

MSc STUDENT

HOMING PLUS FNP program

Position: MSc student in the project: "Plant-specific methyltransferase DNA structures"

Number of stipends: 2

Institution: Institute of Biochemistry and Biophysics, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Prof. Matthias Bochtler Lab

Maximum period of stipend agreement: 22 months

Position starts on: October 2013

Stipend's amount: 1 000 PLN per month (tax free)

Two fellowships for MSc students are available to work on a project within the framework of a HOMING PLUS grant awarded by the Foundation for Polish Science.

The project:

The project aims to solve structures of Plant-specific DNA methyltransferases, and will involve cloning, protein expression and purification, crystallography, and structure determination.

Profile of candidates:

1. A completed BSc study in a relevant area
2. A strong research interest
3. Good written and verbal English

Required documents:

1. CV containing description of scientific achievements
2. Motivation letter
3. A copy of the education certificate including grades reports.

Application in English should be sent to **dr Humberto Fernandes** <humberto_fernandes@yahoo.com>. Please include the required documentation and a contact of at least one potential referee. Important: All applications must contain the following statement to allow us process your data: "I hereby give consent for my personal data included in the job offer to be processed for the purposed of recruitment under the Data Protection Act 1997 (Dz. U. 2002 no. 101, item 926 with subs. changes)."

Principal Investigator: Dr. Humberto Fernandes

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The granting institution may seek to contact the best candidates only.

Closing date: 20.09.2013 (and after that date until suitable candidates are found)