

## **Postdoctoral fellow position in skeletal biology at the Cleveland Clinic Lerner Research Institute**

A Postdoctoral fellow position is available in the Department of Cell Biology at the Cleveland Clinic Lerner Research Institute to study the transcriptional regulation of chondrogenesis. We are studying the mechanisms whereby the genes for the chondrogenic master transcription factors Sox5, Sox6, and Sox9 are expressed in chondrocytes. We are also studying the mechanisms whereby the three proteins synergize with each other and cooperate with other transcription factors to control gene expression in chondrocytes. More information about this program can be found at <http://www.lerner.ccf.org/cellbio/lefebvre/>.

We are seeking a self-motivated, audacious and tenacious researcher who recently obtained a Ph.D. in developmental biology, molecular genetics, or a related discipline. The successful candidate will be dedicated to studying skeletogenesis, transcriptional regulation, and mouse transgenesis. He/She will prove expertise and productivity in the form of first-author publications in peer-reviewed journals, and will have strong communication skills. He/She will plan, execute, and interpret experiments, will write manuscripts and grants under guidance, will interact with colleagues, and will participate in departmental and institutional professional activities.

The Department of Cell Biology is prosperous and resourceful and participates in multiple programs for pre-doctoral and post-doctoral trainees. The Lerner Research Institute is an excellent environment for biomedical research, with state-of-the-art facilities and competitive salaries (<http://www.lerner.ccf.org/education/postdoc/>). As an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer, the Cleveland Clinic recognizes the power of a diverse community and encourages applications from individuals with varied experiences, perspectives, and backgrounds.

To apply, please email a CV, a brief description of research interests and career goals, and the names and contact information for three references to Dr. Veronique Lefebvre ([lefebvv@ccf.org](mailto:lefebvv@ccf.org)).