

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

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## Employment Opportunities

### Physician Scientist Development Program

We are pleased to announce an opening in the Physician Scientist Development Program (PSDP) in Genomic and Genetic Medicine, located on the NIH campus in Bethesda, Maryland. The PSDP is designed for USMLE Board-certified or Board-eligible physicians who seek to develop an independent research program that integrates the field of genomics to clinical investigation in medicine. The participants will have protected time to develop an integrated clinical-basic science research program. It is the goal of the program to train investigators who will be competitive for faculty positions at the NHGRI, other NIH Institutes, and other top research institutions.

The program provides support to design, implement, and pursue a research program. The project will be developed with the guidance of a mentor in the intramural research program. The incumbent will design a project that integrates the direct study and/or treatment of human subjects with a bench research project. The program provides a competitive salary for the incumbent, laboratory space and supplies, a clinical research budget, and a research technician. The support is renewable, with demonstration of adequate progress, for up to five years.

The program is open to Board-certified or eligible physicians in any specialty who have completed their training in the past five years. Applicants are not required to have substantial basic research experience but must demonstrate a commitment to, and an aptitude for, research. Interested persons may send their curriculum vitae and a brief (one page) letter of interest to the program director. Admission to the program is an open, rolling process. Additional

information on this program can be found at <http://www.genome.gov/10002060>.

The NIH is an equal opportunity employer and encourages applications from women and minorities.

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### Associate or Full Professor, Department of Anthropology at the Pennsylvania State University

The Department of Anthropology at The Pennsylvania State University seeks an Evolutionary Developmental Geneticist at the rank of Associate or Full Professor with a research program that focuses on the role of developmental programs in human evolution. The successful candidate will use methods and techniques of evolutionary-developmental biology including but not limited to comparative anatomy, evolutionary and comparative genomics and bioinformatics, computational biology, experimental or functional genetics in model animal or cell systems to shed light on the evolution and development of morphological and physiological phenotypes in humans and model organisms. The candidate will be expected to establish strong links between the Department of Anthropology and The Huck Institutes of the Life Sciences and to maintain a strong externally funded research and educational program. Review of applications will begin September 1, 2008. Please send a curriculum vitae accompanied by a letter of application detailing current and future research projects, and at least three references, to: Melissa Strouse, Search Committee Liaison, Box A, Department of Anthropology, 409 Carpenter Building, Penn State, University Park, PA 16802. Penn State is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity, and a diverse work force.