

Pasteur Mérieux Sérums & Vaccins Post-Doctoral Fellowship

"Oxidative Stress and HIV Infection"

Consistent with its commitment to advance the knowledge of mechanisms involved in Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), the Pasteur Mérieux Sérums & Vaccins Company is sponsoring a post-doctoral fellowship in the field of "Oxidative stress and HIV Infection."

Purpose

The Pasteur Mérieux Sérums & Vaccins Post-Doctoral Fellowship is designed to encourage the research on existing relationships between oxidative stress and HIV Infection. The research can involve the immunological, virological, biochemical or molecular aspects of this subject, or the study of the oxidative stress in animal models of retroviral infection. Different models of oxidative stress may be investigated:
U.V., γ radiation, heat, oxygen, TNF α , PMA.

Eligibility

The fellowship is available to post-doctoral trainees beyond the Ph.D. or M.D.

Award

The fellowship consists of US \$ 30,000 to 40,000 (depending on experience) to cover all personal living expenses for a duration of 1 year in a chosen laboratory.

Jury Members

L. MONTAGNIER, Institut Pasteur, Paris, France.
J. F. DELFRAISSY, Professor of Internal Medicine, Immunology, Hôpital A. Bécclère, Paris, France.
B. HALLIWELL, Professor of Medicine and Biochemistry, King's College, London, UK.
M. INOUE, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry, Medical School of Kumamoto University, Japan.
P. S. LIETMAN, Director, Division of Clinical Pharmacology, The Johns Hopkins University of School of Medicine, USA.

Instructions for completing application

Each application must include the following:

1. Letter from the Department Chairman who will oversee the applicant's work. This letter should attest willingness to guide the selected fellow during his or her year of fellowship, and to provide a suitable laboratory setting for conducting the research.
2. A curriculum vitae of no more than two (2) pages which must include applicant's full name, social security number, date of birth, marriage status, residence, phone number, colleges and universities attended, degrees received, post-graduate training, research experience, scholarly awards, publications, and medical experience, if any. All years of education and experience since high school must be accounted for.
3. No more than five (5) pages, single-spaced, describing the project proposed by the applicant. The proposal should include:
 - (a) A concise title and an abstract (150 to 200 words) describing the proposed research:
 - (b) A brief review of the scientific background of the proposed investigation:
 - (c) A discussion covering the objectives of the work and methods to be employed:
 - (d) A description of general and special facilities and equipment available.

Eight copies of the complete application form should be sent to Dr R. EL HABIB, Pasteur Mérieux Sérums & Vaccins, Post-Doctoral Fellowship, 1541, avenue Marcel Mérieux, 69280 Marcy l'Etoile, France.

Deadline

The deadline for submission is 30 September 1991.

**The Pasteur Mérieux Sérums & Vaccins Fellowship
will be awarded in a major AIDS Congress**



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