New Approaches for Treating Age-Related Macular Degeneration

There is an immediate opening for a postdoctoral research fellow in the laboratory of John D. Hulleman, Ph.D. in the Department of Ophthalmology at the University of Texas Southwestern (UTSW) Medical Center. The Hulleman Laboratory is committed to understanding the underlying causes of inherited and idiopathic retinal disorders and developing novel therapies for them.

Under the auspices of a recently-awarded Research to Prevent Blindness Career Development Award, the successful candidate who fills this position will apply chemical biology and functional genomics techniques to develop new approaches for controlling the cellular oxidative stress response. These approaches will ultimately be applied towards the treatment of age-related macular degeneration, which is a leading cause of blindness in the elderly. The candidate must be highly motivated, hardworking and proficient in conventional molecular biology and biochemistry skills, protein analysis, mouse handling/dissection, and cell culture techniques. The benefits of performing postdoctoral research at UTSW can be found on the UTSW Graduate School website.

Candidates must have a recent Ph.D. and/or M.D. degree and a strong publication record.

Interested applicants should send a brief statement of research interests as well as their C.V. and contact information for 3 references to:

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