Senior Faculty Leadership Position in Immunology at Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

The Vaccine and Infectious Disease Division (VIDD) of the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center seeks exceptional applicants for a full-time senior faculty leadership position in immunology at the Full Member rank (comparable to Professor). The primary responsibility of this position will be to develop and lead a comprehensive, cross-disciplinary integrated research center (IRC) involving multiple investigators that will focus on pathogen-induced cancers. The candidate will be expected to conduct laboratory-based translational immunology research as part of this IRC and within VIDD, and an emphasis on mechanisms of memory/effectector cell induction and immune dysfunction in the context of cancer or cancer-associated infections is highly desirable.

Candidates for this position must have a well-established, robust, funded program that is nationally and internationally recognized for excellence in immunology, immunotherapeutic design, or viral oncogenesis. Applicants must have an MD (or foreign equivalent) or PhD (or foreign equivalent). Selection criteria include excellence in scholarship, creativity in research, and demonstrated leadership in the profession. VIDD scientists integrate clinical care, computational methods, and basic science research in immunology, virology, and vaccine design to reduce the global burden of infectious disease.

The Fred Hutchinson offers a vibrant intellectual environment within a beautiful, lakeside campus in Seattle’s South Lake Union biotech hub. VIDD occupies a new building that is connected by walking trails to Seattle Cancer Care Alliance and the other four Divisions of the Fred Hutch and by trolley to major research partners such as the University of Washington School of Medicine, Seattle Children’s Research Institute, Center for Infectious Disease Research (formerly Seattle Biomedical Research Institute), and the Infectious Disease Research Institute.

Interested candidates should submit a CV, a concise research plan statement, and the names and contact information for three (3) references to: fredhutch.org/job/6653. Specific inquiries can be directed to Julie McElrath at 206-667-1858. Applications should be received by August 31, 2016 to assure consideration and will be evaluated as received. The Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to, among other things, race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, status as protected veterans, or status as qualified individuals with disabilities. We strongly encourage applications from women, minorities, individuals with disabilities and covered veterans.

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