

Assistant Project Scientist – Chen Lab

Department of Botany & Plant Sciences

University of California, Riverside

The University of California, Riverside seeks a full-time Assistant Project Scientist with at least 5 years' postdoctoral experience. The Assistant Project Scientist is needed to conduct molecular biology experiments to study RNA modifications in plants. Candidates will need to have experience with genomics technologies, particularly technologies to study RNA-protein interactions, RNA modifications, and translation, such as CLIP-seq, RiboMethySeq, and Ribo-seq. The successful candidate must have a Ph.D. in genetics and five years' postdoctoral experience.

To Apply: Application materials for this position should be submitted through <https://aprecruit.ucr.edu/apply/JPF01098>. Please provide a full curriculum vitae, cover letter, Statement of Research, Statement of Contributions to Diversity, and contact information for at least three references.

Review of applications will begin May 22, 2019. For full consideration, applicants should submit their complete applications by this date. For more information about the position, please contact Dr. Xuemei Chen (xuemei.chen@ucr.edu). For inquiries regarding the application process, please contact Eric Chong, Academic Personnel at eric.chong@ucr.edu. Additional information about the Department of Botany and Plant Sciences can be found at <http://plantbiology.ucr.edu/>.

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UCR is a world-class research university with an exceptionally diverse undergraduate student body. Its mission is explicitly linked to providing routes to educational success for underrepresented and first-generation college students. A commitment to this mission is a preferred qualification.

Advancement through the Project Scientist ranks at the University of California is through a series of structured, merit-based evaluations, occurring every 2-3 years, each of which includes substantial peer input.