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Tenure-track Assistant or Associate Professor of Genetics/Genome Sciences

The Department of Human Genetics at the University of Utah School of Medicine (www.genetics.utah.edu) seeks outstanding applicants for tenure-track positions at the level of Assistant or Associate Professor. We are looking for a highly creative scientist who uses genetics to investigate fundamental biological problems. We especially encourage applicants whose research focuses on human and medical genetics using functional, computational, or evolutionary genomics and/or model organisms. As part of a vibrant community of collaborative faculty on campus, the Department of Human Genetics lies at the interface between basic and clinical sciences, creating ample opportunities for interdisciplinary studies (e.g., the newly formed Center for Genetic Discovery). Our institution is set in a unique recreational and geographical landscape that attracts a very diverse and productive scientific community. Successful candidates will receive a generous startup package and enjoy a stimulating research environment that places a strong emphasis on innovation and interaction.

Our submission deadline is **November 14, 2014**. To apply, please see the following website: <http://utah.peopleadmin.com/postings/35937>. For questions regarding this posting or your application, please contact Natalie Johnson at: njohnson@genetics.utah.edu

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FIVE ASSISTANT PROFESSOR TENURE-TRACK POSITIONS CENTER FOR MOLECULAR AGRICULTURE

Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, invites applications from outstanding basic scientists for five tenure-track assistant professor positions that will be part of a new Center for Molecular Agriculture. With the establishment of this Center, we aim to build a team of scientists that will cooperatively address grand challenges in plant biology including, but not limited to, the molecular basis of complex traits, genome interactions with the biotic and abiotic environment, the role of metabolic and cellular processes in determining phenotypes, and the molecular/genetic basis for developmental plasticity and adaptation in changing environments. We seek individuals with vigorous and innovative research programs that address fundamental questions in plant biology and who are eager to be part of an interdisciplinary team that will discover basic principles that may contribute to improving agricultural productivity and sustainability on regional, national, and international scales. Candidates utilizing computational/modeling approaches; biosensor/imaging technologies; and working on molecular, organismal or ecosystem levels are all encouraged to apply. The successful candidates will be expected to develop internationally recognized and extramurally funded scholarly research programs, interact with diverse faculty across the Purdue campus, teach undergraduate and graduate level courses and excel in doing so, and function as active and involved members of the Center. The Center is part of the Plant Sciences Research and Education Pipeline, which also includes facilities for genome editing, plant transformation, high-throughput phenotyping, and a plant commercialization incubator. This is an academic year appointment.

Applicants should have a Ph.D. in life, computational, or physical sciences, preferably with at least two years of post-doctoral experience or its equivalent, a strong publication record, the potential to develop a vigorous, extramurally funded research program, and a commitment to both hypothesis-driven research and teaching excellence. Applications should be submitted electronically to molecularag@purdue.edu and must include a cover letter, curriculum vitae, two-page summary of research interests, statement of teaching objectives/interests, and the names and contact information for three references. Screening of applications will begin **December 1, 2014** and will continue until the positions are filled. A background check is required for employment in this position.

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