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CENTER FOR GENOME FUNCTION

FUNDAMENTAL GENETIC AND EPIGENETIC MECHANISMS

Three Tenure-Track Positions at the University of Oregon

The Institute of Molecular Biology (IMB) at the University of Oregon announces a cluster hire initiative to build a center for integrated genetic and epigenetic studies at the University of Oregon. Interest in this research area has never been higher due to important discoveries and major conceptual and technical advances. The Center for Genome Function will be focused on understanding the processes that control the function and fate of our genomes.

Spanning a Narrowing Divide Between Genetics, Biochemistry, and Cell Biology

Genetic and epigenetic researchers are seeking both to solve basic problems in molecular genetics and to advance our understanding of how abnormalities in genome function lead to prevalent human diseases, including cancer, neurodegenerative diseases, mental disabilities, birth defects and infertility. The Center for Genome Function will elucidate important biological mechanisms and should contribute to our ability to both diagnose and treat a wide range of human diseases.

Seeking faculty in Biology, Biochemistry and Beyond

Building on IMB’s rich history of transformative interdisciplinary research, the Center is seeking faculty members who are using model systems to study fundamental problems in genetics, epigenetics, chromatin and RNA biology. Appointments may be made in any academic department, at any rank and there is no application deadline. The positions will remain open until filled. This initiative is part of the University of Oregon’s Cluster of Excellence Faculty Hiring campaign. For more information, please visit: http://bit.ly/1SGvUKq

Inquiries/nominations can be sent to Eric Selker at GenomeFunction@uoregon.edu.