A strong background in bioinformatics would be an advantage.

Motivation, flexibility, as well as excellent communication and collaborative skills are required. Knowledge of French is not essential.

The post will be based at Rueil-Malmaison, on the western outskirts of Paris.

If you are interested, please forward your application (CV and covering letter) quoting the reference GG2 to: **SYNTHELABO RECHERCHE** - Human Resources Department - 10, rue des Carrières - 92500 RUEIL MALMAISON FRANCE





University of Zürich

The Faculty of Sciences of the University of Zürich invites applications for the position of a

Full Professor of Physical Chemistry

Ideally, research activities would focus on experimental physical chemistry with a biophysical emphasis, but related subjects will also be considered. There is a neutron spallation source (SINQ) and a synchrotron radiation source (SLS) at the Paul Scherrer Institute near Zürich, with easy access for external research groups. Besides active research we expect the participation in physical chemistry at all levels teaching and in the directorship of the Institute for Physical Chemistry. Please submit applications with a curriculum vitae, a list of

publications, details on teaching experience, and a short program of research intentions before May 31, 1998, to the Dekan der Philosophischen Fakultat II der Universitat Zürich, Prof. Dr. V. Ziswiler, Winterthurerstr. 190, CH-8057 Zürich.

For further information, please contact Prof. H. Fischer, Physikalisch-Chemisches Institut, Winterthurerstrasse 190, CH-8057 Zürich, Tel: +41 1 635 44 21, Fax: +41 1 635 68 13, E-mail: hfischer@pci.unizh.ch.

Suggestions for suitable candidates are also welcome.



Universität Zürich

The Faculty of Sciences (Philosophische Fakultät II) of the University of Zürich invites applications for the position of a

Professor of Plant Biology Plant Developmental Biology

at the Institute of Plant Biology. The position is intended to strengthen the Institute's molecular focus in research and should concentrate on the analysis of model systems and the use of modern approaches in plant genomics to study plant development and closely related research areas.

Applicants must have an internationally competitive research program and outstanding scientific achievements in the field of plant developmental biology or closely related areas. The appointment will be made at the level of associate (Extraordinarius) or full professor (Ordinarius), depending on the qualifications of the candidate.

The successful applicant is expected to participate in general teaching in plant biology as well as in more advanced courses. Applicants are invited to submit a curriculum vitae, a publication list, a short summary of current and future research interests, copies of five recent key publications and names, addresses, and phone/fax numbers of three potential references by May 28, 1998, to: Dekan der Philosophischen Fakultät II der Universität Zürich, Prof. Dr. V. Ziswiller, Winterthurerstr. 190, CH-8057 Zürich.

For further information please contact Prof. Dr. B. Keller, Institute of Plant Biology, Phone +41 1 385 4230, FAX +41 1 385 4204. E-mail: bkeller@botinst.unizh.ch.

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We are looking for several aggressive POSTDOCTORAL CANDIDATES to begin in the fall of 1998, who possess a strong publication record in the areas of molecular biology, cell biology, or protein biochemistry. Skills in one or more of the following fields are desired: expression vector design, coimmunoprecipitation, flow cytometry, enzymatic assay development, mammalian cell culture, gene knockouts, and retroviral research. Prior experience with 2D-gels and mass spectrometry useful. Excellent motivation and teamwork skills are essential.

Individuals are expected to work closely with Senior Scientists to analyze novel targets in Rigel's functional pathway database and will be encouraged to publish. Rigel offers competitive salaries, benefits, and equity participation.

Please send letter of inquiry and curriculum vitae to: Human Resources, JOB CODE # PD3-98-SC, Rigel, Inc., 772 Lucerne Drive, Sunnyvale, CA 94086. FAX: 408-736-1588. Website: www.rigelinc.com. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION AT EMORY BLOOD PRESSURE CONTROL

NIH-funded Postdoctoral position available to study the role of angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) in blood pressure control and renal development. Mice with an ACE knockout present with extremely low blood pressure, a developmental defect of the renal medulla, and the inability to concentrate urine (*Lab. Invest.* 74:953–965, 1966; *JCI* 99:2375–2385, 1977). The project will be to create and study mice, made using homologous recombination, that express ACE only in selected tissues. This is a wonderful project for someone interested in physiology or vascular biology. Requirements: M.D. or Ph.D. *Requires American citizenship or permanent U.S. residency*. Reply to: Ken Bernstein, Department of Pathology, Emory University, Atlanta, GA 30322. E-mail: kbernst@emory.edu.

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RESEARCH INVESTIGATOR

Ph.D. degree; advanced academic knowledge of molecular biology, cell immunology, and autoimmune disease. 10-plus years of experience.

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW

Ph.D. degree; advanced knowledge of microbiology, bacteriology, and virology. Strong experience with immunoassays, bacterial and viral culture.

Contact: Allergy/Internal Medicine, University of Michigan Medical Center, 9220 MSRB III, 1150 West Medical Center Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48109-0648. FAX: 734-936-2990; e-mail: cverweij@umich.edu.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available for in vivo studies of memory B cell development and the mechanism of somatic mutagenesis. Candidates should have a solid background in molecular immunology and flow cytometry. Studies will involve high-resolution cell sorting by FACS and optical trapping technology, single-cell/molecular PCR and transgene-targeting. Send curriculum vitae to: Dr. Lawrence J. Wysocki, Division of Basic Sciences K902, National Jewish Medical and Research Center, 1400 Jackson Street, Denver, CO 80206. FAX: 303-270-2182; e-mail: wysockil@njc.org. Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action Institution.

POSITIONS OPEN

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP HYBRIDOMA CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL AND BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

A position is available for a Postdoctoral Scientist in the Hybridoma Center for Agricultural and Biological Sciences of Oklahoma State University. This core facility provides services in generation of monoclonal and polyclonal antibodies; antibody purification; scale-up of antibody production; serological assay performance and development/consultation with researchers; and instruction regarding antibody-based technologies. Qualifications for this position include a Ph.D., or equivalent degree, in immunology, microbiology, biochemistry, cell biology, molecular biology, or related discipline; experience in monoclonal and polyclonal antibody production and screening; isolation and purification of immunoglobulins; and performance of serological assays. Experience with bioreactors and antibody-like phage display libraries would be helpful.

To apply submit a letter of application containing a description of experience related to this position along with names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to: Dr. Stephen Wikel, Professor and Endowed Chair, Department of Entomology and Plant Pathology, 127 Noble Research Center, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK 74078-3033.

To be assured full consideration, applications must be received by June 1, 1998. The search will continue until a suitable applicant is identified.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION

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We are expanding our investigations into the molecular basis of myotonic dystrophy (Science p. 737, 1 May 1998 issue). We will identify genes regulated posttranscriptionally by CUG-BP, characterize the role of a novel CUG-BP isoform in myotonic dystrophy and regulated pre-mRNA splicing, and establish a mouse model for myotonic dystrophy. An additional project involves novel approaches for tissue-specific expression of therapeutic gene products using regulated RNA processing. A strong background in molecular biology or biochemistry is required. Send or e-mail curriculum vitae, a description of research experience and future goals, and names of three references (including telephone and e-mail) to: Dr. Tom Cooper, Department of Pathology, Baylor College of Medicine, One Baylor Plaza, Houston, TX 77030. Telephone: 713-798-3141; FAX: 713-798-5838; e-mail: tcooper@bcm.tmc.edu. BCM is an Equal Opportunity/Affimative Action/Equal Access Employer.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available June 1, 1998, in neuroimmunology. The laboratory focuses on abnormal immune-brain interactions, and the current ongoing research projects are in multiple sclerosis, schizophrenia, and ALS. Applicants must have extensive experience in molecular biology and immunology. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. Saud A. Sadiq, Program Director, Department of Neurology, St. Luke's-Roosevelt Hospital Center, Antenucci Building, 432 West 58th Street, Room 117, New York, NY 10019. FAX: 212-523-8859. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Molecular Neurobiologist/Neuroimmunologist (POSTDOCTORAL/RESEARCH ASSOCIATE/INSTUCTOR) to join multidisciplinary neuroscience group pursuing studies on cellular and molecular mechanisms by which central neuronal pathways offer protection from neuronal death in vitro and in vivo. Background/experience in either/and/or inflammation (cytokines), neurotrophic factors, cell adhesion molecules, intracellular signaling, apoptosis, genomics. Skills in molecular biology essential. The individual will also direct a Molecular Biology Core, and manage collaborative interactions academically and with industry. Strong opportunities exist for academic advancement at Cornell University Medical College. Contact: D. J. Reis, Division of Neurobiology, Cornell University Medical College, 411 East 69th Street, New York, NY 10021. E-mail: djreis@mail.med.cornell.edu. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action/Minorities/Females/Disabled/Veterans.

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A position is available immediately to study the interrelationship between protein structure and function. Molecular biology techniques will be utilized for creating altered enzymes to study specific aspects of their catalytic and regulatory mechanisms. Mutant proteins will be characterized by X-ray diffraction, kinetics, spectroscopy, as well as NMR. Candidates with a Ph.D. degree in crystallography or enzymology or molecular biology that want to extend their experience to the other areas are particularly encouraged to apply. Send curriculum vitae, names and telephone numbers of three references to: Dr. Evan R. Kantrowitz, Department of Chemistry, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02167.

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Training in molecular biology is preferred. Submit a curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Terry Beerman, Pharmacology and Therapeutics Department, Carlton and Elm Streets, Roswell Park Cancer Institute, Buffalo, NY 14263. FAX: 716-845-8857; e-mail: beerman@sc3101.med.buffalo.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION to study proteins, folding polymers, or combinatorial chemical libraries using theory and simulation. Experience in theoretical chemistry, physics, or biophysics is preferred. Send curriculum vitae and letters of reference to: J. G. Saven, Department of Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19104. Penn is an Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

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Applicants should send a current curriculum vitae and list of references to: Dr. Joseph Glorioso, Professor, Department of Molecular Genetics and Biochemistry, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine, E1240 Biomedical Science Tower, Pittsburgh, PA 15261. The University of Pittsburgh is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to study the role played by the ubiquitin/ATP-dependent pathway in neurodegeneration. A strong background in molecular biology is required. Please send curriculum vitae and name and telephone of three references to: Dr. Maria Figueiredo-Pereira, Hunter College, Department of Biological Sciences, 695 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10021. FAX: 212-772-5227. Equal Opportunity Employer.

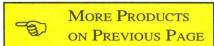
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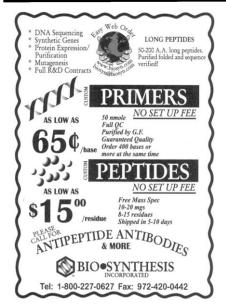
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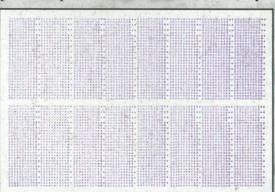
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