

A Visiting Research Specialist position is available in the laboratory of Kostandin Pajcini, Ph.D. in the Department of Pharmacology and Regenerative Medicine at the University of Illinois in Chicago. The Pajcini lab studies the processes that lead to the development and differentiation of hematopoietic stem cells. We are particularly interested in studying the processes and cellular signaling events that lead to the emergence, maturation and expansion of hematopoietic stem cell in embryonic development. A primary focus of the laboratory is the role that Notch signaling plays in the development and expansion of hematopoietic cells. This position requires a dedicated individual with previous research experience, preferably in mouse husbandry and molecular biology. A 1-year commitment is required. You will have the opportunity to carry out your own project (with appropriate supervision), and will be an author on any publications that result from your work. I am looking for a dedicated and talented individual to carry out exciting studies in hematopoietic development and stem cell research.

Key Responsibilities/Duties

- 1). Maintenance of mouse colony and genotyping
- 2). General molecular and biochemical methods (PCR, western, cloning ...ect)
- 3). Preparing of laboratory stocks and solutions

*Minimum Qualifications

Bachelor's degree in science or related field required. Master's degree in science preferred.

A minimum of 3 years related research experience.

Possesses and applies comprehensive knowledge of research principles, concepts, practices and methods.

Proficient in general lab research techniques.

Applicants should submit Cover letter, CV and two references to <https://jobs.uic.edu/job-board/job-details?jobID=158817>

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