



Department of Microbiology

Open position in the lab of Hubert Tse, Ph.D.

Job ID	34061BR
HR Organization	392200000 Microbiology
Job Categories of Interest	Scientific Research
Job Title	RESEARCH ASSOCIATE
Job Code	RL113E0 Research Associate
Salary	\$33,875 – 37,500
Licensure / Certifications	None required

Job Description: Functions as a competent scientist using expertise and ingenuity in the application of a wide variety of specialized and advanced techniques. Applies scientific principles to the solution of critical issues; evaluating approaches to unforeseen or novel problems. Assimilates the details and significance of various scientific analyses and procedures. Independently performs most projects with direction only as to the general result expected. Communicates findings via recognized publications and scientific meetings. Designs unique, innovative protocols and develops scientific methodology. May be required to arrange grant proposals for new funding, preparing and editing of grant applications and manuscript. May supervise, teach and guide a small staff. In exceptional cases, this position may lead to a faculty appointment as an instructor.

The position will manage a Type 1 diabetes immunology laboratory at the Comprehensive Diabetes Center, Department of Microbiology, at the University of Alabama at Birmingham. Candidate will apply scientific principles to the solution of critical issues; evaluate approaches to unforeseen or novel problems. Assimilates the details and significance of various scientific analyses and procedures. Independently performs most projects with direction, teach and guide other technicians, graduate students, and fellows. The applicant should be highly motivated to learn, assertive, detail-oriented, and able to prioritize multiple tasks and work independently.

Minimum Qualifications: Doctor of Philosophy in a related field OR Master's degree in a related field and two (2) years of related experience OR Bachelor's degree in a related field and six (6) years of related experience required. No other equivalents are accepted for this position.