

Research Associate Position in Plant Cytoskeleton Research

A one year, full time Research Associate position is available in the Botany Department at the University of British Columbia. This position is to investigate the biophysical and molecular mechanisms that determine the spatial organization of microtubule arrays in plant cells.

Applicants must have a PhD in a relevant field with a minimum of 4 years post-doctoral research at the level of highest international standards in plant cell and molecular biology as evidenced by a strong record of publications. They must have extensive experience in live cell microscopy and image analysis of plant microtubules, and be proficient in standard molecular-genetic techniques and microtubule protein biochemistry. Experience with Arabidopsis would be an advantage.

Applicants should send their curriculum vitae, a concise statement of research interests and the names of three referees to:

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Applications will be reviewed beginning on July 6, 2011. This position is scheduled to start September 1, 2011 and will initially be for one year.

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