



**University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute
Center of Marine Biotechnology
Baltimore, Maryland**

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- Title:** **Research Associate** (Postdoctoral)
- Category:** Faculty, Non Tenure Track, Annual Appointment, renewal contingent upon funding availability
- Qualifications:** Ph.D. in biochemistry/molecular biology or related field with interest/experience in innate immunity or eukaryotic translational control
- Responsibilities:** The successful candidate will investigate the response of the eIF2alpha kinases, PKR and PKZ in the innate immune response of zebrafish, looking at the function and activation of each, as well as their response to interferon and virus infection. The appointee is expected to carry out research, maintain records, write reports and publish results in peer-reviewed journals.
- Salary:** Commensurate with experience
- Position Available:** Upon Completion of Search
- Applications:** Applicants should send letter of application (referencing **position# 300911**), resume and names/phone numbers of three references to:
- University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute
Center of Marine Biotechnology
Search Committee Chair Position# 300911
701 E. Pratt St Suite 236
Baltimore, Maryland 21202
- Or via email to: combhr@comb.umbi.umd.edu
- Closing Date:** Application review will begin on **June 6, 2007** and will continue until a suitable candidate is selected.

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