University of Washington

**Postdoctoral Fellowships**

**in Interdisciplinary Genomic Sciences**

*Form to be completed by applicant in consultation with nominating faculty member .*

1. **Personal Information**

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| Name |
| Gender (optional) | Date of Birth | Ethnicity (optional) |
| Citizenship | Institution |
| Mailing Address |
| E-mail address |
| Proposed advisor\* | Advisor’s Box Number |

\*Proposed advisor must be one of the participating faculty members on this training grant. Your proposed advisor should submit a letter assuring the availability of adequate staff, research support, and facilities for quality research training, as well as any other comments to be considered by the Genome TG advisory committee.

1. **Your potential for interdisciplinary research in the genomic sciences**

Describe, in 500 words or less, characteristics that illustrate your potential for interdisciplinary research in the genomic sciences, such as your background, research experience, research interests and/or career goals.

Describe, in 500 words or less, why this particular genome training program and the research experience in the laboratory you have chosen is important in the pursuit of your career goals.

1. **Research Proposal**

Provide a brief (2-3 page) description of your proposed postdoctoral research
project and its goals. Outline the specific aims of the project. Briefly describe the
techniques to be used or developed. Indicate the project's relevance to genome

analysis.  How is this proposal a change in direction from your previous research?

1. **Curriculum Vitae**

Attach a copy of your curriculum vitae to indicate:

• Education -- institution, **dates of attendance** including months (e.g. 9/10 – 5/14), date of degree including month (e.g. 5/14), major field(s)

• Postdoctoral Experience (institution, department, advisor, dates, research topic)

• Other relevant research or work experience (institution, advisor, dates, research topic)

* Publications
1. **Previous experience**

Number of years of previous postdoctoral experience:

Number of months as postdoctoral fellow in the lab of current advisor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Previous or Current Grant Support**

Have you received previous postdoctoral training grant or individual fellowship support from any source? The NHGRI limits trainees to a total of 3 years of postdoctoral training grant or individual fellowship support.

Yes No

If yes, please complete the following (include another page, if necessary).

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| Grant Title | Grant Number | Agency/Source | Dates of Support |
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**References**

List the names of three references, not including your proposed postdoctoral advisor, who will provide a recommendation (one must be your Ph.D. thesis advisor). References should be able to describe your academic and research progress, and evaluate your research abilities. Please supply your references with a copy of the attached instructions to assist them in composing their letters.

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**Instructions for References**

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| Applicant Name | Application Deadline |

The applicant is applying for a postdoctoral position on the University of Washington’s NIH Interdisciplinary Genomic Sciences training grant and has listed you as a reference. This grant strives to support excellent candidates for whom training grant support would provide a unique opportunity to broaden their skills and knowledge.

We would appreciate receiving a brief recommendation from you that addresses the applicant's creativity, intellectual capacity, independence, motivation, and ability to grow scientifically in an interdisciplinary genomics program. We appreciate your time and effort in offering us your thoughts.

Reference letters should be e-mailed to:

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