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Chinese–foreign Cooperation: Boosting Construction of “The Belt and Road”

“The Belt and Road,” an initiative put forward by President Xi Jinping, refers to the Silk Road Economic Belt and the 21st Century Maritime Silk Road and its far-reaching strategic significance for modern Chinese construction and world development. The initiative meets the common demands of the countries along the route, creates development opportunities for these countries, and encourages international cooperation. The core principles of the initiative can be distilled to six words: “discussing together, combining construction, enjoying together,” quoted from Guangming Daily. “The Belt and Road” encompasses areas such as policy, facilities, trade, funding, and popular sentiment.

China will seek points where bilateral interests, wisdom, and creativity yield the best cooperation. Currently many Chinese firms and universities participate in overseas development, yet the lack of Chinese and foreign high-level talented people limit these plans. The related areas for “The Belt and Road” will be broader, and the demand for all kinds of talent will be stronger than these initiatives. Multinational companies tend to mainly employ talent within their own country. In contrast, the cooperation between China’s companies or universities and the countries involved in “The Belt and Road” will draw upon local resources and will achieve prompt results with half the effort.

In the area of “The Belt and Road” educational cooperation, Chinese universities have already made remarkable achievements. In May 2015, nearly 100 universities from 22 countries convened in Xi’an, jointly issuing the “Xi’an Declaration,” which officially launched the “University Association of New Silk Road” under the co-sponsorship of 21 universities, including Xi’an Jiaotong University. On October 17, 2015, 47 universities, including Lanzhou University, Fudan University, Russian Urals State University of Economics, and Korean Pukyong National University, and eight countries along the route of “The Belt and Road” jointly published the “Dunhuang Consensus,” which set up a strategic alliance. With the theme of building a “The Belt and Road” higher education community and creating development along the route, the alliance promotes comprehensive exchanges and cooperation in areas such as education, technology, and culture; provides exchanges and a platform to share educational information and academic resources; and explores a new cultivation mechanism for talent with multinational culture and cross-border flow. Alliance members will promote collaborative innovation, strengthen the exchanges and cooperation for scientific research institution and scientific personnel, declare international research cooperation projects, and explore bilateral running schools in foreign regions. All of these activities need the wide participation from high-level talent at home and abroad.

CERNET welcomes outstanding scholars at home and abroad who are interested in applying for programs related to “The Belt and Road.” It will provide one-on-one service to help scholars connect with universities and apply for all kinds of talent introduction projects.

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1000 Talents Global Recruitment Program
Southern University of Science and Technology

The SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SUSTech) is offering exciting opportunities for scientists and engineers in a variety of disciplines.

Southern University of Science and Technology (SUSTech) in Shenzhen, China is seeking outstanding candidates for the “1000 Talents Global Recruitment Program” sponsored by the Central Government of China. Applications are invited for all major science and engineering disciplines.

Successful applicants will be appointed to the faculty of SUSTech at a level commensurate with each applicant’s background and experience, from tenure-track assistant professor to tenured chair professor.

SUSTech offers a generous salary and startup package for “1000 Talents Global Recruitment Program” recipients, including: a) world-wide competitive starting salary; b) a living subsidy of 2.75 million RMB for “1000 Young Talents” and 4.5 million RMB for “1000 Talents” or “Foreign 1000 Talents” over 3-5 years; c) a start-up fund of up to 12 million RMB; d) PI system and tenure-track system; e) housing accommodation in an on-campus apartment of 100-150 m2; and f) social insurance and welfare.

Applicants should have a Ph.D. degree in a relevant science or engineering field.

Applicants for “1000 Talents Global Recruitment Program” should have three years or more of overseas post-doctoral research or work experience. Applicants must have a proven track record of high-quality peer-reviewed academic publications. They must also have excellent communication skills and the capacity to teach in English.


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Xi'an Peihua University Recruiting Notice (2017)

Located in the ancient capital city of Xi'an, the cradle of splendid Chinese Civilization, Xi'an Peihua University is an ordinary private higher education institution being approved by the State Ministry of China for nationwide student enrollment and is the first such university in the west region of China being granted the authentication to issue bachelor degree to its qualified students. Now, in order to meet the increasing demand for high level qualified talents and for the purpose of healthy development and growth of the university, we cordially invite more qualified talents to join our faculty team. The specific qualification requirements for this global recruitment state below:

A.Requirement of Talents Level:
a) Academician of Chinese Academy of Sciences, fellow of Chinese Academy of Engineering; member of the Chinese Academy of Social Science, etc.
b) Provincial level academic leaders, provincial level teaching masters; provincial level excellent experts; those been selected into the provincial high level talents project, etc.
c) The academic leaders, professors or associate professors needed in the key discipline construction or urgently needed profession.
d) Doctor or outstanding masters in special major.
e) Double qualified teachers with a wealthy experience in both enterprise management and industry research, Phd or above the vice-senior title is preferred.

B.Qualification for Recruitment:
a) Those who love the education course, with strong scientific research and innovation capability and who have made comparatively high level research achievements; Those who have demonstrated his or her team work spirit and sense of professional mission; who will agree, with the university culture as well as the education concepts of Peihua; Those who are physically and mentally healthy.
b) For the higher level of experts, based on the consideration of university administration, there will be no age limits; For the academic leaders or professional leaders, the average age limit will be 55 or below; For the doctoral students, the averages age limit is 45 or below.
c) Any candidates applying for academic leaders of professional leaders, they must have professor titles, with excellent academic qualification; with high academic attainments, innovative thinking as well as good organization and coordination skills.
d) For doctoral and master candidates, in principle, they should have education background from well-known universities home and abroad. They should have study, work or research experience in some leading disciplines in the reputable research institutions, enterprises or national level scientific research platform, with some periodical achievement and strong tam work capability.
e) For those with rich experience in the industry and professional practice, the conditional requirement set for education background or professional certification may be extended.

C.Salary and Allowance:
The salary structure will include: monthly pay, performance bonus, search start fee, one time settlement fee, and housing grant.

1. For the high level expert and academic leader: this package will be negotiated on the person to person basis, which may also include the housing, the schooling of the children and the arrangement for the spouse. The salary and allowance will be decided after mutual negotiation.
2. For doctoral graduates from world first-class universities who may also be in need in the appropriate majors or profession in our university: the offered annual salary will be between RMB: 150K to 300K yuan; Beside, one set of housing (apartment) will be provided within the core area of the high-tech zone or on Peihua Changan campus; The university will provide RMB 200K to 300K starting fee for scientific research; as well as RMB: 150K to 200K yuan for one time settlement.
3. For other doctoral candidates: the offered annual salary will be between RMB: 120K to 200K yuan; Besides, one set of housing (apartment) will be provided within the core area of the high-tech zone or on Peihua Changan campus; The university will provide RMB 200K to 300K starting fee for scientific research; as well as RMB: 100K to 150K yuan for one time settlement.
4. For master graduates: The salary and allowance will follow the published salary and allowance standard for the university full time faculty and teachers.

D.Contact information:
For anyone interested in this recruiting notice, please feel free to contact us by email or telephone given below and we shall be more than willing to respond to you and assign special person to make arrangement for face to face interviews.

a) The candidates should prepare detailed written applications and any supporting documents, as listed, to the following email box.
1. Registration form for the application candidate.
2. Scanned ID or Passport.
3. Scanned copy of Education graduation certificate, from university and above, including graduation certificate, degree certificate, etc.
4. Professional Title or Certificate (Scanned).
5. Other academic or professional certificate which may support your academic and research capabilities.
6. Technical publication or Academic Awards.

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Southwest Medical University Seeks Global Talents

Southwest Medical University (SWMU), in Sichuan Province, boasts a strong 66-year history of operation. The university has been offering undergraduate education for 39 years, postgraduate education for 24 years, and a joint doctoral program for 16 years. It has also welcomed international students for 14 years.

SWMU specializes in medical education, with a focus on the coordinated development of science, management, and law. SWMU has first class disciplines for conferring postgraduate academic degrees; it is currently applying for the authorization to grant doctoral degrees; provides 26 undergraduate majors; honored as the pilot university for the first batch of “physician education and training program of excellence,” “comprehensive reform of clinical medicine,” and “training reform for master degrees in clinical medicine;” serves as the demonstration and practice teaching base for excellent education and training in legal talents; and was awarded the leading university for “Sichuan 2011 Collaborative Innovation Center of Cardiovascular Disease”.

SWMU has 3 Class A-Grade III affiliated hospitals: Affiliated Clinical Hospital, Affiliated Chinese Traditional Medical Hospital and Affiliated Stomatology Hospital. At the conjunction of Sichuan, Yunnan, Guizhou, and Chongqing, SWMU is a medical and health care center, covering more than 40 million people.

Southwest Medical University warmly welcomes overseas Chinese and Chinese with foreign nationality with doctor’s degrees. Please send your CV to swmunbr@163.com or see our recruitment website:

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Cancer Genomics Investigators
Roswell Park Cancer Institute

Roswell Park Cancer Institute (RPCI), an NCI-Comprehensive Cancer Center in Buffalo, NY, is seeking to expand research in cancer genomics in order to further develop personalized cancer medicine. RPCI is committed to developing a world-class cancer genetics and genomics program that will enhance our understanding of the molecular genetic mechanisms of cancer; advance and accelerate genomics science and technology development; and efficiently translate laboratory research in cancer genetics and genomics to improve cancer prevention, early detection, diagnosis and treatment. To achieve this goal, we invite applications for the position of Associate or Full Professor of Oncology in the Department of Cancer Genetics and Genomics. Strong applicants will be considered for the position of Co-Leader of the Cancer Center Support Grant (CCSG) Genetics and Genomics Program.

Candidates should have a proven track record of peer-reviewed funding in the field of cancer genetics and genomics. The ideal candidate will have scientific achievement in research utilizing genomic approaches to identify and characterize cancer driver genes, expression signatures and/or genetic components relating to cancer initiation, progression or treatment response. Candidates should be nationally recognized for scholarly activity, and demonstrate exceptional leadership and administrative skills. The successful candidate will be highly collaborative, eager to develop team science, and involved in translational research with applications to clinical samples, thereby strengthening the translational genomics theme of the CCSG Genetics and Genomics Program. In addition to a distinguished record of scientific achievement, the applicant must also be committed to the education and mentorship of students, post-doctoral fellows and junior faculty.

Candidates must have a Ph.D., M.D. or M.D./Ph.D.; a record of scholarly activity resulting in publication in high-impact journals; and peer-reviewed, cancer-related funding consistent with an appointment at the Associate or Full Professor rank. We strongly encourage applications from physician-scientists, and will arrange complementary secondary or joint appointments in appropriate clinical departments.

Roswell Park Cancer Institute is America’s first cancer center founded in 1898 by Dr. Roswell Park. The mission of the Roswell Park Cancer Institute is to provide total care to cancer patients, conduct research into the cause, treatment and prevention of cancer, and to educate the public and the next generation of researchers who study and treat cancer. Over its long history, Roswell Park Cancer Institute has made fundamental contributions to reducing the cancer burden and has successfully maintained an exemplary leadership role in setting national standards for cancer care, research and education. Notably, the Institute has been continuously funded as an NCI Comprehensive Cancer Center for over 40 years, since the inception of this prestigious program. The campus spans 25 acres in downtown Buffalo and consists of 15 buildings with about 1.6 million square feet of space. A dedicated cancer hospital building, completed in 1998, houses a comprehensive diagnostic and treatment center. The Institute has recently opened a new outpatient Clinical Sciences Center and is renovating existing education and research space to support its future growth and expansion.

Please submit a complete CV (and 5-page NIH Biobehavioural Sciences Center and is renovating existing education and research space) and writing samples for 3 references to: John J. Krolewski, M.D., Ph.D., John and Santa Palisano Chair of Cancer Genetics & Genomics, Roswell Park Cancer Institute, Elm & Carlton Streets, Buffalo, NY 14263, care of Amy Troutman at amy.troutman@roswellpark.org.

Applications Requested for Stand Up To Cancer (SU2C) Convergence Grants

Goal: develop data- and computation-intensive collaborations that will advance understanding of the human immune system and cancer immunotherapy. Collaborations are available and can be arranged with Microsoft Research researchers and other computer science researchers.

Possible topics to consider:
(a) How can we predict responders and non-responders to checkpoint or CAR therapies? Can we predict patients that will develop side effects to these therapies?
(b) How can we relate the peptide sequences of antigens to the nucleic acid sequences of B and T-cell receptor variable regions? Can we predict peptide antigens from T-cell receptor sequences?
(c) How do we determine the health of the immune system? How do we quantify the effects of an aging immune system or exhausted immune system?
(d) Can we determine with some confidence the neo-antigens expressed by tumors that are being recognized by the immune system in an HLA dependent fashion?
(e) How does the microbiome impact immunotherapy? How does it communicate with the immune system and the nervous system?
(f) Please feel free to propose additional ideas for projects.

Applications: A letter of intent, listing all members of a team, with a two to three page description of a project. Collaborative groups of researchers from diverse institutions are preferred. Curriculum vitae and a recent (five year) publication list as well as current funding should be included. Please submit your applications to www.su2c.org/Convergence/Applications by June 30, 2017.

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Meetings  www.cshl.edu/meetings

Genome Engineering: The CRISPR/Cas Revolution  July 21 - 24
Jennifer Doudna, Maria Jasin, Stanley Lei Qi, Jonathan Weissman

Cell Death  August 15 - 19  David Andrews, Anthony Letai, Karen Vousden

Eukaryotic mRNA Processing  August 22 - 26
Jean Beggs, Alberto Kornblitt, Jens Lykke-Andersen

Mechanisms of Eukaryotic Transcription  August 29 - September 2  Patrick Cramer, John Lis, Jane Mellor

Eukaryotic DNA Replication & Genome Maintenance  September 5 - 9  Karlene Cimprich, Anne Donaldson, Anindya Dutta

Microbial Pathogenesis and Host Response  September 12 - 16
Denise Monack, Raphael Valdivia, Malcolm Whiteway

Annexins  September 17 - 20
Katherine Hajjar, Jacob Rand, Laura Santambrogio

Stem Cell Biology  September 25 - 29  Fiona Watt, Marius Wernig, Ken Zaret

Neurobiology of Drosophila  October 3 - 7  Heather Broihier, J. Troy Littleton

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Programming for Biology  October 16 - 31  Simon Prochnik, Sofia Robb


Antibody Engineering, Phage Display & Immune Repertoire Analysis  October 17 - 30  Don Siegel

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Biology of Cancer: Microenvironment & Metastasis  October 10 - 14
Scott Lowe, Senthil Muthuswamy, M. Celeste Simon

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Forty Years of RNA Splicing: From Discovery to Therapeutics  October 22 - 25
Mila Pollock, Phil Sharp, Joan Steitz

Genome Informatics  November 1 - 4  Janet Kelso, Aaron Quinlan, Melissa Wilson Sayres

Single Cell Analyses  November 8 - 11  Nancy Allbritton, Scott Fraser, Junhyong Kim

STATs: Importance in Basic & Clinical Cancer Research  November 15 - 18  James Darnell, David Levy, Valeria Poli, George Stark

Plant Genomes & Biotechnology: From Genes to Networks  November 29 - December 2  David Jackson, Todd Mockler, Jane Parker, Sue Rhee

Development and 3-D Modeling of the Human Brain  December 6 - 9  Paola Arlotta, Sergiu Pasca

Cryo-Electron Microscopy  November 7 - 20  Justin Kollman, Gabriel Lander, Melanie Ohi, David Veesler

Foundations of Computational Genomics  November 29 - December 6  Aaron Mackey, William Pearson, Lisa Stubbs, James Taylor

Immersive Approaches to Biological Data Visualization  December 7 - 16  Kelly Gaither, Matthew Vaughn

The Genome Access Course  November 13 - 15  Assaf Gordon, Emily Hodges, Benjamin King, Steven Munger

Professional Development: Scientific Writing Retreat  November 15 - 19  Charla Lambert, Stephen Matheson

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Quantitative Biology Faculty Positions: Caltech, Pasadena, CA, United States

The California Institute of Technology is seeking outstanding candidates for tenure-track or tenured professorial faculty positions in the Division of Biology and Biological Engineering. Applications are invited in any area of quantitative research, broadly defined. We are interested in candidates who develop and employ quantitative methods to understand complex biological systems. Examples include single molecule imaging, biophysics, genomics, systems biology, gene regulation, computational modeling, human and population genetics, or evolutionary studies. Although there is a preference for junior candidates, applicants at all professorial levels are encouraged to apply. For tenured positions, initial appointments are for four years and are contingent upon completion of the Ph.D. degree. For tenured positions, we seek candidates who have developed cutting edge research programs that have demonstrated exceptional impact. Candidates with strong commitments to research and teaching excellence are encouraged to apply.

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Professorship in Cancer Genomics
at the Ecole polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)

The School of Life Sciences of the Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL) invites applications for a faculty position in the general field of Cancer Genomics. This search is part of major initiatives in the Lake Geneva area to promote research in the fields of Cancer, Personalized Health and Computational Biology. We are primarily seeking highly accomplished mid-career candidates for a full professor position, although in exceptional cases more junior candidates will be considered.

The successful candidate will develop an independent and dynamic research program, participate in both undergraduate and graduate teaching, supervise PhD students and postdoctoral fellows. He/She will also actively contribute to the leadership of EPFL’s cancer research institute (ISREC) and EPFL’s involvement in the multi-institutional Swiss Cancer Center Lausanne, which brings together EPFL, the Universities of Lausanne and Geneva and clinical departments of the Hospitals of Lausanne and Geneva.

The successful candidate will join a diverse, highly interactive and interdisciplinary biomedical research community. The School of Life Sciences fosters interactions with other relevant domains at EPFL, such as the Schools of Basic Sciences, Engineering, and Information and Communication Technologies.

Significant start-up resources, research budget and state-of-the-art research infrastructure are available. Salaries and benefits are internationally competitive.

EPFL as an institution strongly favours open access science. Thus, commitment to open access and data dissemination will be positively valued.

Applications should include a cover letter, a curriculum vitae with a contribution-annotated list of publications, a list of 5 key publications, a synopsis of principal accomplishments, a concise future research statement (3 pages max) and teaching interests, the names and addresses (including e-mail) of five referees, and should be submitted to:

[Link](https://academicjobsonline.org/ajo/jobs/9119)

Formal evaluation of candidates will begin on October 1st, 2017 and continue until the position is filled.

Enquiries may be addressed to:

Prof. Freddy Radtke
Chairman of the Search Committee
Email: isrec-search@epfl.ch

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Professorship in Metabolism
at the Ecole polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)

The School of Life Sciences of the Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL) invites applications for a faculty position in Metabolism (junior to mid-stage career). We are particularly interested in candidates who are familiar with integrative research approaches as well as those using computational modelling of human metabolism. This search is part of an initiative to promote research in the field of metabolism in the context of nutrition, human health and disease.

The successful candidate will develop an independent and dynamic research program, participate in both undergraduate and graduate teaching, supervise PhD students and postdoctoral fellows. The EPFL School of Life Sciences is at the heart of a diverse, highly interactive and interdisciplinary biomedical research community. It fosters interactions with other relevant domains at EPFL, such as the Schools of Basic Sciences, Engineering, and Information and Communication Technologies as well as with the inter-institutional Lausanne Integrative Metabolism and Nutrition Alliance (LIMNA) and the Nestlé Institute for Health Sciences.

Significant start-up resources, research budget and state-of-the-art research infrastructure are available. Salaries and benefits are internationally competitive. EPFL as an institution strongly favours open access science. Thus, commitment to open access and data dissemination will be positively valued.

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Enquiries may be addressed to:

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