Postdoctoral Research Fellow position in Microbiology & Molecular Genetics

A postdoctoral fellow position is available in the laboratory of Dr. Jiqiang (Lanny) Ling at The University of Texas-Houston Medical School. Dr. Ling obtained his B.S. degree from Fudan University, a Ph.D. degree from The Ohio State University, and postdoctoral training at Yale University. Effective July 1, 2013, Dr. Ling will join the Department of Microbiology & Molecular Genetics (MMG) as a tenure-track assistant professor. His research interests are to combine state-of-the-art biochemical, genetic, genomic, and proteomic approaches to understand the connections between protein synthesis defects, protein folding and human diseases, and utilize chemical and synthetic biology tools to engineer the genetic code of microorganisms. For more information please visit Dr. Ling’s website: http://mmg.uth.tmc.edu/faculty/faculty-jiqiang-ling.html

The Texas Medical Center is the world’s largest biomedical center and MMG ranks 9-32 among the top microbiology graduate programs in the United States (http://chronicle.com/article/NRC-Rankings-Overview-/124745/), providing an outstanding research environment. Candidates interested in applying should contact Dr. Ling at jiqiang.ling@gmail.com and include a brief description of research interests, career goals and a detailed CV. A Ph.D. in biomedical sciences and strong scientific communication skills are required. Expertise in microbiology, protein/nucleic acid biochemistry, molecular biology, and stress responses is desired.