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Long before the Internet, there was an innovative (some say revolutionary) software product for the Macintosh that was the first to bring hypertext functions to personal computer users. Called HyperCard, the program permitted users to "build" collections of information in "cards"

that could be accessed via links between cards, much like the links that today's Web browsers use to link pages until it was discontinued by Apple several years ago, the program developed a huge following among Macintosh developers of education software. A new program called iBuild has been released recently that allows users to build "card stacks" similar to those of HyperCard. In addition, iBuild provides powerful presentation and illustration functions, creating a program that combines the best functions of HyperCard with Web links and Microsoft's PowerPoint presentation features.

The prime advantage of iBuild is that users can work in a simple environment to design individual components (cards) of stacks called slides, which can contain text, hyperlinks, Quick-Time videos, speech, pictures; over 40 different formats of information can be made into slides. Stacks can function as timed shows; dynamic, user-controlled presentations; or even a testing environment with scoring functions.

Building stacks in iBuild is quite straightforward and is similar to HyperCard in several ways. Users of HyperCard will welcome the many enhancements available in iBuild, including the ability to make links to Web sites and to control the appearance, functions, and actions of objects on slides. The core of iBuild is Apple's powerful scripting language, AppleScript, which permits easy exchange of data and control of external applications, even over a network.

Stacks created by iBuild can be made as stand-alone programs for noncommercial distribution, which allows recipients who do not own iBuild the ability to open files sent to them. A logical direction for the software developer to take with the program would be to enable export of stacks in Java format to allow users to create powerful browser-based stacks for distribution over the Internet. Perhaps this will become available in a future version of the program.

The iBuild software is not without shortcomings. Recent versions of the application have considerably improved its stability in comparison to the initial release, but the program still crashes with annoying frequency. Though it does not take long to master, the program's interface is somewhat clunky and could be improved. Despite iBuild's shortcomings, the program's price is right and it deserves a place on the desktops of Macintosh educational developers everywhere. Different versions of the program are available, including Lite, Pro, and Developer, which vary in the amount of stack-building and distribution options the user is allowed.

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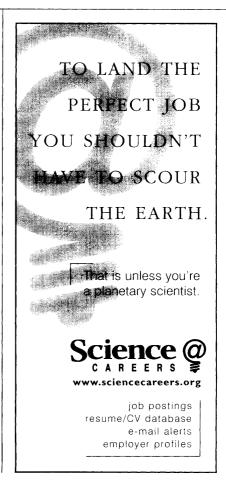
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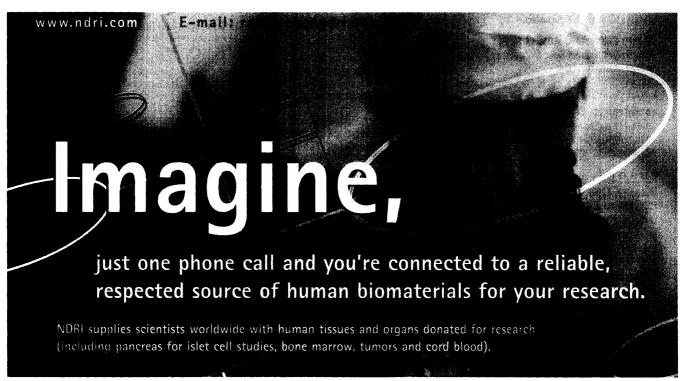
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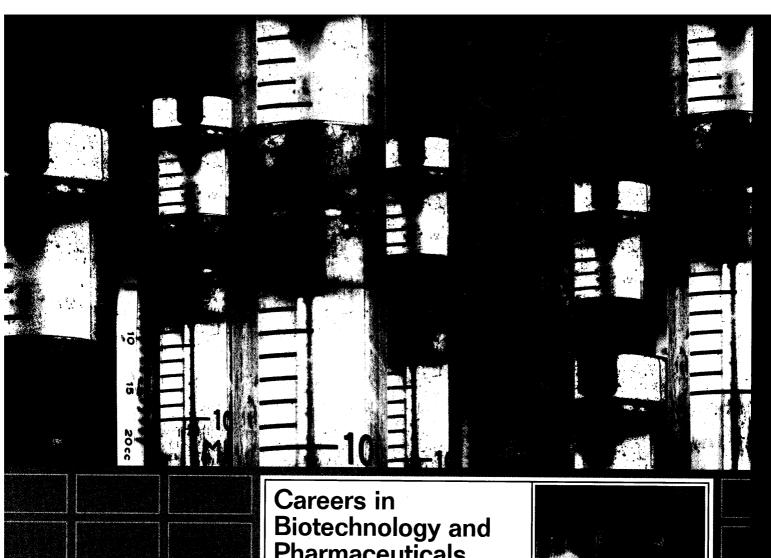
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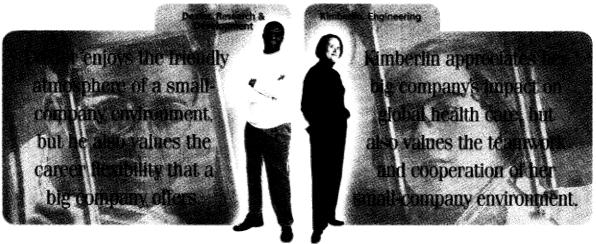
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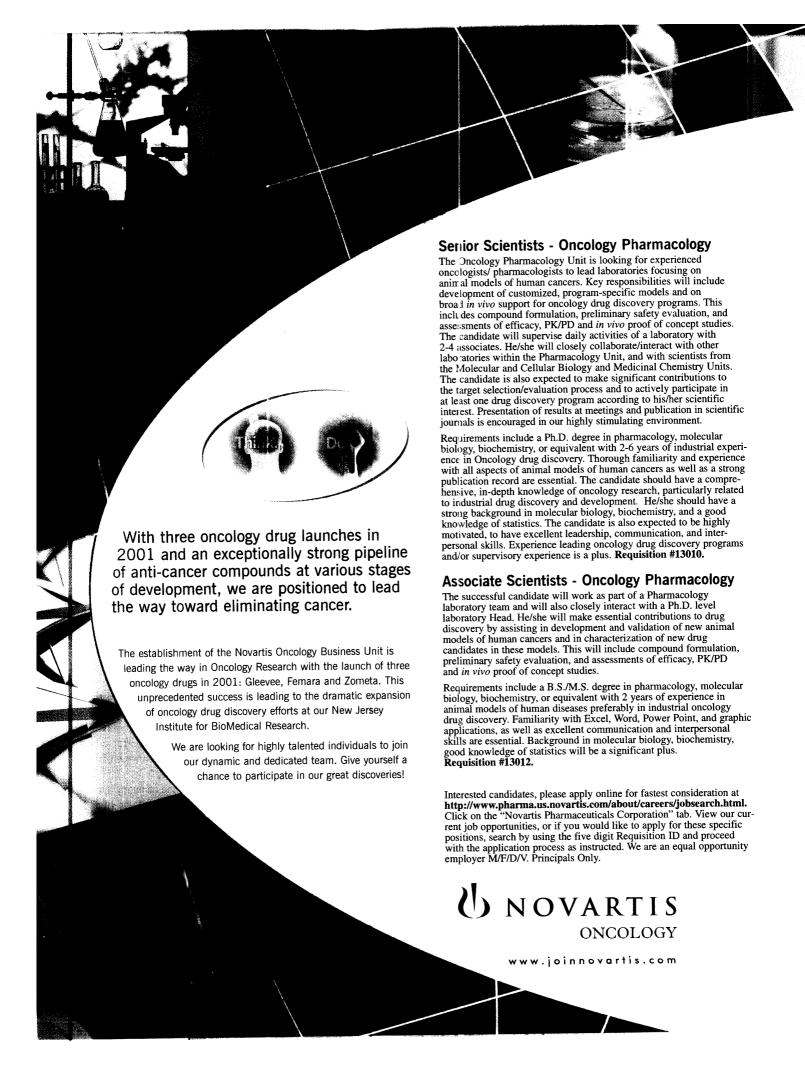
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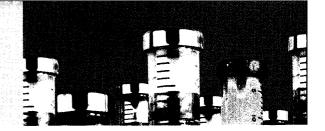


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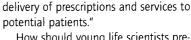




As they apply the successful sequencing of the human genome to the task of developing a new generation of drugs, biotechnology and pharmaceutical firms offer a rapidly increasing number of career options. Research at the bench remains the most popular option. But biologists, computer scientists, and engineers have plenty of opportunities beyond the laboratory. Companies seek eager, competent individuals for work in bioinformatics, business development, sales and customer support, technical writing, and patent work.

Scientists need more than good degrees to make successful careers in biotech and pharma, both inside and outside the lab. The multidisciplinary nature of industrial work means that individuals must maintain a balance between specific and general understanding of life science. It mandates the ability to collaborate in team enterprises. Scientists must also realize that they will almost certainly not continue to work in the subject in which they trained for more than a few years.

Here we talk to representatives of a business school and eight companies involved in the biotechnology and pharmaceuticals industries. Their main conclusion: Promising careers await life science students with strong academic credentials and the flexibility to operate comfortably outside their original field of training.



How should young life scientists prepare themselves for careers in biotechnology or pharmaceuticals? "You can't neglect being very good in a part of your field," advises Enriquez-Cabot. "But in the process you should also be building a series of networks with smart Ph.D.s and professors in areas that may not seem directly relevant to yours."

PRINCETON, New Jersey: Covance is a contract research organization (CRO) that provides drug development services to pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies. The firm has several openings for scientists, primarily in the preclinical laboratories. "They include providers of study services, report coordinators, ana-

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That high percentage stems from a key fact of the pharmaceutical business: The further promising pharmaceutical compounds are developed toward human use, the more expensive the process becomes. Hence, says Herring, "More and more companies are facing the economic reality that requires them to kill unsuccessful drugs more quickly before getting into the big spend in the clinic."

Helping clients to make those decisions requires Covance to bring

together scientists trained in several fields. "The core disciplines have been pretty much consistent; they haven't changed in quite a long time," says Herring. "But bioinformatics - extracting data from instruments and animal studies and getting them onto a robust database that links onto a portal where clients can see the data - is an area in which we

have been spending a lot of money." What types of scientist does the company hire for bioinformatic tasks? "We've been most successful with a blend of people who have software backgrounds and those from the lab with an interest in software," he says. "It's a matter of assembling teams. In doing so we provide interesting career possibilities for people with classic science backgrounds who have a feel for data; they can combine ana-

Covance also makes significant investment in work on transgenic animals bred for research and discovery. "Molecular biologists and geneticists are playing a larger role for us than they did five years ago," adds Herring. "Immunotoxicology - looking at compounds' genetic and toxicological impact on the immune system - and pharmacology - understanding the efficacy of drugs on animal models - are also becoming more prevalent."



BOSTON, Massachusetts: Juan Enriquez-Cabot views the future of life science and the industries that depend on it from an unusual perspective. His position as director of the Life Sciences Project at Harvard Business School permits him to analyze the field from both academic and business viewpoints. What he sees has convinced him that advances in life science will change everything. "The ability to alter all life JUAN ENRIQUEZ-CABOT forms will have really big implications, not only for

pharmaceuticals and biotechnology, but also for life insurance companies, seed companies, chemical companies, energy companies, computer companies, and supermarkets," he says. "We're seeing a change that will become the dominant language of the global economy."

Enriquez-Cabot's views, outlined most recently in a book titled As The Future Catches You: How Genomics & Other Forces Are Changing Your Life, Work, Health & Wealth (Random House, October 2001), provide a road map for students pursuing careers in the life science industry. "What a student is educated for today is likely to be relatively obsolete in 10 years," he says. "Life will be one of continuous learning and applications. You're likely to be in a field that didn't even exist 10 years ago." Some life scientists, he adds, have already reacted to the new circumstances by obtaining dual Ph.D.s, undertaking more multidisciplinary work, and involving themselves in mid-career education.

The new order will strongly influence the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries. "Mathematics becomes more important. So does understanding bioinformatics and informatics in general. Nanotechnology is becoming critical for life science," explains Enriquez-Cabot. "Pharmas don't realize yet that their main competitors may be in the computer business, in agriculture, or in chemicals." In addition, he continues, "There has to be a bridge between pharmas and M.D.s. There will be a need for much more sophisticated counseling, prescribing, and personalized medical treatments. Future jobs will involve the

lytical chemistry and information technology."

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TORONTO, **Ontario**: "We're a relatively new company moving into drug discovery with a broad-based technology platform focused on mass spectrometry applied to proteomics," says Gregg Morin, vice president, biology at MDS Proteomics. "All of our bench scientists are in drug discovery, generally focused on identification and early validation of targets. And now we're moving into the later stages of discovery."

To carry out that work the company seeks computational biologists, molecular biologists, cell biologists, and protein chemists. "We are going after senior people first," says Morin. "I envision hiring scientists with five or more years of experience in industry, with a background in handling collaborations and giving presentations. I'll let them hire most of their team. The second wave of hires will be at the Ph.D. level, postdocs, or people with a few years of experience in the industry."

As to specific disciplines, Morin says that MDSP will hire for the need. At present that includes backgrounds in oncology and neural disorders. "We're looking for people with a good understanding of the basic science in those areas," he says. "It's critical for the first people and those coming after them to be well versed."

Morin looks for more than scientific credentials in his hires. "Communications skills and leadership are important," he explains. "Senior level people have to be aggressive without being dominating. They must be able to handle questions in a way that doesn't release inside information. They also need skills in handling teams, which are larger and more advanced than in academe."

Graduates who seek jobs at MDSP should be prepared to prove their research ability in mainstream projects. "If you want to get into industry, doing graduate research on some obscure subject will make it difficult to prove that you can do the job. If I'm looking for scientists who understand signal transduction, people working in mammalian organisms have a leg up," Morin points out. "You should address what industry wants. For example, when hiring computational biologists I need Ph.D.s who understand the drug discovery field and can handle data. I see a lot of people who have moved into computational biology because they have been less successful on the bench. They won't be leaders in the field." Beyond that, he continues, "Make sure in selling yourself to industry that everything you do involves something relevant."

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CAMBRIDGE, **Massachusetts**: Biotechnology company Biogen has several jobs on offer inside and outside the laboratory. "Within the research organization roughly 20 percent of our scientists are working on development stage programs," says senior vice president of research Michael Gilman. "Active members of project teams get a lot of exposure to clinical trials data and other items that they wouldn't see in graduate school."

Outside research, several Biogen scientists participate in process development. "They work on production processes, purification schemes, assays, and looking for biomarkers," says Gilman. "They use the same types of skill they learned in graduate school but put them to a different kind of use."

Nonscientific skills can also lead to significant roles in the company. "We have a great niche for scientists who are good writers," Gilman says. "We have Ph.D.s who are full-time scientific writers working on reports for the Food and Drug Administration and similar tasks. The people who do the writing need to know the science. Patent law is another area in which people with good technical backgrounds have a real impact. These 'interface' jobs are really among the most interesting in the corporation."

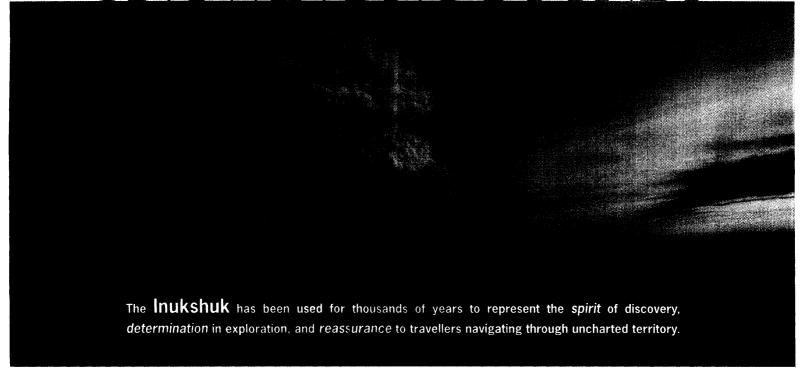
Closer to the bench, Gilman adds, "Biogen is a bit unusual in the pharmaceuticals industry in that we have a very strong biology focus. We tend to hire a lot of scientists with experimental biology backgrounds. Immunology, cancer, fibrosis, and neurodegeneration are the main foci. We have technology centers of excellence in protein chemistry, medicinal chemistry, and bioinformatics. For these we look for scientists with specific sets of skills. But generally we're looking for evidence of real scientific excellence rather than familiarity with any particular problem."

Gilman admits that he has no pat answer when asked to advise students interested in getting into the biotechnology and pharmaceutical industries. "A lot of the hiring is done by word of mouth," he says. "We actually pay a bounty to employees for bringing in new people. So my advice is: Network! When you get in the door, make sure that you have done your homework about the company. Show that you know what the company is about. Then it's a little bit like a dating game. If there's chemistry between you and the hiring manager it will work. I spend more waking time with my co-workers than with my own family." He adds one extra point to remember. "About 98 percent of what I do today," he says, "I was not taught in school."

ABBOTT PARK, Illinois: "We're an organization that's growing and expanding," says John Leonard, vice president of global pharmaceutical development at health care company Abbott Laboratories. "We shoot for R&D growth rates of about 10 percent annually in terms of dollar amounts and head counts."

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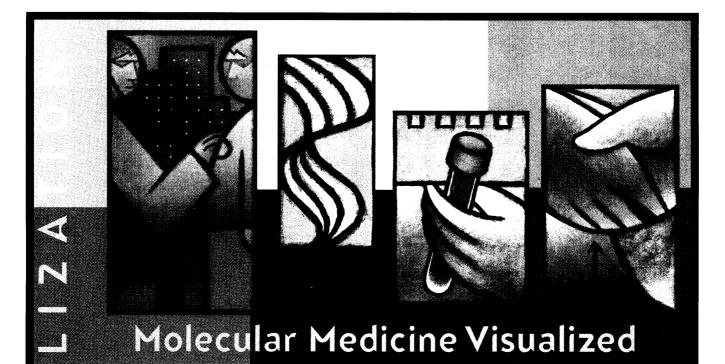
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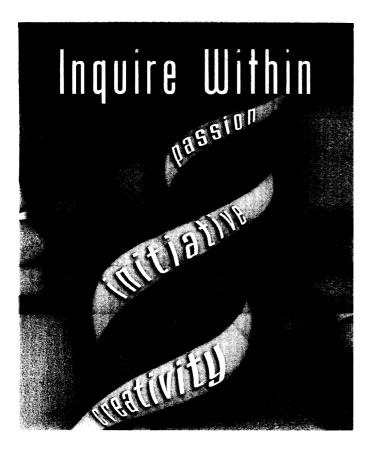
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Abbott Labs has difficulty finding two types of specialist. "Statisticians are particularly hard to get," Leonard notes. "They need to have trained in math or statistics at the undergraduate level and to have taken a Ph.D. in some form of biostatistics. Also important are pharmacokinetic types who work at the drug level perspective. We want them to synthesize information from small trials into large heterogeneous populations." Why do those scientists have so much importance? "The farther one advances into development, the more the cumulative costs and the rate of spending increase," Leonard points out. "If you can avoid spending on a compound that dies, you permit other compounds

The company hires life scientists at all levels of training. "We have people who range from the Ph.D. level to Bachelor's graduates," Leonard says. "It comes down to the type of work they do and the leadership and type of mentoring that we expect them to have."

that you might have rejected to be considered."

Scientists who join the company from academe must be prepared for a different approach to research and development. "There is no project here that a person does by himself or herself," says Leonard. "It's impossible to create what we create without a team of hundreds of people along the way. Collaborative skills are essential to make this work" Abbott also expects new hires to communicate effectively. "We're in the information business," he adds. "We need to describe the chemicals we make in terms of how they work and react. So communication is a requirement."

Leonard's advice for students interested in careers at Abbott Labs: "We want to have intellectually curious people who demonstrate their curiosity in what they do. We look for a sense of aggressiveness. We want optimists who want to take on and solve tough problems. And we want excellent scientists who perform at a high level and want to be surrounded by peers who have very high standards and who can pull their peers along with them."

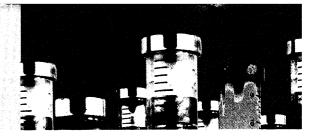


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Integrated life science company Paradigm Genetics develops technologies to speed the discovery of new products in human health and agriculture. The firm employs three general types of scientists. "We have information scientists, including statisticians, bioinformatics specialists, and computational biologists; integrated biologists who are generally biomedical or molecular biology Ph.D.s; and metabolic special-

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The company recruits scientists at all levels of training. "We hire Ph.D.s with plenty of experience as well as senior software developers," Liddell continues. "But 60 percent to 70 percent of our staff are associate or assistant scientists with Master's or Bachelor's degrees. They



run instruments, do gene expression work, and handle much of the bench work in all areas of the company."

Liddell has found that individuals trained in computer science reliably make the best bioinformatics personnel. "We have hired a lot of people who have no experience in life science," he says. "They have worked out very well. They bring to the table a rock solid understanding of what is possible and learn life science quickly by mingling with the scientists. It takes one to three years to bring them up to speed on the biology, but then they are extremely valuable. Hires who have come up through the bench have met with mixed success, although the best of this group become the true bioinformatics 'superstars'."

Paradigm stresses interpersonal skills. "We've almost revised our selection criteria to be less technical and more aimed at those skills," Liddell says. "The ability to work in a team and to interact with peers is very important. Being an effective communicator is much higher on our radar screen than it was."

Liddell has two pieces of advice for young scientists considering careers in the industry. "Get an internship or some sort of summer post at a pharmaceutical or biotechnology company to develop a feel for the culture," he suggests. "And avoid taking a degree in biotechnology or some other synthesized science. Courses can't keep up with the fast changes in the field and you have a relatively weak grounding. I advise taking a Bachelor's degree in biology, chemistry, or computer science and bringing in the integration of disciplines at the graduate or postgraduate degree level."

CAMARILLO, **California**: BioSource International makes reagents that drug developers and other scientists use for such purposes as genetic screening and probing proteins. "We provide the resources for drug development," says vice president of immunology research and development Kevin Reagan. "We make a lot of assays, custom oligonucleotides, antibodies, and custom peptides."

Custom work has become increasingly important as human genome sequencing has made new series of targets available. "Rather than develop them themselves, companies outsource the work," Reagan notes. "Pharmas need compounds that are destined to fail fast. We develop the assays that help to define target specificity. To do that we are looking generally for scientists with a skill set in biochemistry or immunology."

About 70 percent of BioSource's scientists work in the laboratory. Outside the lab, says Reagan, "We have doctoral level people who are open to business development. They work in marketing, technical services, and sales, dealing with clients at a higher level. They have to know the science. A lot of our business is custom, so they have to grasp what the customers are looking for and convey that to the product development people. We also employ a variety of scientists for external or inhouse technical training, technical writing, literature reviews, and preparing technically oriented brochures."

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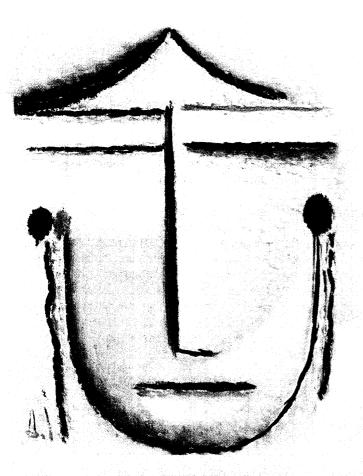
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the product, the process control, and the transfers from R&D to production and quality control," says Reagan. "All employ science. R&D involves most Ph.D. level people. Process control and production involve non-Ph.D.s. About 15 percent of the working level scientists here have Ph.D.s."

In judging applicants, BioSource seeks a feel for industrial imperatives. "Success is in seeing the product get out the door," Reagan explains. "It takes a certain personality that enjoys the mayhem of changes in product focus and the variety of products to work on. Our assumption is that when you're developing something you'll do it competently. We don't need world-class experts but flexible people skilled in a general series of disciplines and able to apply them - scientists who are literature-savvy and able to use their contacts in academe and elsewhere."

How should young scientists prepare for this type of work? "You have to be flexible," advises Reagan. "You might be hired because you have a series of techniques and a background. But you'll never develop a career studying a single thing. We often turn biochemists into assay developers and immunologists into signal transduction specialists."



MISSISSAUGA, Ontario: "We're an R&D company," says George Jackowski, chairman, director, and chief scientific officer of SYN • X Pharma. "A lot of our work is in biochemistry and protein chemistry. About 10 of the 60-odd scientists here are in drug development programs. They validate molecules and look at pathways using bioinformatics. The rest look at the expression of diseases, using mass spectrometry to mine and identify molecules."

SYN • X has a serious need for protein chemists. "They're like hen's teeth - very difficult to find," Jackowski laments. "We have a lot of molecular biologists, but protein work is a different kettle of fish."

Jackowski has one consolation. Increasing numbers of academic scientists have applied for work at SYN • X. "A lot more basic scientists now want to get into applied science," he says.

The company offers several opportunities outside the lab. "We have business development groups who try to cut deals with pharmaceutical companies," Jackowski says. "We are cross-training some of our Ph.D. scientists to go into that area. We market our own products; the Ph.D.s can pitch the science and also the business aspects of products. We've found that having scientists who really want to get involved in the business aspects of the company works very well. We encourage them to obtain business qualifications. We have paid for one to obtain an executive MBA."

When they interview applicants, company recruiters seek evidence of motivation, communication skills, and team orientation. "To identify a lack of team orientation, we look for the words I, I, I in the interviews," Jackowski explains. "We also probe about the candidates' roles in their publications."

Jackowski has this advice for students who seek careers in the biotechnology and pharma businesses. "Publish in good journals. And



for some individuals, think about getting an MBA. Scientists in the past wouldn't have thought of that. But now there are more opportunities to start up on your own or with small companies."

KENILWORTH, New Jersey: The activities of Schering-Plough Research Institute (SPRI) encompass drug discovery, drug development, clinical research, and regulatory affairs. That breadth of operation involves scientific enterprise in several key areas. "In biotechnology, monoclonal antibodies and gene therapy are growing areas," says Mary Ann Fritz, associate director of bioanalytical studies. "Much of our R&D work in biotechnology development requires collaboration between scientists with backgrounds in molecular biology, cell culture, engineering, process development, and bioanalytical sciences," adds Stephen Indelicato, associate director for bioanalytical work. "The analytical techniques we use include cell culture, flow cytometry, PCR, immunoassay, and high throughput liquid handling, to name a few."

The institute seeks scientists for all departments; the type of scientist and level of training depend on the specific department's needs. "We generally seek scientists in chemistry, engineering, or life science disciplines who have work experience in the pharmaceutical or biotechnology industries," says Marvin Bayne, SPRI's vice president of discovery technologies. "Our hiring activity ranges from entry level Ph.D. organic chemists to B.S./M.S. research scientists with two to eight years experience," adds Cheryl Landis, SPRI's director of staffing. "We also recruit B.S. through Ph.D. level analytical chemists with two to 10 years experience and BS/MS scientists with backgrounds in engineering and medical devices."

Like other life science firms, SPRI values versatility. "We seek scientists who are highly collaborative and flexible," says Bayne. "Individual laboratories generally consist of two to three scientists. To reach a critical mass of scientists on a project and reach common research goals, several labs must work closely together. Also, scientists with the capability and willingness to work in more than one area over a period of time for example, cardiovascular, immunology, or CNS — are highly sought."

Beyond that, he adds, "Scientists should possess certain key competencies. These include verbal and written communication skills, technical skills demonstrating the ability to bridge laboratory science and computer systems, initiative, flexibility, and the ability to work effectively in a team based environment."

How should young scientists prepare for careers in biotechnology and pharmaceuticals? "They should find an area they are interested in, achieve high competency in that area, and be prepared to change career paths. They should choose a school that offers a wide range of choices and consider interning with a biotechnology company," advises Indelicato. "Work on a team that has publications," adds Bayne. "Develop a specific subset of skills that an organization needs and also develop a balance between being a specialist and a generalist. And consider the advantages of a large organization that offers the opportunity to pursue a laboratory career as well as development opportunities in areas such as project management and clinical research." |||||

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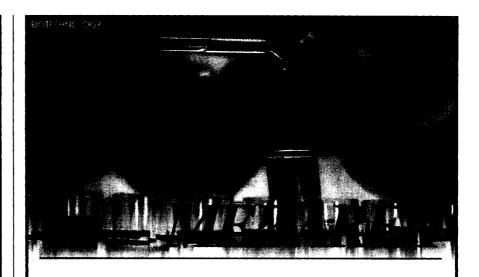
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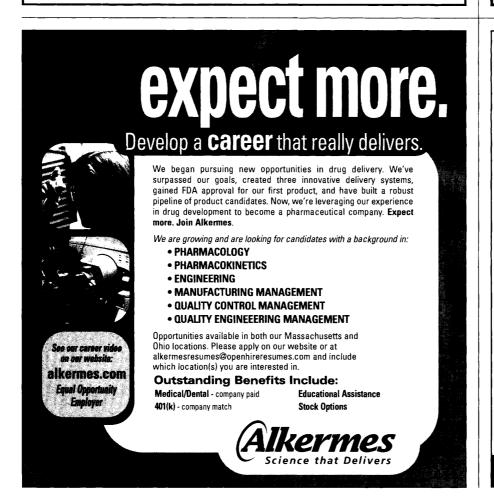
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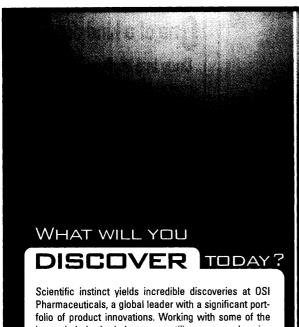
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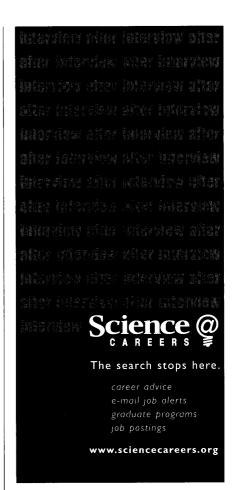
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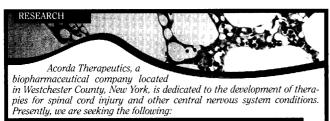
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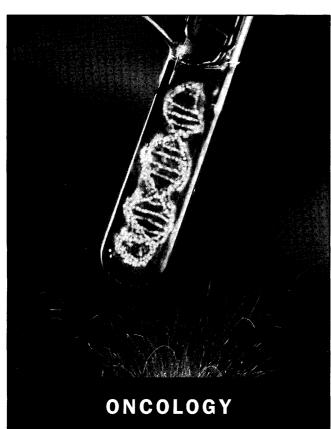
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We recently helped clone the MEN1 gene, a novel tumor suppressor that has important roles in human tumors. It encodes menin, a nuclear protein that inhibits junD-mediated transcription. We are studying menin roles in normal and abnormal cells. Projects include protein-protein interactions, over or under expression in mammalian and non-mammalian systems, and interactions with DNA and reporters. Many novel approaches are possible. Applicants should have a doctoral degree and an excellent background in biochemistry or in one or more relevant topics. Applicants should not be more than 5 years beyond the most recent doctoral degree. NIH is an EEO employer. Send applications with contact information for three references to: Stephen Marx MD, Bldg. 10 Rm. 9C-101, NIH, Bethesda, 20892. Or use e-mail StephenM@INTRA.NIDDK.NIH.GOV or fax to 301-496-0200.



Postdoctoral Training Opportunities in Cancer Immunology

U.S. citizens and permanent residents are encouraged to apply for postdoctoral training fellowships in cancer immunology at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute with a joint appointment in an appropriate department of the Harvard Medical School. DFCI/HMS offers substantial scientific resources within a stimulating research environment and opportunities for advancement. Highly qualified M.D., Ph.D. and M.D./Ph.D candidates should send a CV to:

Alison_Angel@dfci.harvard.edu

or

Harvey Cantor
Postdoctoral Training Programs
Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
44 Binney Street, SM 722
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South Florida Natural Resources Center

The South Florida Natural Resources Center was established in 1978 to conduct ecological and hydrological monitoring, research, and natural resources management studies to guide the preservation of the four National Park Service (NPS) units in South Florida. Collectively these NPS units (Everglades National Park, Biscayne National Park, Dry Tortugas National Park, and the Big Cypress National Preserve) include nearly 2.5 million acres, and were established to preserve the natural and cultural resources of South Florida.

Changing land-use and regional water management practices over the last century have altered the natural hydrological processes, degraded water quality, and decreased the abundance and diversity of native plant and animal communities throughout South Florida. The South Florida Natural Resources Center serves as the NPS lead for the ecosystem restoration initiatives in South Florida, conducting scientific studies to establish restoration goals, evaluate the impacts of proposed management actions, and monitor environmental conditions to track long-term restoration success.

Deputy Director- Science

Directs long-term and annual science planning at the SFNRC, and oversees multi-disciplinary projects focused on the preservation and restoration of the natural areas of south Florida. Supervises a staff of approximately 60-65 scientists and engineers in the Biological, Physical, and Water Quality Branches. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in a science or engineering field, including knowledge of ecosystem restoration practices and the management of protected areas. Candidates should have relevant experience in science planning, environmental research, and/or natural resource management. (Homestead, FL)

Deputy Director- Project Implementation

Oversees the tracking and management of all SFNRC projects, including administrative, logistical, IT support, project scoping, product output and quality control, and interagency coordination and outreach. Directs a 35-40 person staff in the Project Management, Administration, Information Systems, and Science Communications Branches. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in a science or engineering field and specific experience in administering and managing natural resources management and/or environmental sciences programs. (Homestead, FL)

Branch Chief- Science Communications

Develops and implements communications and outreach strategies to translate scientific and technical information into concise scientific messages and policy guidelines. Directs a staff of inter-agency science liaisons, technical writers, and graphic artists. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in a science or communications field, skills in communicating technical information to natural resource managers, outside agencies, and the stakeholder community. Candidates should have experience in the areas of science communications, technical writing, and inter-agency coordination and outreach. (Homestead, FL)

Ecotoxicologist

Performs technical assessments and predictive simulations of the potential affects of land use and water management activities related to the impacts of contaminants on protected natural areas and their biological communities. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in a biology, chemistry, environmental engineering, or a related field, with experience in risk assessments, wetland processes, and the sources, transport and fate of contaminants in surface water and groundwater environments. Candidates should have relevant experience in ecotoxicology. (West Palm Beach, FL)

Environmental Engineer

Performs technical assessments and predictive simulations of the potential affects of land use activities related to the impacts of degraded water quality on protected natural areas and their biological communities. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in biology, chemistry, environmental engineering, or a related field, with experience in water quality assessments, wetland processes, compliance tracking, and the affects of degraded water quality on biological communities. Candidates should have experience in water quality assessments. (West Palm Beach/Homestead, FL.)

Landscape Ecologist

Develops or applies population and community level simulation models and other habitat evaluation tools to assess the impacts of regional land use and water management activities on the freshwater and estuarine resources of the south Florida ecosystem. Graduate level education is preferred or equivalent experiences in biology or a related field, knowledge of the physical and biological factors regulating plant and animal populations, and quantitative methods for analyzing spatial changes in key communities and indicator species. Candidates should have experience in landscape ecology. (Homestead, FL)



Please refer to http://www.usajobs.opm.gov for specific job announcement
Direct inquiries for job application to Human Resources Office: Phone# (305)-242-7720
Direct inquiries for specific job information to: SFNRC, Everglades National Park, 40001 State Road 9336
Homestead, Florida 33030, Phone# (305)-242-7800, Fax # (305)-242-7836
Visit our website at http://www.sfnrc.ever.nps.gov

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VETERINARY MEDICAL OFFICER

The Agricultural Research Service, Avian Disease and Oncology Laboratory in East Lansing, Michigan, is seeking a Veterinary Medical Officer to conduct research aimed at a better understanding and control of Marek's disease, an economically important herpesvirus-induced lymphoproliferative disease of chickens. The incumbent works as a member of a team and as an independent investigator in studies focused on the immunopathogenesis, diagnosis and control of Marek's disease. Specific objectives of the research include: monitoring disease incidence in commercial flocks; development of improved methods for tumor diagnosis; evaluation of factors that influence the induction and maintenance of protective immune responses; biological characterization of recombinant Marek's disease viruses carrying deletions or inserted foreign DNA; and development of improved biological assays for vaccine efficacy, pathotype evaluation and other animal bioassays. The research is expected to provide information essential to the control of Marek's disease.

Applicants must have a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (D.V.M.) or equivalent degree at a school approved or accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association, a State department of education, or a State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners. In addition, applicants must have 1 year of Specialized experience as indicated in the vacancy announcement; applicants at the GS-12 can also qualify with either a Ph.D. or equivalent doctoral degree in a field of veterinary or related science. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Salary for GS-12 ranges from \$54,275 to \$70,555; GS-13 salary ranges from \$64,542 to \$83,902; GS-14 salary ranges from \$76,271 to \$99,150 depending on experience. Closing date of this announcement is June 28, 2002. Call 301-504-1482 to request a copy of ARS-X2W-2311 or access website www.ars.usda.gov; call 301-504-1556 for information on application procedures. For specific questions about the position call Dr. Aly Fadly at 517-337-6828.

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PROGRAM OFFICER, MARINE MAMMAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

(Geographer, Biologist, Fishery Biologist, Physicist, or Computer Scientist)

The Office of Naval Research is seeking a qualified individual to plan and manage sponsored basic/applied research, and advanced development programs and projects in the broad areas of marine mammal biology and marine ecosystem dynamics, with particular emphases on issues associated with the biology and ecology of marine mammals and other marine organisms, ecosystem modeling, acoustic oceanography, biosonar, hydrodynamics and physiology; as well as the application of information technologies to ecosystem modeling (e.g. GIS), geographic remote sensing technologies, underwater acoustics and the biological effects of sound, biosonar and acoustic signal processing, swimming hydrodynamics and energetics, and immune system function, genetics and stress diagnostics.

This is a Federal Civil Service position at the 13/14/15 level (\$66,229 - \$119,682), depending on individual qualifications. This position may be filled under the Intergovernmental Personnel Act (IPA).

For information on qualifications and how to apply, see Announcement #DE-ONR-02-0215-NR (for both Federal and non-Federal applicants) at our website http://www.onr.navy.mil/hr. Applications must be in the Human Resources Service Center Office by close of business 14 June 2002 or postmarked as of that date. For technical information contact Dr. Robert Gisiner at (703) 696-2085 or by e-mail at gisiner@onr.navy.mil.

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DIRECTOR LUNAR AND PLANETARY INSTITUTE

A search is being conducted for a Director of the Lunar and Planetary Institute (LPI). The Institute, established in 1968 and located in Houston, Texas, is chartered to conduct and support research on the formation, evolution, and current state of the solar system and its constituent parts, as well as to assist in planning and execution of the robotic and human exploration of the solar system.

The Institute, funded by NASA through a contract with Universities Space Research Association, serves as a focal point for lunar and planetary science activities, and seeks to encourage participation of scientists in solar system exploration. The Institute is a leader in education and public outreach through a variety of activities, and is a Broker/Facilitator in NASA's Office of Space Science Education network. A key role played by the Institute is support of topical workshops and conferences related to planetary sciences. These efforts have led to the establishment of new programs, such as NASA's Origins Program.

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

An application, containing a complete resume, including three references, should be sent to: W. D. Cummings, Executive Director, Universities Space Research Association, 10227 Wincopin Circle, Suite 212, Columbia, MD 21044. Applicants should also include a succinct statement of their vision for the LPI, and what steps he/she would take to achieve that vision. Applications received by June 30, 2002 will be given full consideration. Further information regarding the LPI and USRA may be found at http://www.lpi.usra.edu and http://www.usra.edu. EEO

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Rochester, Minnesota, U.S.A

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Applications, including curriculum vitae and bibliography, summary of past accomplishments, and the names of three references, should be sent to:

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Rochester, MN 55905
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SCIENTIFIC REVIEW ADMINISTRATOR POSITION AT THE CENTER FOR SCIENTIFIC REVIEW NIH

The Center for Scientific Review (CSR), National Institutes of Health (NIH), seeks a scientist with expertise in the area of Digestive Sciences who is interested in serving as a Scientific Review Administrator (SRA) in the management of the NIH peer review process.

Scientific Review Administrator (GS-12/13/14) will be responsible for the overall management of committees composed of leading scientists in their respective fields who meet to judge the scientific merit of investigator-initiated research grant applications. He/she will work with eminent scientists to identify those highly meritorious research projects that promise to advance the field of study of digestive sciences, with particular emphasis on gastrointestinal, hepatobiliary and pancreatic physiology, immunology and pathobiology at the molecular, cellular, tissue and whole organ levels in humans and animals.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens, and have earned the Ph.D. or M.D. (or have equivalent training and experience). It is crucial to have a record of independent research accomplishment, typically requiring several years beyond the doctoral degree. Salary will be commensurate with experience. A recruitment/relocation bonus may be available.

Please submit curriculum vitae by e-mail or mail to:

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Chief, Pathophysiological Sciences Integrated Review Group
Center for Scientific Review, NIH
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Bethesda, MD 20892-7818
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E-mail: khanm@csr.nih.gov

Selection for this position will be based on merit, with no discrimination for non-merit reasons, such as race, color, sex, national origin, marital status, disability, age, sexual orientation, or membership/nonmenbership in an employee organization.

IMMUNOLOGY FACULTY POSITIONS

The Center for Cancer Immunology Research
The Department of Immunology,
The Department of Blood and Marrow Transplantation,
Section of Transplantation Immunology

The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center in Houston has created a new Center for Basic and Cancer Immunology Research. The Center will be housed in a 132,000 sq. ft. new building in the fall of 2002, which will provide state-of-the-art facilities to conduct cutting-edge research and to develop novel cancer therapies.

The Department of Immunology invites applications for tenure-track positions at the Assistant and Associate Professor level. Specific research areas include: (1) Toll-like receptors, immune receptors with cytoplasmic ITAM or ITIM motives, $and \, TNF-receptor \, family \, members; (2) \, Molecular \, mechanisms$ of antigen processing and presentation; (3) T cell activation and differentiation into different effector cells; (4) T cell tolerance and immunity against tumor antigens in vivo; (5) Regulation of immune responses by dendritic cells in vivo; (6) Costimulatory molecules, including the B7 family of ligands and their receptors; (7) Hematopoietic stem cell biology, and (8) DC-based immunotherapy of human cancers. Applicants should have a Ph.D. or M.D. with post-doctoral research experience, and a strong record of publications. Successful applicants will be expected to establish high-quality, independent research programs, supported by external peerreviewed funding, and participate in our graduate training program. Excellent start-up funds, salary, and benefits package will be provided, as well as access to state-of-the-art equipment, communications, research, and core facilities. Interested individuals should submit their C.V., brief outline of current and future research plans, and names of five referees to: H. N. Ananthaswamy, Ph.D., Chair, Search Committee, Department of Immunology, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, 1515 Holcombe Blvd., Box 178, Houston, TX 77030.

The Department of Blood and Marrow Transplantation, Section of Transplantation Immunology invites applications for tenure-track positions at the Assistant Professor level. Research areas include (1) the study of allogeneic T cell immunity against tumors, and (2) the molecular mechanisms of transplantation tolerance. Successful applicants will be expected to establish high quality independent research programs and will have a M.D./Ph.D. or M.D. degree. There is tremendous opportunity for close collaboration with investigators from the Department of Immunology and other departments in the Center for Cancer Immunology Research. Excellent start-up funds, salary and benefits package will be provided. Interested applicants should submit their C.V., a brief outline of current and future research plans and names of five referees to: Jeffrey Molldrem, M.D., Chief, Section of Transplantation Immunology, Blood and Marrow Transplantation Department, The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Cancer Center, 1515 Holcombe Blvd., Box 448, Houston, TX 77030.

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VIROLOGIST

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Position comprises 80% research, 20% teaching. The successful candidate will be expected to develop an active, independent, extramurally funded research program and work in a multidisciplinary environment. A Ph.D. degree in virology, molecular biology, or related field and demonstrated evidence of postdoctoral research experience are required. Candidates should possess a willingness to work with animal viruses. Areas of interest might include but are not limited to virus-host interaction, virulence factors, virus genetics, or vaccine development. Applicants at the Associate Professor level are expected to have an established, extramurally funded research program and a strong publication record. Salary will be commensurate with experience and excellent start-up and benefits packages are offered. Submit a letter of application; curriculum vitae; statement of research interests/goals; and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three professional references to: Dr. Vikram N. Vakharia, Chair, Virologist Search Committee, 8075 Greenmead Drive, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742-3711. Applications will be accepted until August 1, 2002, or until a suitable candidate has been identified. The position is available immediately

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FACULTY POSITION Structural Biology

The Department of Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry at the Ohio State University seeks an outstanding individual at the ASSISTANT or ASSOCI-ATE PROFESSOR level working in the general area of structural biology. The search will first and foremost seek to identify the strongest candidate but consideration will be made with regard to the University's identified goal of developing X-ray crystallography of biological macromolecules and structural genomics/ proteomics. The responsibilities of the successful candidate will be to develop a strong research program and to contribute to the teaching activities of the Department. A highly competitive start-up package and space in a modern, state-of-the-art research building will be available to the successful candidate. Please submit curriculum vitae; selected reprints; description of research interests and goals; grant support (if applicable); and the names, current addresses, and telephone/FAX numbers of three references to: Chair, search Committee B, Department of Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry, The Ohio State University, 333 Hamilton Hall, 1645 Neil Avenue, Columbus, OH 43210-1218. The Search Committee will begin reviewing applications September 1,

The Department of Pharmacology and Cancer Biology, in conjunction with the Sarah W. Stedman Center for Nutritional Studies at Duke University Medical Center, invites applications for a faculty position at the ASSISTANT PROFESSOR level. We seek an individual who will establish a dynamic research program in one of the two following areas: (1) molecular mechanisms by which caloric restriction leads to longer lifespan or (2) regulation of gene expression as it pertains to metabolic regulation. The successful candidate will join a vibrant department and contribute to the development of new center initiatives and will enjoy strong interactions with many other units across the scientific community at Duke. A statement of research interests, curriculum vitae, and three letters of reference should be sent to: Faculty Search Committee, Department of Pharmacology and Cancer Biology, Box 3813, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, NC 27710. Duke University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN



ASSISTANT/ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR **Pharmacodynamics**

The Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences invites applications for a tenure-track position at the Assistant/Associate Professor level. Candidates must possess a Ph.D. in pharmacology, medicinal chemistry, or a related field with experience in the molecular and/ or biochemical basis of drug action and be conversant with the latest bioanalytical and molecular biologic methods involved in studying the design, action, and development of new pharmacologic entities. The successful candidate should possess appropriate postdoctoral training; a strong record of research accomplishments; and the ability to establish/maintain an independent, extramurally supported research program. Participation in the teaching mission of the School at the Pharm.D. and graduate level is an expected component. Excellent opportunities exist within the Department and the School of Pharmacy, Medicine, and Allied Health for collaboration. An undergraduate pharmacy background is desirable.

Review of applications will continue until the position is filled. Applicants should submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae, the names and addresses of three references, and a brief description of current and future research directions to: Michael R. Borenstein, Ph.D., Chair, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Temple University School of Pharmacy, 3307 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, PA 19140. Telephone: 215-707-4948; FAX: 215-707-3678; e-mail michael.borenstein@temple.

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FACULTY POSITIONS Department of Neurobiology University of Massachusetts Medical School

The Department of Neurobiology, established as part of the unprecedented research expansion at the University of Massachusetts Medical School, has recently hired several outstanding faculty. We now solicit applications for additional junior (tenure-track) positions. The new Department augments an already existing interdisciplinary program in neuroscience. The laboratories for the Department are housed on one floor of a new state-of-the-art, 340,000 square foot research building.

The Department seeks individuals of outstanding potential who are investigating fundamental mecha nisms of brain function. Specific areas of emphasis include but are not limited to molecular, cellular, and developmental neurobiology. The positions are highly competitive with regard to start-up funds, laboratory space, and salary. Rank will be commensurate with ability and experience

Applicants should send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and names and addresses of three references to:

Dr. Steven M. Reppert Chair, Department of Neurobiology University of Massachusetts Medical School 364 Plantation Street Worcester, MA 01605-2324 Website:

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IMMUNOLOGIST

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Fellows are accepted for up to 5 years of training beginning in July. The typical duration is 3 years (year 1: M.P.H.; years 2-3: NCI Summer Curriculum and mentored research).

When are applications due?

Applications are due September 1, 2002, for entry into the program July 1, 2003.

How do I apply?

To receive a catalog*, contact:
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Director, Cancer Prevention
Fellowship Program
National Cancer Institute
6130 Executive Boulevard (EPN)
Suite 3109, MSC 7361
Bethesda, MD 20892-7361

* Please provide home address, telephone, e-mail, and where you heard about the program.

Further inquiries:
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E-mail br24v@nih.gov

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Professor in Cancer-related Bioinformatics

The University of Aarhus, Denmark, is offering a five year position as professor in Cancer-related Bioinformatics. The position is made available by a donation from the Danish Cancer Society and aims at developing and utilizing bioinformatics to study cancer. The position will be placed in relation to a hospital-based functional genomics laboratory, having experience in microarrays and databases on gene expression, and in relation to a newly formed University Center for Bioinformatics. We expect research activities in areas such as modelling of oncogenic intracellular pathways, classification and prediction of human cancers, and genomic linking of susceptibility genes.

A bioinformatics specialist with the ability to collaborate in an environment with both biologists, statisticians, computer specialists and medical staff is favoured. A strong experience with existing bioinformatics tools, proficiency in common computer languages as well as a capacity to develop new tools for data analysis and data mining are requested.

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Inquiries about the position and salary levels may be made to the dean, Professor Søren Mogensen, tel. +45 8942 1765 or +45 8942 4100, e-mail sm@microbiology.au.dk or to orntoft@kba.sks.au.dk. Further information is available on http://www.health.au.dk/fakultet/stillingsopslag.

The application, together with all relevant annexes (see web page), should be sent in 6 copies to the Faculty of Health Sciences, Vennelyst Boulevard 9, 8000 Aarhus C. The application must be at the Faculty not later than midday on 1st august, 2002. The applications should be marked 2002-211/2-2

INTERDISCIPLINARY SCIENTIST - NIH, NIDCD

The National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD), located in Bethesda, Maryland, is recruiting for a full-time interdisciplinary scientist in the Division of Extramural Research with a background in biomedical, bioengineering or neuroscience research for a position focusing on the normal and disordered processes of balance and the vestibular system. The incumbent will provide scientific leadership in formulating new research initiatives and in supervising a comprehensive program of basic and clinical research grants and contracts on the vestibular system and the body's other balance control systems. Incumbent provides scientific expertise in the balance and vestibular sciences and serves as a source of technical knowledge in this area.

This appointment confers government benefits. The salary range is from \$66,229 to \$101,742 per annum and is commensurate with education and experience. Appointee must be a U.S. citizen, resident alien or nonresident alien with a valid employment authorization.

Candidates must meet the qualification standards as described in the Office of Personnel Management's Operating Manual: Qualification Standards for General Schedule Positions for the GS-401/403/440/601/602-13/14.

A recruitment bonus of up to 25% may be available to a non-Federal applicant selected for this position, subject to individual approval. A relocation bonus of up to 25% may be available to a permanent Federal employee who must relocate to accept this position, subject to individual approval. Alternatively, applicants may be eligible for appointment in the Commissioned Corps of the U.S. Public Health Service.

Further information about the position, application procedures and/or qualification requirements may be obtained from http://careerhere.nih.gov or by contacting Ms. Jennings at (301) 402-0508 (voice) or TTY (301) 402-1562. Applicants are required to submit a Curriculum Vitae, Optional Application for Federal Employment (OF-612), Resume, Application for Federal Employment (SF-171), OR any other written format to: Patricia Jennings, NIDCD Personnel Office, 31 Center Drive, Building 31, Room 3C-11, MSC 2320, Bethesda, MD 20892-2320.

Applications must be postmarked by **July 15, 2002**. Please read the vacancy announcement carefully and annotate announcement number NIDCD-02-0013 on your application. *NIH IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER*

POSITIONS OPEN

DIRECTOR Center for Medical, Agricultural, and Veterinary Entomology Gainesville, Florida

This is a Senior Executive Service position with the Agricultural Research Service (ARS), U.S. Department of Agriculture. The Director of the Center for Medical Agriculture of the Center for the Center for Medical Agriculture of the Center for Medical, Agricultural, and Veterinary Entomology (CMAVE) is responsible for providing leadership and direction to six research units conducting investigations in detection and management of insect pests and disease vectors affecting animals, humans, and plants and in crop genetics and environmental quality. Approximately 40 Scientists at CMAVE represent a variety of disciplines including entomology, chemistry, genetics, molecular biology, plant physiology, agronomy, agricultural engineering, botany, microbiology, soil science, and zoology. This position requires considerable flexibility and skill in providing effective re-search leadership to a diversity of CMAVE programs, many of which are cooperative and multidisciplinary, and involve other ARS laboratories as well as local, state, national, and international government, academic, and private sector laboratories, institutions, and organizations. The Center Director will provide systematic, coordinated planning to achieve broad, goal-oriented research results and to ensure transfer of technology to producers, consumers, and industry. The incumbent must establish and maintain effective work relationships with federal and state action and regulatory agencies, cooperators, and representatives of consumers and industry groups. A Ph.D. in a discipline related to the position is highly desirable. Salary range is \$122,000 to \$138,000. For program information, please contact: Dr. Karl Narang, Area Director; Telephone: 706-546-3311; e-mail: skn@saa.ars.usda.gov. The complete vacancy announcement and information about how to apply is found at website: http://www.afm.ars.usda.gov/divisions/hrd/vacancy/ or contact Human Resources Division; Telephone: 301-504-1448. Applications must be received by June 24, 2002. USDA, ARS is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Pharmacology faculty position: A full-time position at the ASSISTANT or ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR level is available in the Department of Pharmacology of the College of Medical Sciences at Nova Southeastern University. The candidate's responsibilities will include participation in team-taught pharmacology courses to students in medical, dental, optometry, and physician assistant programs. The position requires a Ph.D. in pharmacology or an M.D. Individuals with teaching experience or interests in autonomic, cardiac, and renal pharmacology and/or antimicrobials and chemotherapeutics are particularly encouraged to apply. Although primarily a teaching position, opportunities to engage in research do exist. The College of Medical Sciences in located in the Health Professions Division facility on the Ft. Lauderdale campus. Salaries are competitive and dependent upon qualifications. Fringe benefits are generous. Please send letter of interest; curriculum vitae; copies of graduate transcripts; and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of three references to: Position Number 999017, Nova Southeastern University, Office of Human Resources, 3301 College Avenue, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33314. Nova Southeastern University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION in human genomics to work on the development and application of microarray and other high-throughput methods for examination of SNP polymorphisms in the child health and development studies population as a collaboration with **Dr. Cohn** at the Public Health Institute and Dr. Mathies in Chemistry, University of California, Berkeley. Experience in molecular biology/biochemistry, human genomics, and instrumental analysis desired. Send résumé and three letters of recommendation to: Barbara Cohn, Public Health Institute, 2001 Addison Street, Second Floor, Berkeley, CA 94704. The Public Health Institute is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer

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DIRECTOR, CENTER ON AGING, University of Kansas Medical Center. Seeking applications and nominations for Chief Administrator of the Center on Aging. Responsibilities: Plan and manage interdisciplinary, geriatric-focused educational, research, and service programs; oversee budgetary and administrative enterprise; and attract premier aging-related grants. Minimum qualifications: M.D. or Ph.D., relevant administrative and academic experience, and established research and publication record in geriatrics. Applications/inquiries: For full position announcement and application instructions, contact: Debra Brogden, Committee Secretary, University of Kansas Medical Center, 3901 Rainbow Boulevard, Kansas City, KS 66160. Telephone: 913-588-1440; FAX: 913-588-1412; e-mail: dbrooden@ FAX: 913-588-1412; e-mail: dbrogden@kumc.edu. Screening commences June 25, 2002. Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity/Title IX Institution.

RESEARCH POSITION

Proteomics

Instructor position is available in an interdisciplinary research group that is using proteomics to study signal transduction in membrane domains like caveolae and coated pits. The successful individual will work jointly with Drs. Y. Zhao, R. Anderson, and M. White with the goal of identifying new signaling pathways in model cells. A Ph.D. degree in biochemistry or molecular biology and two years of relevant postdoctoral experience in the areas of biochemistry, signal transduction, or molecular biology is preferable. Salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications and experience. E-mail application and three references to e-mail: richard. anderson@utsouthwestern.edu or mail to: Dr. Richard G. W. Anderson, Department of Cell Biology, UT Southwestern Medical Center, Harry Hines Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75390-9039. The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

TENURE-TRACK POSITIONS University of Louisville James Graham Brown Cancer Center

The James Graham Brown Cancer Center of the University of Louisville is in the process of a major program expansion in molecular and cell biology of cytokines with an emphasis on the role of chemoattractants in cancer. Current areas of interest include but are not limited to tumor metastasis, angiogenesis, and immunotherapy. Two tenure-track positions are available, one with an endowed chair for a SENIOR INVESTIGATOR and one at ASSISTANT, AS-SOCIATE, or FULL PROFESSOR level depending on qualifications. Applicants must have an M.D. and/or Ph.D., significant postdoctoral research experience, and a strong publication record. Both will be expected to establish independently funded research programs. Successful candidates will join an active group of Investigators working on tumor immunotherapy, chemoattractant receptor regulation of inflammatory processes, molecular modeling of DNA and proteins, chemokines in stem cell biology, signal transduction, and oligonucleotide-mediated gene therapy. The Brown Cancer Center houses excellent shared facilities for molecular and cell biology including flow cytometry and cell sorting, molecular modeling, microarray, proteomics, surface plasmon resonance spectroscopy, and transgenic mice. Please send curriculum vitae with bibliography, a synopsis of research interests, and names and telephone/e-mail addresses of at least three references to:

> Dr. Bodduluri Haribabu James Graham Brown Cancer Center University of Louisville 529 South Jackson Street Louisville, KY 40202 Telephone: 502-852-7503 E-mail: h0bodd01@gwise.louisville.edu

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THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SOUTHWESTERN MEDICAL CENTER

ASSISTANT PROFESSORS: The Department of Physiology invites applications from outstanding Scientists with Ph.D., M.D., or equivalent degrees for two tenure-track Assistant Professor positions. Of particular interest are candidates who will develop independent research programs in integrative biology using genetic engineering approaches to study physiological processes in tissues and whole animals. Additional areas of interest include molecular and biophysical approaches to cell physiology involving the fields of motility and the cytoskeleton in addition to transport and ion channels. However, the excellence of the successful candidates is more important than the particular area of research. These positions are part of the continuing growth of the Department at one of the country's leading academic medical centers and will be supported by significant laboratory space, competitive salaries, and exceptional start-up packages. The UT Southwestern faculty includes four Nobel Prize winners and 11 members of the National Academy of Sciences and conducts more than 2,000 research projects annually with support totaling more than \$200 million. Applicants should submit curriculum vitae, a brief statement of research plans, and arrange to have three letters of reference sent to: James T. Stull, Ph.D., Department of Physiology, The University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center, 5323 Harry Hines Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75390-9040. UT Southwestern strongly encourages applications from women, minorities, and people with disabilities. An Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

The Department of Biomedical Science at Florida Atlantic University is seeking to hire a senior-level Gross Anatomist to coordinate the gross anatomy course in a developing medical school. The ideal applicant will have a minimum of three to five years of experience as the coordinator of a medical school gross anatomy course. It is desirable but not essential that the applicant have an ongoing research program. The selected individual must be qualified to be appointed at the FULL PROFESSOR level. Depending on qualifications, this appointment will be a tenured position (nine-month salary guarantee) or a renewable, nontenured contract position (12-month salary guarantee). The deadline for application is June 30, 2002. Position Number 239952. Contact: Dwight W. Warren, Ph.D., M.S. Ed., Associate Dean for Biomedical Programs, Chair, Biomedical Science, Florida Atlantic University, Charles E. Schmidt Biomedical Science Center, 777 Glades Road, P.O. Box 3091, Building 71, Room 145, Boca Raton, FL 33431-0991. FAU is an Equal Opportunity/Equal Access Institution.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR **Botanical Society of America**

The Botanical Society of America seeks Executive Director for its new headquarters at Missouri Botanical Garden in St. Louis. Oversees daily operations, staff, budgeting, strategic planning, outreach initiatives, and fundraising. Qualifications include a Master's degree in a related area. Ph.D. preferred plus seven years of relevant experience. Exceptional leadership and communication skills required. We offer an outstanding benefits package. Apply to: Missouri Botanical Garden, Human Resources Division, Attention: BSA Search Committee, P.O. Box 299, St. Louis, MO 63166. E-mail: jobs@mobot.org; website: http://www.botany.org. Position is open until filled. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION available immediately to investigate the role of leucine-rich proteo-glycans in cell-extracellular matrix signaling in the cornea using knockout mice (JCB 141:1277) and corneal cell cultures. The successful candidate must be self-motivated and have a strong background in cell signaling. Send curriculum vitae and three references to: Dr. Shukti Chakravarti, Department of Medicine, Johns Hopkins University, Ross 935, 720 Rutland Avenue, Baltimore, MD 21205. E-mail: schakrav@jhmi.edu

Senior Specialist Scientist Cancer Epidemiologist

Western Cape, South Africa

The Medical Research Council (MRC) strives to improve the nation's health status and quality of life through relevant and excellent health research aimed at promoting equity and development.

The above position is available at the PROMEC Unit at the MRC head office in Parow. The successful candidate will form part of a multidisciplinary research team and will be involved in research activities related to cancer epidemiology in the Transkei and the Western Cape regions of South Africa.

Key responsibilities of this position entail: ● to act as the Subprogramme Leader in the Sub-programme on Cancer Registry, Epidemiology and Early Detection of the PROMEC Unit, which forms an integral part of the CANSA/MRC Oesophageal Cancer Research Consortium - this sub-programme is a focal point of growth and innovation in the PROMEC Unit (to oversee the development of a population-based cancer registry and surveillance system for the Western Cape and to maintain and further develop the

Western Cape and to maintain and further develop the existing cancer registry of the PROMEC Unit in the Eastern Cape Province ● to collaborate with other regional cancer registries, hospitals and cancer researchers, nationally and internationally, particularly with the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) ● to collate and analyse information about cancers diagnosed in the Transkei region and the Western Cape to develop strategies and policies for the prevention, early detection, treatment and control of cancer, particularly oesophageal cancer ● to develop,

implement, analyse and interpret questionnaires to be used in casecontrol studies of oesophageal cancer.

The position therefore calls for a dedicated, hard-working person with experience in cancer epidemiology and the ability to initiate, plan, co-ordinate, undertake, manage and execute research in order to establish the incidence and related risks of human oesophageal and other cancers in the above mentioned areas of South Africa.

The minimum qualifications are a PhD or MB Ch B (M Med) in Epidemiology (Oncology/Public Health) and a minimum of two years experience in the application of epidemiological methods. Computer literacy, including word processing, database experience with the Cancer Registry Programme (CANREG), design of case-control studies, development of questionnaires and statistical analyses, will be strong recommendations. The ability to speak Xhosa will be an advantage.

In return, the MRC offers a total cost of employment remuneration package which includes organisation contribution towards fringe benefits. The MRC is committed to Employment Equity and the embracing of diversity.

Please submit a detailed CV to: Ms Elsie Venter or

Mrs Glenda Schroeder, Human Resources Directorate, MRC, PO Box 19070, Tygerberg 7505 or fax +27 21 938-0829. E-mail can be sent to glenda.schroeder@mrc.ac.za

Closing date: 28 June 2002.



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RESEARCH FELLOW Transplant Biology Program Rochester, Minnesota, U.S.A

A postdoctoral research position is available in the laboratory of Dr. Amy Tang of the Transplant Biology Program at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota, (ref *Cell* 90:459-467, 1997; *Genetics* 148:277-286, 1998; *Development* 128:801-813). Applicants must have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. and should have experience in the fields of signal transduction, molecular biology, biochemistry, genetics, or pharmacogenomics. Experience with Drosophila, forward and reverse genetic screens, and mutant analyses is highly desirable.

Salary will be determined by the successful candidate's experience. There is an attractive benefit package. Mayo Clinic is a not-for-profit organization. Mayo integrates research with clinical practice and education in a multi-campus environment. For further information please visit http://www.mayo.edu/research/.

Applications, including curriculum vitae and bibliography, summary of past accomplishments, and the names of three references, should be sent to:

Dr. Amy Tang
Transplantation Biology
Medical Sciences 2-85
Mayo Clinic, 200 First Street SW
Rochester, MN 55905
507-538-1878
Tang.Amy@mayo.edu

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Tenure-Track Faculty Position Cutaneous Biology Feinberg School of Medicine of Northwestern University

The Department of Dermatology invites applications for a full-time tenure-track appointment at the rank of Assistant Professor or higher. Candidates must hold a Ph.D., or a combined M.D./Ph.D. degree and relevant postdoctoral experience with a strong record of excellence in research. The start date is negotiable. Although the research area in cutaneous biology is open, preference will be give to applicants with significant experience utilizing genetic approaches to study signaling mechanisms regulating development of epithelia and the immune system. Individuals with active grants in this area will be given preference. The successful candidate will be expected to maintain and expand an established, independent, externally funded research program. The individual will also hold a joint appointment in a basic science department with access to graduate students, and is expected to participate in their teaching program. A competitive salary, start-up package, and new laboratory space will be provided.

To insure full consideration, submit the following material: (1) current curriculum vitae and list of publications and grant support; (2) brief statement of research interests; and (3) contact information for three references no later than July 31, 2002 to Dr. John Ansel, Chair, Department of Dermatology, Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University, 675 North St. Clair Street, Suite 19-150, Chicago, IL 60611. E-mail: j-ansel@northwestern.edu. Please refer to Academic Search Number P-231-02.

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ASSISTANT PROFESSOR Molecular Biologist

The Department of Otolaryngology at the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center seeks to fill a full-time, tenure-track position at the level of an Assistant Professor, which begins in September of 2002. Candidates should have a Ph.D. and a research interest and experience in molecular biology/genetics or biochemistry of hearing and at least two years of postdoctoral experience. Preference will be given to candidates with track records of peer-reviewed publications and successful grant activity or the potential for such activity. Responsibilities include developing an independent research program that will lead to external funding; mentoring student research; and participating in departmental, school, and university activities. The successful applicant will have the opportunity to develop research collaborations with senior research faculty within the Department and with other Investigators within the Center. Salary is competitive and negotiable depending on qualifications and experience. The review process will begin immediately and remain open until a suitable candidate is identified. Applicants should submit a cover letter stating research interests and describing how qualifications and experiences fit position requirements, curriculum vitae, reprints of selected publications; and a list of three references to: Chair of Search Committee, Department of Otolaryngology, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center, 4200 East Ninth Avenue, B205, Denver, CO 80262.

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RADIOIMMUNOASSAY LABORATORY UNIT MANAGER: Population Council, an international biomedical reproductive health research organization, seeks Manager to oversee the conduct of radioimmunoassays and/or immunoassays in compliance with GLP regulations. Will provide quantitative bioanalytical support for compounds in preclinical and clinical development. Additional responsibilities include assay development and clinical sample analysis including troubleshooting and technical support, coordination of work assignments for laboratory staff, report writing, maintenance of laboratory equipment, and monitoring of data. Requires M.S. or Ph.D. in biochemistry/analytical chemistry or related field; minimum of three years of assay development, validation, and clinical sample analysis experience. Strong knowledge of GLPs and analytical method development experience is desirable. Please send curriculum vitae and cover letter referencing Job Number 24/02 to: K. Bailey, Human Resources Specialist, Population Council, CBR, 1230 York Avenue, New York, NY 10021. FAX: 212-327-8776; e-mail: kbailey@popcouncil.org. Full job details at website: http://www.popcouncil.org. Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer; Minorities/Females.

POSTDOCTORAL AND GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT POSITIONS Mathematical Cell Biology

An immediate Postdoctoral position is available in mathematical cell biology at University of Nebraska Omaha to investigate mathematical modeling of intracellular signal transduction. This NIH-funded project involves Boolean modeling of complex biochemical pathways and will focus on the development of exact analytical methods to analyze general Boolean networks. For further information, go to website: http://www.unomaha.edu/~wwwmath.

A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH POSITION in cellular electrophysiology is immediately available in the Center for Molecular Cardiology to study voltage-gated ion channels in the heart. Applicants should possess an M.D. and/or Ph.D. and have training in electrophysiology of ion channels. Interested individuals should send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Steven Marx, Cardiology/Medicine, Columbia University, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. E-mails: mat60@columbia.edu. Columbia University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

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PLANT SCIENCE CENTER

COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY AND BIOCHEMISTRY

The Donald Danforth Plant Science Center, an independent research institute in St. Louis, Missouri, announces a position for an entry- or midlevel PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR in computational biology and biochemistry with particular interest in modeling of proteins in metabolic and/or regulatory pathways. The successful candidate will join a growing group of Structural Biologists, Biochemists, Cell Biologists, and Geneticists in fundamental and applied discoveries in plant biology. The Danforth Center is located in a strong scientific community that emphasizes plant and life sciences. Opportunities for adjunct faculty positions in partnering academic institutions. See website: http://www. danforthcenter.org for additional information. Applicant should submit curriculum vitae, selected reprints, and a description of future research to: Ms. Kathleen Mackey, Administrative Assistant, Donald Danforth Plant Science Center, 975 North Warson Road, St. Louis, MO 63132. Email: kmackey@danforthcenter.org. The Donald Danforth Plant Science Center is an Equal Opportunity/ Affirmative Action Employer and encourages applications from underrepresented groups including minorities, women, and people with disabilities.

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, Southeast Poultry Research Laboratory, Athens, Georgia, has openings for three full-time RESEARCH positions: two Microbiologists and one Veterinary Medical Officer (VMO) responsible for conducting basic and applied research on avian influenza, avian pneumovirus, and poult enteritis mortality syndrome. The Scientist will be part of a multidisciplinary team of Scientists. Applicants must possess a Ph.D. degree in a field related to the position. The two Microbiologists will utilize knowledge and skills in molecular biology and infectious clones to develop diagnostic tests, novel vaccines, and study disease pathogenesis. The VMO will utilize knowledge and skills in gross and microscopic pathology to study disease pathogenesis. Candidates must be U.S. citizens; salary commensurate with experience (\$54,275 to \$99,150). For application procedures and forms, contact: Genell Powers; Telephone: 706-546-3029. For information about the research projects, contact: David Swayne; Telephone: 706-546-3433. Applications in response to this advertisement must be marked (ARS-X2S-2230 Microbiologist), (ARS-X2S-2226 Microbiologist), and (ARS-X2S-2227 VMO) position; applications must be postmarked by July 13, 2002. Full text vacancy announcement may be obtained via website: http://www.afm.ars.usda.gov/divisions/hrd/index.html. USDA/ARS is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION at the Eye Research Institute of Oakland University to study cyclic GMP signaling in retina. The selected candidate will purify and characterize retinal membrane proteins phosphorylated in response to cyclic GMP and study regulation of soluble guanylate cyclase. Applicants must have expertise in protein biochemistry and enzyme kinetics. Send curriculum vitae and contact information of three references to: Ari Sitaramayya, Ph.D., Eye Research Institute, Oakland University, Rochester, MI 48309-4480 U.S.A. E-mail: ari@oakland.edu.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available immediately to study the mechanism of action of cytochrome oxidase. Preference will be given to candidates with experience in one or more of the following areas: heme proteins, epr and ft-ir spectroscopy, enzymology. Send résumé to: Dr. Marian Fabian, Department of Biochemistry and Cell Biology, MS140, Rice University, Houston, TX 77005-1892. E-mail: fabian@bioc.rice.edu. Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN

RESEARCH SCIENTIST Molecular Genetics

A Research Scientist position is available immediately in the Molecular Genetics Division of our Musculoskeletal Disease Center. Projects include mapping and identification of candidate genes for the musculoskeletal system in animal and human studies using state-of-the-art molecular genetic techniques. Candidates must have a Ph.D. in molecular biology/genetics with experience in linkage or association studies, statistics, and state-of-the-art molecular biology techniques to identify candidate genes and evaluate their functions. A strong record of scientific publications in molecular genetics and demonstrated ability to compete for external grant funding are essential. Our molecular genetics division focuses on mouse genetics and human genetic diseases with special emphasis on osteoporosis. Salary and benefits are competitive and the possibility exists for a long-term position. Most of our Research Scientists are also nominated for research faculty positions at Loma Linda University, one of our affilated educational institutions. Send curriculum vitae with cover letter, salary requirements, and names/e-mail addresses of three references to: Carol Farrell, Director of Human Resources, LLVARE, P.O. Box 11238, San Bernardino, CA 92423-1238. E-mail: hrm@llvare.org. Equal Opportunity Employer/Affirmative Action Plan Employer.

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF RESEARCH position available immediately to join a cellular and molecular immunology group in the Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine at the University of Virginia, studying mechanisms of acute and chronic lung disease mediated by T cells in a transgenic model (website: http://www.faculty.virginia.edu/enelowlab). M.D. and/or Ph.D. required and minimum of five years of experience in relevant fields to develop independent line of investigation pertaining to TNF-alpha- and interferon-gamma receptor signaling in lung epithelial cells upon T cell recognition. Please forward curriculum vitae to: Ruth P. Cragg, Division Administration, University of Virginia Health System, Pulmonary and Critical Care Division, P.O. Box 800546, Charlottesville, 22908. FAX: 434-924-9692; e-mail: rpc7p@virginia.edu. Position open until filled. The University of Virginia is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer. Females and minorities are encouraged to

STAFF SCIENTIST Scientific Imaging Manager Number KSW-13683 Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

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RESEARCH SCIENTIST POSITIONS Columbia University

Research Scientist positions immediately available in NIH-funded laboratory to investigate molecular mechanisms responsible for integration of signaling pathways in lymphocyte activation/differentiation. Ph.D. or M.D. degree with strong background in molecular biology, protein biochemistry, and immunology required. Experience with transgenic and knockout mice a plus. Send curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Alessandra Pernis, Department of Medicine, Columbia University, 630 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. FAX: 212-305-4478; e-mail: abpl@columbia University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

University of Pennsylvania

Postdoctoral Positions in Cancer Biology

Postdoctoral positions are available to study the following exciting areas of cancer research: cancer cell biology (Craig B. Thompson, M. Celeste Simon, J. Alan Diehl, and Michael F. Olson), signal transduction (Gary Koretzky, Steven L. Reiner, Xianxin Hua, and Yongwon Choi), translational research and the study of the malignant phenotype (Carl June, Mark Greene, and Robert H. Vonderheide), and Gl cancers/cancer genomics (Barbara Weber and Anil Rustgi).

The Abramson Family Cancer Research Institute has a highly interactive research environment and state-of-the-art facilities including core laboratories for transgenic/knock-out technology, microarray analysis of gene expression, nucleic acid and protein sequencing, confocal microscopy and imaging, and flow cytometry Excellent stipends and benefits packages including funds for professional travel are available.

Interested candidates should send curriculum vitae and names and addresses of three references to:

M. Celeste Simon Ph.D., Assoc. Investigator AFCRI & Howard Hughes Medical Institute, celeste2@mail.med.upenn.edu and

J. Alan Diehl, Ph.D. Assistant Professor AFCRI, adiehl@mail.med.upenn.edu

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- 7. Institute of Nuclear Physics
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- participate in research/technology policy planning
- be able to attract external funds, and support research and technological development activities, thus, contributing to the growth and the excellence of the Research Centre.

Applicants must be citizens of any European Union country. They must have a sufficient knowledge of the Greek language and they should be up to 62 years old on 8 April 2002.

Contracts are of five years duration on a full-time basis.

Applicants should forward their application and resume plus publications and citiations list etc (six copies) to the:
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Research Center Supervision Directorate
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or P.O.Box 14631, GR - 11510 Athens, GREECE, Tel.: + 30 10 6911122
Information: E. Goussia, ext. 325, e-mail: egou@gsrt.gr

E. Varsou, ext. 360, e-mail: evars@gsrt.gr Closing date: 17th June 2002



UNIVERSITY

CANCER RESEARCH/MOLECULAR GENETICS/MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

Two Faculty Positions Assistant/Associate Professors

As part of an expansion in Cancer Research, Creighton University invites applications for two tenure-track positions. The area of interest is molecular genetics/molecular biology of cancer. The successful applicants will have the opportunity to collaborate with Henry T. Lynch, M.D. on his on-going projects in hereditary cancer research. Applicants should have the following qualifications: Ph.D., M.D. or M.D./Ph.D. degrees; postdoctoral training, evidence of research accomplishment, and promise to become a leader in the area of cancer molecular genetics. Successful candidates will be expected to conduct a vigorous independent research program and to participate in teaching and training students and fellows. Appointments in one or more departments are possible. Laboratory space, equipment, generous start-up, and the opportunity for on-going funding through an institutional grant from the State of Nebraska Cancer and Smoking Disease Research Program will be available. Applicants should send a curriculum vitae, a brief outline of their research program and future research plans, a statement of teaching interests and arrange for three letters of reference to be sent to: Roderick Nairn, Ph.D., Cancer Molecular Genetics Search Committee Chair, Medical Dean's Office. Creighton University School of Medicine, 2500 California Plaza Omaha, NE 68178.

Applications will be screened immediately and will continue to be accepted until the position is filled.

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INTERDISCIPLINARY SCIENTIST - NIH, NIDCD

The National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD), located in Bethesda, Maryland, is recruiting for a full-time interdisciplinary scientist in the Division of Extramural Research in the area of molecular genetics and molecular biology of hearing and hearing disorders. The incumbent will provide scientific leadership in formulating and supervising a comprehensive program of grant and contract research support and will actively participate in the evaluation of ongoing research in the molecular biology and molecular genetics of hereditary hearing impairment. Incumbent is innovative in developing new research areas related to the mission of the Institute. Contributes to the overall analysis and administration of this program and provides scientific expertise in the areas of molecular biology and molecular genetics and serves as a source of technical knowledge in this area.

This appointment confers government benefits. The salary range is from \$66,229 to \$101,742 per annum and is commensurate with education and experience. Appointee must be a U.S. citizen, resident alien or nonresident alien with a valid employment authorization.

Candidates must meet the qualification standards as described in the Office of Personnel Management's Operating Manual: Qualification Standards for General Schedule Positions for the GS-401/403/440/601/602-13/14.

A recruitment bonus of up to 25% may be available to a non-Federal applicant selected for this position, subject to individual approval. A relocation bonus of up to 25% may be available to a permanent Federal employee who must relocate to accept this position, subject to individual approval. Alternatively, applicants may be eligible for appointment in the Commissioned Corps of the U.S. Public Health Service.

Further information about the position, application procedures and/or qualification requirements may be obtained from http://careerhere.nih.gov or by contacting Ms. Jennings at (301) 402-0508 (voice) or TTY (301) 402-1562. Applicants are required to submit a Curriculum Vitae, Optional Application for Federal Employment (OF-612), Resume, Application for Federal Employment (SF-171), OR any other written format to: Patricia Jennings, NTDCD Personnel Office, 31 Center Drive, Building 31, Room 3C-11, MSC 2320, Bethesda, MD 20892-2320.

Applications must be postmarked by **June 10, 2002**. Please read the vacancy announcement carefully and annotate announcement number NIDCD-02-0012 on your application. *NIH IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER*



PROTEOMICS DIRECTOR PhageTech Inc.

PhageTech, a private biotechnology company located in Montreal, Canada, which is developing novel antimicrobial drugs based on phage genomics, is recruiting for a position of Proteomics Director. The successful candidate will be responsible for bacterial target identification and development and will manage a team of five Scientists. Qualified candidates will have a Ph.D. in biology or biochemistry with management experience and experience in target characterization or assay development; familiarity with enzymology, mass spectroscopy analysis, ligand/receptor analysis, or bacterial physiology would be an asset. Please forward your curriculum vitae to e-mail: info@phagetech.com or mail to: PhageTech Inc., Human Resources, 7170 Frederick Banting, Second Floor, St. Laurent, QC H4S 2A1 Canada. FAX: 514-332-6033.

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE

To direct hour-to-hour activities of a research laboratory focused on epithelial biology of intestinal epithelia as it relates to eukaryotic-prokaryotic interactions and to interactions between inflammatory cells and epithelial cells. Direction of technicians and Post-doctoral Fellows as well as direct participation in the projects would be necessary and thus a broad background in the above fields would be optimal. The laboratory will be transferring to Chicago summer 2002 and will be adjacent to other laboratories focused on epithelial biology of the intestine. The Principal Investigator has been active in the above areas for several years, is well funded via NIH, and will serve as Dean of the School of Medicine and Biological Sciences Division. Please send curriculum vitae with cover letter and direct two letters of reference to:

James L. Madara, M.D.
Dean, Division of the Biological Sciences and
the Pritzker School of Medicine
Vice President for Medical Affairs
The University of Chicago
5841 South Maryland Avenue, MC 1000
Chicago, IL 60637

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Applications should be received by July 1, 2002.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

NIH-funded Postdoctoral position is available to study the response cells to hypoxia and the regulation of VEGF and hypoxia-inducible factor-1\(\alpha\) in cancer cells (Cancer Research 60:5879, 2000; J. Biol. Chem. 276:9519, 2001). Recent Ph.D. graduates with background in molecular biology and with animal experience are encouraged to apply. Send curriculum vitae with three references to: Amit Maity, M.D., Ph.D., University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, 195 John Morgan Building, 3620 Hamilton Walk, Philadelphia, PA 19104. E-mail: maitv@mail.med.upenn.edu. University of Pennsylvania is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

RESEARCH FELLOW POSITIONS available to study the biochemical and molecular aspects of cell-cell and cell-matrix interactions and signal transduction in leukocytes. Representative projects (funded by NIH) include identifying signaling proteins responsible for a novel leukocyte deficiency as well as understanding the roles of integrin and protease receptors in several disease models. To apply, send curriculum vitae and three references to: Holland Laboratory, American Red Cross, 15601 Crabbs Branch Way, Rockville, MD 20855. E-mail: zhangl@usa.redcross.org. Equal Opportunity Employer; Minorities/Females/Disabled/Veterans.

POSITIONS OPEN

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Research Service, Southeast Poultry Research Laboratory, Athens, Georgia, has an opening for a full-time RESEARCH PHYSIOLOGIST responsible for conducting basic and applied research on the physiologic impact (emphasis on endocrinologic) of molting on Salmonella enteritidis contamination of chicken eggs. The incumbent will (1) utilize knowledge and skills in endocrinology and reproductive physiology to identify and develop methods to recycle laying hens without increasing the risk for production of Salmonella enteritidis-contaminated eggs, and (2) the incumbent will define physiological and physiological alterations that occur in the hen during feed withdrawal to induce molt verses alternative molt procedures. Knowledge of reproductive physiology and endocrinology, biochemistry, statistics, and poultry production is desirable. Candidates must be U.S. citizens and Ph.D. degree related to the position is preferred. Salary commensurate with experience (\$54,275 to \$99,150). For application procedures and forms, contact: Genell Powers; Telephone: 706-546-3029. For information about the research project, contact: David Swayne; Telephone: 706-546-3433. Applications in response to this advertisement must be marked ARS-X2S-2237 and applications must be post-marked by June 13, 2002. Full text vacancy announcement may be obtained via website: http:// www.afm.ars.usda.gov/divisions/hrd/index. html. USDA/ARS is an Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Drosophila Mutagenesis Massachusetts General Hospital/ Harvard Medical School

My laboratory is developing novel technologies for the high-throughput generation of mutant *Drosophila* strains (e.g., *Genetics* **156**:1169–1173, 2000). These techniques will be useful for a number of functional genomic and genetic applications including the systematic recovery of knockout mutations in genes identified by microarray analysis and to obtain point mutations in splice-specific variants of known genes. A Postdoctoral position is available for a motivated individual who enjoys developing and optimizing new research techniques. Experience with Drosophila genetics and/or molecular biology techniques required. Send curriculum vitae, a summary of research interests, and three letters of recommendation to: Charles Dearolf, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Massachusetts General Hospital, Jackson 1402, 55 Fruit Street, Boston, MA 02114. E-mail: cdearolf@ partners.org.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION to study molecular deficiency, DNA repair, and protein interaction in premature aging syndromes. Candidate should have strong background in DNA damage/repair methodology, general molecular biology, and/or cellular biology. Position limited to M.D.s and Ph.D.s with less than five years of postdoctoral experience. Forward curriculum vitae and three letters of recommendation to: Vilhelm A. Bohr, M.D., Ph.D., Laboratory of Molecular Gerontology, Gerontology Research Center, NIA, 5600 Nathan Shock Drive, Box 1, Baltimore, MD 21224-6825. For further information, e-mail Dr. V. Bohr, Chief LMG; e-mail: vbohr@nih.gov.

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POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW interested in molecular basis of cerebral energy utilization and failure. Laboratory focus is on conditions that cause neurological disorders using molecular genetics, biochemistry, functional and metabolic brain imaging of transgenic/knockout animal models, and experimental therapeutics. Training and experience in molecular biology or biochemistry are required. Send curriculum vitae to: Darryl C. DeVivo, M.D., Columbia University's Division of Pediatric Neurology, Neurological Institute, Room 201, 710 West 168th Street, New York, NY 10032. E-mail: dcd1@columbia.edu. Columbia University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITIONS OPEN



Pennington Biomedical Research Center, a Louisiana State University facility, is accepting applications for RESEARCH ASSOCIATE and POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER positions. For information on employment options, see our website: http://www.pbrc.edu.

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One POSTDOCTORAL POSITION at Oregon State University in the Department of Chemistry. Must have a background in biological mass spectrometry. The applicant is responsible for research on protein structural analysis using H/D exchange and electrospray mass spectrometry to elucidate structures. Applicants must have a Ph.D. in biochemistry, organic chemistry, or a related field that qualifies the applicant to conduct research in structural biology. Experience in high-pressure liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry of biomolecules is highly desired. Four years of research experience including research leading to the Doctoral thesis is required. This position is funded through grant funds. Please send résumé, a letter of interest, list of publications, and two letters of recommendation to: Professor Max L. Deinzer, Department of Chemistry, 153 Gilbert Hall, OSU, Corvallis, OR 97331-4003. Telephone: 541-737-1773; FAX: 541-737-0497; email: deinzerm@orst.edu. For full consideration, apply by June 15, 2002. OSU is an Affirmative Action/ Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSITION AVAILABLE with Dr. Richard A. Dixon with project funded by the National Science Foundation Plant Genome Program. Must have experience in DNA microarray analysis. Project will involve combined measurements of global transcript and protein and metabolite levels in elicited cells of Medicago truncatula. Ph.D. and previous experience in molecular biology and/or biochemistry required. Organizational skills and ability to work collaboratively with various research groups are essential. Salary commensurate with experience (\$36,500 to \$45,600). Application and job description obtainable from website: http://www.noble.org. To apply, send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and names of three references to: The Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation, Inc., Human Resources Department, Position Number PB-S095-32, P.O. Box 2180, Ardmore, OK 73402. E-mail: nfhr@noble.org; website: http://www.noble.org/

POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS Cutaneous Biology

Postdoctoral Fellowships available immediately for training in cellular and molecular dermatology. Projects include investigations of aging and photoaging, melanoma and nonmelanoma skin cancer, wound healing, psoriasis genetics, and translational research. Due to NIH restrictions, two positions are open only to U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Unrestricted positions also available. Please indicate your area of interest and send curriculum vitae and references to: Dr. James T. Elder, 3312 CCGC, University of Michigan, Arbor, MI 48109-0932. FAX: 734-763-4575; email: jelder@umich.edu. The University of Michigan is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS at University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore, to study endothelial cell biology. Will utilize molecular techniques to study protein-protein interactions and signaling events. Experience with tissue culture, recombinant DNA technology, gene transfer, glycobiology, and protein tyrosine phosphatases desirable. Call Dr. S. E. Goldblum; Telephone: 410-605-7192. FAX résumé and references to: FAX: 410-605-7914; e-mail: simeon.goldblum@med.va.gov. Equal Opportunity Employer.

Norris Cotton Cancer Center Dartmouth Medical School

Cancer Research Scientists

The Cancer Center at Dartmouth, one of 40 NCI-designated comprehensive cancer centers, invites applications for tenure track faculty positions at all levels. Construction of a new multidisciplinary cancer research center with laboratories and clinical facilities is underway, and is slated for completion in the summer of 2003. We seek interactive scientists with research interests in any area of the basic and translational sciences relevant to the study of cancer. In addition to an appointment in the NCCC, recruited faculty will receive primary appointments in an appropriate department of Dartmouth Medical School, and will have teaching, clinical, and administrative opportunities and responsibilities that reflect their interests and institutional needs.

Interested applicants should submit a letter of application with a statement of career goals and a curriculum vitae to: Dr. Mark Israel, Director, Norris Cotton Cancer Center, One Medical Center Drive, Lebanon, NH, 03756. Letters of recommendation from three individuals should be sent to the same address. Review of applications from senior candidates will begin June 1, 2002. Review of applications for Assistant Professor positions will commence on November 1, 2002.

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Tenure Track Faculty Positions Department of Cell and Molecular Pharmacology

Medical University of South Carolina Charleston, South Carolina

The Department of Cell and Molecular Pharmacology at the Medical University of South Carolina seeks applicants for new tenure track faculty positions. Applicants at the Assistant Professor level are preferred, but appointments at the Associate Professor level will be considered for applicants with independent, funded research programs. Candidates are sought, in particular, to complement existing research programs of the department in cell signaling, cancer biology, cardiovascular pharmacology, and toxicology through the application of pharmacogenomics, bioinformatics, or molecular modeling; but applications will be considered in all fields. New faculty will have access to competitive salary and startup funds and benefit from protected time for the establishment of a nationally competitive research program.

The department provides teaching to multiple colleges within the university, and all faculty are expected to participate in both professional and graduate education as well as maintain an active research program. The Medical University of South Carolina is a rapidly growing research environment. Extramural research support has consistently increased over the past 10 years, topping \$123 million last year. Major research centers include the Hollings Cancer Center, Gazes Cardiovascular Research Institute, Neuroscience Institute, Children's Research Institute, Center for Aging, and the Center for Advanced Imaging Research. New program development is underway in Structural Biology, Bioinformatics, and Bioengineering. State-of-the-art research facilities include x-ray crystallography, mass spectrometry, proteomics, microarrays, functional imaging, and confocal microscopy. The Charleston area provides an outstanding quality of life in a historic coastal community offering excellent opportunities in the arts, sports, recreation, and cuisine.

Please send a curriculum vitae, statement of research interests, and three letters of recommendation addressing both research and teaching potential to: Pharmacology Search Committee, c/o Jerry G. Webb, Ph.D., Department of Pharmacology, Medical University of South Carolina, 173 Ashley Avenue, Charleston, SC 29425.

http://www2.musc.edu/pharm/pharm.html

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Dinosaur Paleontologist (Research Geologist) Smithsonian Institution National Museum of Natural History

The Department of Paleobiology seeks a permanent, full-time Curator whose research specialty is in the evolution, systematics, paleoecology and/or functional morphology of Mesozoic Dinosauria and/or related Reptilia. The position will be filled at the GS12/13 level (salary range of \$55,694 to \$86,095 commensurate with experience.) In addition to a record of peer-reviewed research publications on dinosaurs and/or related Reptilia, applicants are expected to have experience and interest in science education as well as conducting vertebrate paleontological fieldwork.

Each applicant must send a curriculum vitae, including a complete list of publications (no reprints), and a statement of research and education interests and goals to: Smithsonian Institution, Office of Human Resources, P.O. Box 50638, Washington, DC 20091. Applications must be received by June 28, 2002 and must reference MPA Number 02AD-1186. Please contact Audrey Davis at 202-275-1005 with questions. Applicants must arrange for at least 3 letters of reference to be sent.

The Smithsonian Institution is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Preference will be given to applicants with US citizenship.





BRIGHAM & WOMEN'S HOSPITAL HARVARD MEDICAL SCHOOL

The Brigham and Women's Hospital's Vascular Medicine Research Unit is conducting a search for a talented investigator (either M.D., Ph.D. or both) to fill a tenure-track position at the level of Assistant Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School. The successful candidate will have demonstrated achievement in the area of vascular biology that will complement the expertise already available in the unit. Particular areas of interest include angiogenesis and vascular physiology/pathology. Special consideration will be given to candidates experienced with in vivo models of vascular disease and/or experienced in animal physiology/pathology. Evidence of ability to secure independent funding is required, along with potential to conduct an independent research program in a highly integrative and collaborative environment. Details about the Vascular Medicine Research Unit can be found at http:// vmru.bwh.harvard.edu. Applicants should submit a curriculum vitae, a description of research interests, and three letters of reference to: James K. Liao, M.D., Director, Vascular Medicine Research, Brigham and Women's Hospital, 65 Landsdowne Street, Room 275, Cambridge, MA 02139.

Brigham and Women's Hospital is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply. The USDA, Agricultural Research Service is accepting applications for a senior scientist to head its Proteomics Research Laboratory in Ithaca, NY. The successful candidate should have a strong background in protein biochemistry and have experience in protein separation and analysis techniques, such as the generation and analysis of 2D-gels from complex biological samples, multidimensional liquid chromatography, and mass spectrometry for characterization of proteins. The candidate is expected to join ongoing collaborative projects within the ARS in plant and microbial functional genomics, adapt and extend highthroughput proteomics protocols, and direct a laboratory that includes an ABI 4700 tandem time-of-flight mass spectrometer. Preference will be given to applicants with a proven interest in interdisciplinary research projects, publications in an area relevant to proteomics, experience in supervision of research projects with staff and research students and effective project management skills. Salary is commensurate with experience (\$64,542 to \$99,150). Applicants must be U.S. citizens.

For more detailed information on this vacancy, visit http://www.afm.ars.usda.gov/divisions/hrd/index.html on the Internet. For information on the research program contact Dr. Leon Kochian (lvk1@cornell.edu). Applications must be marked ARS-X2E-2267 and postmarked by June 10, 2002.

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POSITIONS OPEN



The University of Kansas Medical Center has an immediate opening for a POSTDOCTORAL PO-SITION. This is an excellent opportunity to join an established research program on evaluation of mechanisms of CNS disease in macaques infected with SIV and SHIV. Studies in cell culture systems involve evaluation of effects of cytokines and chemokines that regulate virus gene expression. Other studies will be directed to identification of molecules that will interfere with pathological expression of these host response genes in efforts to modulate virus gene expression. Studies in cell culture are closely correlated with neuropathogenic effects of the infection in the animals. Requires a Ph.D. in microbiology, molecular biology, biochemistry, immunology, or a related field. Training in virology and molecular biology (signaling pathways and transcription factors) would strengthen qualifications for the position. Submit curriculum vitae and names of three references to: Dr. Opendra Narayan, Professor and Chairman, Microbiology Department, 5000 WHE, University of Kansas Medical Center, 3901 Rainbow Boulevard, Kansas City, KS 66160-7420. E-mail: bnarayan@kumc.edu; FAX: 913-588-5599; website: http://www2. kumc.edu/hr.

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POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE Vertebrate Muscle Development

Applications are invited for a two-year Postdoctoral position in the developmental biology laboratory of Alan Rawls at Arizona State University. The position is funded through the Muscular Dystrophy Association-sponsored research projects on characterizing the embryonic stem cell populations of skeletal muscle. Evidence of a strong background in experimental methods in molecular and developmental biology is desired; expertise with muscle development and transgenic mice is advantageous. A Ph.D. in biology or related area is required prior to appointment. Candidates must not currently hold a permanent faculty position. Start date: approximately September 1, 2002.

Applicants must submit the following to: Dr. Alan Rawls, Department of Biology, P.O. Box 871501, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ 85287-1501: (1) cover letter detailing experience; (2) curriculum vitae; (3) three letters of recommendation; (4) copies of reprints; and (5) description of previous research. Contact prior to application is encouraged (e-mail: jrawls@imap4.asu.edu; Telephone: 480-727-6676). Application deadline is June 15, 2002, with applications considered weekly therafter until the position is filled. Arizona State University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

A POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATE position is available immediately for an individual interested in the pathobiology of vascular calcification arising in response to diabetes and aging. Research efforts emphasize the molecular genetics of Msx homeoproteins and nuclear receptor coregulators in vascular injury responses. This bench-to-bedside research activity applies both *in vivo* and *in vitro* molecular biology and imaging techniques. Experience in murine genetics is desirable. Interested M.D., Ph.D., or M.D.-Ph.D. candidates should send their curriculum vitae to:

Dwight A. Towler, M.D., Ph.D.
Director, Division of Bone and Mineral Diseases
Departments of Medicine and Molecular
Biology/Pharmaceuticals
Washington University School of Medicine
Box 8301
660 South Euclid
St. Louis, MO 63110
FAX: 314-454-5047
E-mail: dtowler@im.wustl.edu

POSITIONS OPEN

RESEARCH CHEMIST POSITION University of California, Berkeley

The College of Chemistry seeks a Research Chemist in the NMR facility. The facility currently houses five NMR spectrometers (one 500, two 400, and two 300 MHz instruments); EPR spectrometer; and several work stations. Acquisition of a new 500 MHz instrument and console replacement for the 400 MHz instruments are underway.

Primary responsibility is to provide comprehensive NMR spectroscopy support and user training to approximately 300 users with varying needs and diverse research efforts. Additional duties include assisting with upgrades, writing proposals for new instrumentation, assisting technical staff with spectrometer maintenance, and performing administrative duties. Research opportunities will be available and are actively encouraged.

Required qualifications: strong background in liquids (and, ideally, solids) NMR using Bruker and/or Varian instruments; solid understanding of NMR hardware and software technology, design, and application of complex pulse experiments; and experience in structural and conformational analysis. Basic UNIX, C, Perl, Tcl/Tk, and CGI background a plus. Excellent written and verbal communication skills essential.

Please send cover letter, résumé, and contact information for three references to: NMR Search Committee, c/o Marianela R. Macedo, College of Chemistry, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720-1460. Salary and appointment commensurate with experience. Closing date for applications is July 15, 2002. The University of California is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

RESEARCH POSITIONS, POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW(S)/TECHNICIAN(S): chronobiology laboratory, W.J.B. Dorn Veterans Administration Medical Center research and development in Columbia, South Carolina. To study the mechanisms by which circadian and mammalian reproductive cycles affect cancer biology. Candidates should have experience in molecular, cellular, and biochemical techniques as well as in vivo tumor biology. Eventual independent funding and progression to junior faculty level expected. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Bill Hrushesky, W.J.B. Dorn VAMC (151), 6439 Garners Ferry Road, Columbia, SC 29209.

A POSTDOCTORAL POSITION is immediately available at University of Virginia Medical School. We are seeking someone with training in biology but interested in applying physical approaches, such as probe microscopy, optical methods, and single molecule detection, to solve biological problems. Specific projects range from single molecular motors to chromatin structures to pore-forming bacterial toxins. Interested candidates please forward your curriculum vitae, research interests, and references to: Dr. Zhifeng Shao; e-mail: zs9q@virginia.edu.

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POSTDOCTORAL POSITION: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill seeks Ph.D. to work with a multidisciplinary group in cardiothoracic surgery and pulmonary medicine. This translational project will employ gene arrays to study human and murine ischemia-reperfusion lung injury. Experience with RNA extraction and purification essential; experience with cDNA arrays preferred. Inquiries: T. Egan, M.D., Director, UNC Lung Transplant Program; e-mail: ltxtme@med.unc.edu; Telephone: 919-966-3381; FAX: 919-966-3475.

CANCER IMMUNOLOGY/GENE THERAPY Harvard Medical School

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS available for individuals with expertise in T/B cell biology, animal tumor models, antibodies, phage display single cell PCR, retroviral vectors. Send résumé, summary of research interests, names of three references by FAX to: **Dr. R. P. Junghans; FAX: 617-432-7007**.

POSITIONS OPEN



POSTDOCTORAL POSITION Cadherins and Catenins in Development and Cancer

Position available for a recent Ph.D. recipient to study the role of cell adhesion in tissue morphogenesis. Potential areas of study include the molecular mechanisms underlying the regulation of cadherins and protocadherins, the control of beta-catenin signaling by cadherins and the APC tumor suppressor protein, and the roles of these processes in embryonic development and tissue morphogenesis.

The candidate should have a strong background in either cell, molecular, developmental biology, or biochemistry.

Letters of application briefly describing your research interests, curriculum vitae, and two or three letters of reference should be sent to: Barry M. Gumbiner, Ph.D., Department of Cell Biology, University of Virginia Health System, P.O. Box 800732, Charlottesville, VA 22908-0732. Equal Opportunity Employer/Affirmative Acton.

A RESEARCH FELLOW POSITION is available immediately to examine the role of RGS (regulator of G protein signaling) proteins in heterotrimeric G protein-mediated signal transduction processes (*Nature* 379:742; 383:172, 1996). Studies include characterization of RGSs in inflammatory and immune processes using transgenic and knockout mice. An M.D. or Ph.D. degree and at least five years of postdoctoral experience in cellular and molecular biology and some animal handling experience is required. Familiarity with G protein biochemistry and knockout technology is desirable. Salary based on relevant experience and education. Send cover letter, curriculum vitae, summary of past work, and names and addresses of three references to:

Dr. Kirk Druey
Laboratory of Allergic Diseases
NIAID/NIH/Twinbrook II, Room 203
12441 Parklawn Drive
Rockville, MD 20852 U.S.A.
E-mail: kdruey@atlas.niaid.nih.gov

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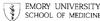
SENIOR POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW OR JUNIOR FACULTY POSITION Immediate Opening at Harvard

Training and knowledge in immunology and molecular biology needed. Ph.D. or M.D. experience in current laboratory techniques required. Focus of the laboratory is molecular pathogenesis of autoimmune mucocutaneous diseases. Managerial, organization skills, and experience in supervising graduate students preferred. Good communication skills are essential. Experience in grants writing a plus. Salary based on experience, publications, and rank at appointment. Send résumé to:

Razzaque Ahmed, M.D. Center for Blistering Diseases Harvard Medical School and New England Baptist Hospital 70 Parker Hill Avenue, Suite 208 Boston, MA 02120

POSTDOCTORAL POSITIONS in prion research are available to study the mechanism of conformational conversions, anyloid fibril formation, and/or membrane interactions of the recombinant prion protein. Candidates should have experience in protein chemistry, biophysical methods, and/or protein-membrane interactions. Send curriculum vitae to: W. K. Surewicz, Ph.D., Department of Physiology and Biophysics, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH 44106. E-mail: wks3@pop.cwru.edu.

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CHAIR THE WALLACE H. COULTER DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND EMORY UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

The College of Engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology (Georgia Tech) and the School of Medicine at Emory University are seeking nominations and applications from qualified individuals for the position of Chair of The Wallace H. Coulter Department of Biomedical Engineering (BME). The Department is a joint department of both institutions, and the Chair reports directly to the Dean of Engineering at Georgia Tech and the Dean of the School of Medicine at Emory. The Department has space and facilities on both campuses, and offers a range of BME degree: a Bachelor's degree in BME; Master's and PhD. Degrees in Bioengineering; and a joint Ph.D. degree in Biomedical Engineering that is awarded by Emory and Georgia Tech. The Department is presently at 20 equivalent full time faculty members and is projected to grow to 27 by 2006. Projected student enrollment is 400 undergraduate students and 150 graduate students.

The U.A. Whitaker Building is under construction on the Georgia Tech campus and is projected for completion in July 2003. Until that time, BME programs at Georgia Tech are located in the Bioengineering and Bioscience Building, a facility that opened in 1999. At Emory, the Department is located in the Woodruff Memorial Research Building, and these facilities are undergoing renovation for additional laboratories and faculty offices.

Research themes for the Coulter Department include: cardiovascular biomechanics and biology; cell and tissue engineering; neuroscience/engineering; biomedical imaging; biomedical modeling and computing; and cancer-related technologies. Additional information can be found at www.bme.gatech.edu or www.bme.emory.edu.

Candidates for the position of Chair must have an earned doctoral degree and national/international recognition in their specific discipline(s) with a record of excellence in technical, academic and professional achievements. The Chair is expected to maintain a vigorous research program and to provide academic and administrative leadership. Experience in working in an interdisciplinary engineering/medical environment is critical. Salary and benefits are highly competitive.

Applications and nominations should include a current curriculum vitae and names and addresses of three references. Submit materials addressed to: Roger P. Webb, Ph.D., Co-Chairman, and R. Wayne Alexander, M.D., Co-Chairman, Biomedical Engineering Search Committee, c/o The Wallace H. Coulter Department of Biomedical Engineering, 315 Ferst Drive, Suite 1122, Atlanta, GA 30332-0535, attn. Ms. Joanne Wheatley. Applications via email to: joanne.wheatley@bme.gatech.edu are encouraged. The BME Search Committee will review applications until the position is filled.

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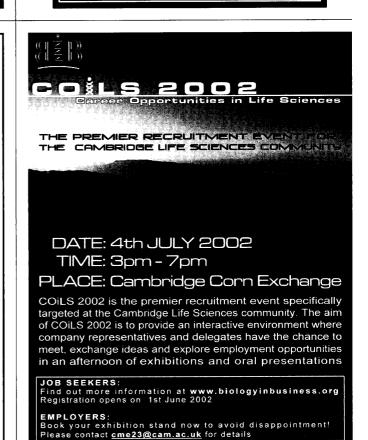
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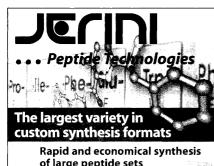
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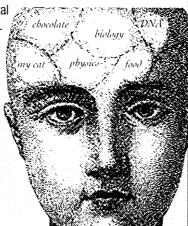
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