



**UT Health Science Center San Antonio
University of Texas School of Medicine
Department of Microbiology & Immunology**

A POST-DOCTORAL POSITION IN INNATE IMMUNITY

We are seeking an outstanding candidate to fill a post-doctoral position working in the field of innate immunity in Dr. Xiao-Dong Li's laboratory in the Department of Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio. Dr. Li's lab has a funded position available to investigate the mechanisms and functions of innate immune sensing of nucleic acids in host defense and inflammation (refs: *Li et al., Science 2013*; *Li and Chen, eLife 2012*; *Li et al., PNAS 2011*). For more details on Dr. Li's current research focus, please visit his faculty webpage (<http://uthscsa.edu/micro-immunology/faculty/xdl/xdl.asp>). The candidate should have a solid background in molecular biology or biochemistry or cellular immunology. Candidate must be self-motivated, possess excellent communication skills and have previous publications as evidence of productivity. In addition, he/she should have the drive and commitment to excel in a highly productive environment.

The University of Texas School of Medicine (<http://som.uthscsa.edu/>) is one of the five schools of the University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio (UTHSCSA) (<http://uthscsa.edu/>). The other four being: Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences (<http://gsbs.uthscsa.edu/>), School of Dentistry, School of Nursing and School of Health Professions. UTHSCSA is a highly integrated and translational research community, which also includes the Cancer Therapy and Research Center (CTRC), a NCI Designated Cancer Center, the Institute for Integration of Medicine and Science (IIMS) funded by a NIH Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA), the South Texas Research Facility (STRF), the Texas Biomedical Research Institute (TBRI), the Greehey Children Cancer Research Center Institute (GCCRI), the Barshop Institute for Longevity and Aging Studies, in addition to multiple hospitals, including the University Hospital and the Audie L. Murphy VA Hospital, and other clinical facilities.

San Antonio is the 7th largest city in the U.S. with a beautiful historical downtown area featuring the Riverwalk with its diverse entertainment and fine restaurants. UTHSCSA is located northwest of downtown San Antonio, gateway to the scenic Texas Hill Country, with many recreational options. San Antonio has a low cost of living and an excellent public school system.

Applicants should respond by email with a curriculum vitae and brief description of research interests to: Xiao-Dong Li, M.D., Ph.D., Assistant Professor (lix8@uthscsa.edu), Department of Microbiology and Immunology, School of Medicine, University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, 7703 Floyd Curl Drive, San Antonio, TX 78229.



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