## **Visiting Research Specialist**

Karginov Laboratory
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University of Illinois at Chicago, College of Medicine

## Job application:

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Visiting Research Specialist duties will include general laboratory management and experimental work on the development and characterization of novel optogenetic and chemogenetic tools for manipulation of proteins in living cells and animal models. Responsibilities will include assisting with and conducting experiments in mouse models.

**Minimum educational qualifications and experience:** Bachelor's degree in biology, biochemistry, molecular biology or related field. Experience working with mouse models is preferred but not required.

**Essential skills**: Position requires excellent knowledge and experience in DNA cloning, immunoprecipitation, protein electrophoresis and western blot analysis, biochemical assays and tissue culture maintenance. Must have the ability to work independently, design, plan, perform and troubleshoot the experiments, analyze results and prepare an organized report for the PI. High level multitasking abilities, basic computing, and excellent communication and organizational skills are required.

To Apply: Interested candidates should send a CV and contact information of three references to:

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