

Intercalated PhD Studentship in Bacterial Pathogenesis for Medical Students

Applications are invited for a 3-year Intercalated PhD studentship in the Centre for Molecular Bacteriology and Infection (CMBI). The CMBI (<http://www3.imperial.ac.uk/cmmbi>) is a cross-faculty, multi-disciplinary research centre which aims to understand molecular mechanisms underlying bacterial pathogenesis and host resistance. The Centre comprises over 55 academic and postdoctoral research staff and 35 postgraduate students. Approximately 15 CMBI investigators are potentially available as supervisors and details of their research can be found at <http://www3.imperial.ac.uk/cmmbi/research>. A list of available research projects will be made available shortly.

The studentship is open to medical students who will complete in June 2013 the:

- 4th year of the 6-year MBBS/BSc Medicine course; or
- 1st year of the 4-year Graduate Entry Medicine course.

The successful candidate will have an interest in the molecular basis of bacterial pathogenesis and will preferably have completed a BSc in a related area (with a first class or upper second class degree) and may be interested in a future combined clinical and academic career. Applicants are requested to send a full CV (including the names and email addresses of at least two academic referees) and personal statement outlining how the PhD training will benefit from their past experience and impact their career aspirations, to Kylie Glasgow (k.glasgow@imperial.ac.uk) by 14 January 2013.

The studentship is open to home/EU students and includes payment of tuition fees and an annual stipend of approximately £17,500 per year. The start date is 1 July 2013.

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