

NOTICE OF VACANT POST

DIRECTION DES RESSOURCES HUMAINES	
PERSONNEL D'ENCADREMENT ADMINISTRATIF ET PERSONNEL PROFESSIONNEL	POSTING PERIOD Undetermined

Job title:	Research Project Manager and Scientific Assistant (replacement of a maternity leave)
Sector:	Canadian Bovine Mastitis Research Network
Status:	Temporary full-time, replacement of a maternity leave
Salary:	According to the wage scale
Location:	Faculté de médecine vétérinaire 3 200 rue Sicotte, Saint-Hyacinthe (QC)
Term:	From October 25, 2010, for a period of one year

Job description

The Canadian Bovine Mastitis Research Network is a research partnership comprised of the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada, ten research institutions, eight dairy industry organizations, and several sponsors and provincial and federal agencies (for more information, please visit our website at www.mastitisnetwork.org).

The candidate's time will be divided between participation in mastitis (molecular) epidemiology research and helping to administer the CBMRN's scientific program. The candidate reports directly to the director, Dr. Daniel Scholl, but collaborates with all CBMRN leaders.

Research activity: The candidate will be responsible for operations of research on the epidemiology of mastitis and molecular epidemiology of bovine mammary pathogens in which the Director is active. Responsibilities may include study design, overseeing and executing data collection, data management and analysis, written and oral communication of results, and grant writing. Opportunities for developing new research projects for execution beyond the term of this appointment (in the context of doctoral or post-doctoral training) will depend on the candidate's ability to integrate into the mastitis research program at the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and the success at raising additional research funding availability.

Administration responsibility: The candidate will coordinate the CBMRN internal scientific evaluations in cooperation with the director and research theme representatives. The candidate will write the scientific section of annual reports and scientific documents. The candidate will be responsible for the Mastitis Pathogen Culture Collection and the central database and will continue the evolution of Culture Collection. In addition, the candidate will be support the CBMRN knowledge transfer team and the network manager in various administrative tasks.

Required Qualifications

- Education:**
- At least a M.Sc. degree (or equivalent) in epidemiology or microbiology.
 - Advanced training in dairy animal health.
- Experience:**
- Experience and skills in data management and analysis of epidemiologic data.
 - Ability to function on teams in both leadership and contributor roles.
- Other:**
- Excellent English writing ability.
 - Fluent in the French language or be committed to learning.
 - Flexibility and adaptability in different work situations.
 - Strong interest in a research career.
 - Applicants must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident.

Procedure of application

Individuals wishing to apply should send, by email, a curriculum vitae, a concise letter of application along with the names, addresses, telephone numbers and emails of three references, in Word format.

Deadline of application: Undetermined

Email: annik.lesperance@umontreal.ca

- Candidates who meet the job requirements in terms of training and experience will be given priority.

Remark: *The Université de Montreal is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and women are encouraged to apply. The Université de Montréal is committed to principles of equal opportunity in employment and encourages applications from women, visible minorities and ethnic minorities, persons with disabilities and Aboriginal people to apply.*

Note: We thank all applicants for their interest. However, we will only communicate with those selected for an interview.



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