University of Wisconsin - Madison

Position Vacancy Listing

PVL # 80406

Working Title:
Scientist

Official Title:
ASSOCIATE SCIENTIST(E10FN) or ASSISTANT SCIENTIST(E10LN)

Degree and area of specialization:
PhD in biology, biochemistry, biophysics or related discipline.

Minimum number of years and type of relevant work experience:
Three years experience (post-doctoral or staff positions) in serial section tomography/cryotomography. Experience should include sample preparation, microscope operation, data acquisition and data analysis. The scientist should have sufficient experience and knowledge to work independently to develop protocols applicable for analysis of the nanostructures and troubleshoot problems in all aspects of their analysis.

Principal duties:
The project will focus on elucidating the architecture of novel bacterial nanostructures, and study nanoscale interactions between cells that these structures may mediate. These goals will be addressed by the application of serial section tomography/cryotomography and the scientist should have experience in at least one of these areas. Scientist will work closely with PI in this unique research to ensure research progress.

Duties

1. Work on experimental design.

2. Independently develop protocols applicable for analysis of the nanostructures.

3. Develop samples of interest for tomographic studies.

4. Perform tomographic analyses of samples and data processing.

5. Troubleshoot problems in all aspects of the analysis.

6. Interpret data.

7. Develop manuscripts for publication of the research.

A criminal background check will be conducted prior to hiring.
A period of evaluation will be required

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Employee Class:
Academic Staff

Department(s):
CALS/SOIL SCIENCE

Full Time Salary Rate: Minimum $40,861 ANNUAL (12 months) Depending on Qualifications

Term:
This is a renewable appointment.
Appointment percent: 100%
Anticipated begin date: SEPTEMBER 21, 2014
Number of Positions: 1

TO ENSURE CONSIDERATION
Application must be received by: SEPTEMBER 16, 2014

HOW TO APPLY:

Unless another application procedure has been specified above, please send resume and cover letter referring to Position Vacancy Listing #80406 to:

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NOTE: Unless confidentiality is requested in writing, the names of applicants must be released upon request. Finalists cannot be guaranteed confidentiality. In the case where there are fewer than five finalists, the names of the five most qualified candidates must be released upon request.

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