



Naba Lab for ECM Research

Visiting Research Specialist (Laboratory technician) - Naba Lab Department of Physiology and Biophysics at the University of Illinois Chicago

Dr. Alexandra Naba is seeking a talented candidate to fill the role of technician interested to work in a laboratory at the cutting edge of biomedical research.

The successful candidate will join a dynamic team and will participate actively in the day-to-day management of the lab and contribute to the performance of various collaborative projects.

Information on Dr. Naba's research can be found at: <https://nabalab.uic.edu/>

Key Responsibilities

- Conduct routine biochemistry and cell biology experiments in support of multiple projects
- Keep detailed records of experimental procedures and results
- Responsible for ordering of laboratory supplies and maintaining laboratory stocks and inventories

Minimum Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in biology, biochemistry, genetics, bioengineering, or computational biology.
- A minimum of 3 years of related research experience.
- Applicant must be passionate about research, very organized, and show enthusiasm for developing new skills and working in a collaborative and dynamic environment
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Proficiency with Office suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)

Preferred Qualifications

- Experience in some of the following techniques is preferred: protein biochemistry (western blotting, immunoprecipitation, protein concentration measurement, protein purification, mass spectrometry); microscopy (immunofluorescence, immunohistochemistry); mammalian cell culture; PCR; sequencing.
- Prior experience in working with mice (husbandry, genotyping) is a plus.

This position is ideal for candidates seeking to gain research experience before applying to medical or graduate school.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, your CV, and contact information of 1 to 2 references via UIC's job board:

<https://uic.csod.com/ux/ats/careersite/1/home/requisition/3850?c=uic>

The application deadline is **April 30th, 2023**. Review of applicants will start immediately. Interviews will take place on a rolling basis upon closing of the job posting and will continue until the position is filled. Competitive compensation will be offered based on experience. Qualifying specialists are eligible for full UIC benefits. Relocation package and a hybrid work option may be available.

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Offers of employment by the University of Illinois may be subject to approval by the University's Board of Trustees and are made contingent upon the candidate's successful completion of any criminal background checks and other pre-employment assessments that may be required for the position being offered. Additional information regarding such pre-employment checks and assessments may be provided as applicable during the hiring process. The University of Illinois System requires candidates selected for hire to disclose any documented finding of sexual misconduct or sexual harassment and to authorize inquiries to current and former employers regarding findings of sexual misconduct or sexual harassment. For more information, visit <https://www.hr.uillinois.edu/cms/One.aspx?portalId=4292&pageId=1411899>.