

## Employment Opportunities

### Genetic Epidemiology or Statistical Genetics Analyst

The UCSF Asthma Genetics Laboratory (AGL) is seeking an analyst with interest and expertise in either genetic epidemiology or statistical genetics to participate in projects aimed at understanding the genetic basis of complex diseases among racially admixed populations. The AGL is a member of UCSF's Institute for Human Genetics. Projects include genome-wide association studies, studies of population stratification, and investigations of admixture mapping for complex diseases. Opportunities for training and research are available in many studies, including asthma, pharmacogenetics, population-based genetics, and understanding the modifying effects of race & ethnicity. The research environment is enhanced by large, family-based and population based sample sets of well phenotyped racially diverse individuals and strong national and international collaborative ties. Our group is highly interactive and includes physician-scientists, genetic epidemiologists, geneticists, and molecular biologists. A strong background in genetic epidemiology or statistical genetics is required; experience in human genetic studies of complex traits is a must. An ability to work well with others, excellent communication and writing skills are a must. Preference will be given to applicants meeting residency requirements for sponsorship from a National Institutes of Health training grant. Send curriculum vitae and three letters of recommendation to Dr. Esteban Gonzalez Burchard, M.D., M.P.H. ([esteban@sfgf.ucsf.edu](mailto:esteban@sfgf.ucsf.edu)). UCSF is an affirmative action/equal opportunity employer.

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### Section Head and MD or MD/PhD Clinical Geneticist, The Section on Medical Genetics, Department of Pediatrics, Wake Forest University School of Medicine

The section on Medical Genetics, Department of Pediatrics, Wake Forest University School of Medicine ([www1.wfubmc.edu/medicalgenetics](http://www1.wfubmc.edu/medicalgenetics)) is soliciting applications for two positions.

*Section Head:* We are seeking a nationally recognized Board Certified Medical Geneticist (M.D., Ph.D. or M.D./Ph.D.) as Section Head at the Associate Professor/Professor level. This is a challenging opportunity for an energetic geneticist with leadership qualities, research expertise and management skills to guide and develop a large and established medical genetics program that emphasizes education, research and service excellence. The successful candidate will be expected to lead the section in the development of an extramurally funded research program in conjunction with the existing initiatives in medical genetics.

*MD or MD/PhD Clinical Geneticist:* We are also seeking a MD or MD/PhD board-certified/eligible Medical Geneticist at the Assistant/Associate Professor level to join the Section on Medical Genetics, Department of Pediatrics. This position will involve teaching, clinical (in-patient consults, out patients clinics and satellite clinics) and a laboratory or clinically based research program in his/her own area of interest.

The scope of Medical Genetics includes 3 board certified medical geneticists, 4 basic researchers, 3 genetic counselors, and a staff of 40+ personnel with anticipation for growth. Medical Genetic clinical laboratories include: cytogenetics, molecular cytogenetics, maternal serum screening, preimplantation genetic screening/diagnosis, and molecular genetics. There are established clinical and laboratory medical genetic computer network, a Maternal Serum screening program, and a large clinical service. There is excellent interaction and research opportunities with the Departments of Pathology, Obstetrics/Gynecology, Cancer Biology, Molecular Biology, and Centers for Comprehensive Cancer, Human Genomics, Regenerative Medicine and Nutrition. Core research facilities include sequencing, genotyping, imaging and microarray laboratories and a transgenic mouse facility and non-human primate facilities.

Winston-Salem is located in the Piedmont Triad area of western North Carolina. The Blue Ridge Mountains are only 1.5 hours to the west and the beautiful North and South Carolina coasts can be reached in 3-5 hours. The Wake Forest University School of Medicine is affiliated with North Carolina Baptist Hospital (830 beds). The Medical Center is a regional referral center providing tertiary care for approximately 5 million people. Within the Medical Center is the free standing Brenner Children's Hospital which includes a new 45 bed intensive care nursery. The Medical Center offers ambulatory services in nearly 70 general and specialty areas.

Applicants should submit a CV, letter of interests and the names of 3 references to Jon Abramson, MD, Chairman, Department of Pediatrics, Wake Forest University School of Medicine, Medical Center Boulevard, Winston-Salem NC 27157 Phone:(336) 716-4431 Fax:(336) 716-7100.

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### CYTOGENETIC Co-director/Assistant Director, Regional Clinical Cytogenetics Laboratory, Kaiser Permanente, San Jose, CA

The Permanente Medical Group of Kaiser Northern California is one of the largest HMO healthcare systems in the U.S., providing integrated, comprehensive genetics services through five genetic centers and a regional genetics

laboratory comprising of molecular genetics and cytogenetics. Located in San Jose, the heart of Silicon Valley, 50 miles from San Francisco and the Pacific coast, our full-service diagnostic cytogenetics laboratory offers inter-regional genetic services to Kaiser Permanente facilities.

- Work within a multidisciplinary team which includes 14 Medical Geneticists, 2 Fetal pathologists, over 40 Genetic Counselors, 5 genetics lab directors, and over 40 genetic technologists.
- The cytogenetics laboratory processes more than 13,000 cases annually
- Cases include chromosome analysis on bone marrow, tumors, solid tissues, amniotic fluid, CVS, and blood samples
- Molecular cytogenetic techniques routinely employed include FISH on constitutional and cancer as well as aCGH

- Integrated electronic medical record system with a high degree of IT support
- Participation in education and quality programs
- Competitive salary and comprehensive benefits package including medical, dental and vision coverage as well as generous retirement plans

Must have an MD or PhD in genetics or a field related to genetics, have a 2-year ABMG approved training program and ABMG clinical cytogenetics board certification/eligibility and California state licensure eligibility is required.

To apply on line, refer to [www.kaiserpermanente.org](http://www.kaiserpermanente.org) posting # ST.0700327 and contact Vince Le, Recruitment Consultant Kaiser San Jose, 275 Hospital Parkway, Suite 700, San Jose, CA 95119, 408-972-6083, 408-521-2076 (efax), [Vince.Le@kp.org](mailto:Vince.Le@kp.org). Questions ? Contact Lauren Jenkins, Ph.D., [Lauren.S.Jenkins@kp.org](mailto:Lauren.S.Jenkins@kp.org), 408-363-4452.