

CANCER EPIGENETICS TRAINING PROGRAM



Request for Applications

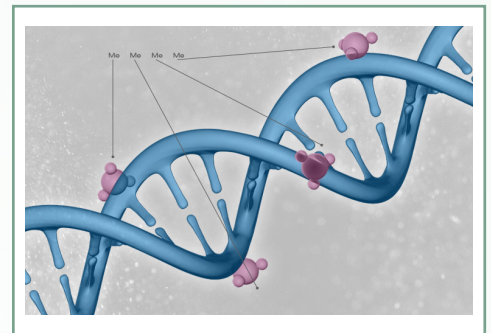
The Sylvester Comprehensive Cancer Center (SCCC) at the University of Miami announces openings for the Cancer Epigenetics Training Program, funded by the National Cancer Institute's T32 Training Grant Award. There are currently three postdoc slots available.

The objective of the training program is to offer postdoctoral fellows a sophisticated, scientific environment with multidisciplinary expertise encompassing epigenetics and cancer. The proposed program will provide trainees with the ideal platform for successful careers as scientists, physicians, scientific administrators, and entrepreneurs who will identify novel agents and devices to treat cancer.

A rigorous selection criteria will be used to identify candidates likely to be successful. The training environment will enable Fellows to work directly with preeminent T32 Faculty mentors while engaging in a number of formal activities of the SCCC.

Eligible candidates include

- Must be a US Citizen or Permanent Resident or a non-citizen national, or must have been lawfully admitted for permanent residence and possess an Alien Registration Receipt Card (1-151 or 1-551) or some other verification of legal admission as a permanent resident.
- Must have 1st author publications from Ph.D. thesis or prior Post-Doctoral work.
- Must be within 4 years of obtaining their Ph.D.
- M.D.s must be within 4 years of their residency or fellowship
- Candidates must be available for a full-time, 12-month appointment and agree to undertake a minimum of two years of research, research training, or comparable experiences from the time of appointment.



Application requirements

1. 1-2 Letters of recommendation (1 must be from a Ph.D. mentor)
2. Nomination letter from a T32 mentor. Candidate must identify a T32 specific mentor, and be accepted to their lab in order to qualify (see list of mentors).
3. Full CV in UM format (please include citizenship status)
4. Individual Development Plan (IDP)
5. Timeline for the applicant's training
6. 1-2 page Career Development Plan, including a goal statement.

Please submit applications to:

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Fellows will...

- Work in the laboratory for 24 months under the direction of a faculty mentor
- Develop laboratory projects based upon his/her individual research interests & expertise
- Present their research through abstracts, poster sessions, peer-reviewed publications, manuscripts & grant applications.
- Develop relevant skills in research
- Follow Individual Development Plans
- Participate in mentor/ mentee meetings