

VERMONT GENETICS NETWORK APPLICATION FOR
GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANTSHIPS

SUMMER 2003

Due date: March 3, 2003

Research in Genetics is not necessary for this application.

Note that only tenure track faculty members from University of Vermont are eligible. Faculty members must apply on behalf of their graduate students for the Assistantships.

Name and Title of Faculty Applicant:

Name of Graduate Student Applicant:

Project Title:

Address:

Faculty Member E-mail:

Phone number:

Fax number:

Department (if not part of address):

Signatures:

Faculty Member _____ **Date** _____

Graduate Applicant _____ **Date** _____

Chair _____ **Date** _____

Instructions for the Graduate Student Assistantship Application

Provide in this order:

- Application Cover Page
- Research Project Description (2-3 pages)
Describe in some detail the faculty member's research
Address future research directions for your research and potential for extra mural funding
Be sure to make clear where the graduate student assistant will contribute
- Curriculum Vitae for both faculty member and student
- Current and Pending Funding
- Signatures of Applicant and Chair on cover page

Obligations that will come with funding:

- If awarded Graduate Student Assistantship support your attendance is expected at the 2nd Annual VGN Retreat on August 13, 2003.
- Award funds for Graduate Student Assistantship *must* be expended in a 12 month period and the funding should begin in June, 2003.
- You will be expected to provide a report at the end of the Graduate Student Assistantship detailing your research progress, roles of undergraduates and the impact of your research on undergraduate science education.
- Faculty recipients of the Graduate Student Assistantships for their students will also be expected to submit a *research grant application to a federal agency within 6 months of the end of the assistantship.*
- All participants will be asked to be part of our mentoring activities for undergraduates and faculty across the state.
- Graduate student recipients must make arrangements with the Graduate College for a schedule of tuition payments since the assistantship includes funds for tuition.

Submission by 2 Alternatives:

- 1) Submit *ONE COPY* to arrive in the VGN office no later than **March 3, 2003 by 4:00 pm:**

Vermont Genetics Network
University of Vermont
120A Marsh Life Science Building
Burlington, VT 05405

- 2) Email an attachment in Word document format to Vermont.GeneticsNetwork@uvm.edu by **4:00 p.m. on March 3, 2003.**
If you choose to submit by email, electronic signatures must be included on the cover page.

Questions?

E-mail to Vermont.GeneticsNetwork@uvm.edu

Or Call (802) 656-4087

Or visit our web site – www.uvm.edu/~biology/vgn

Checklists:

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