

# Imperial College London

Molecular Endocrinology Group  
of Investigative Science Section  
Department of Medicine

## Research Associate

**Salary Range: £27,400 - £32,130 per annum**

Applications are invited for the post of Research Associate in the Molecular Endocrinology Group in the Division of Diabetes, Endocrinology and Metabolism, Department of Medicine at the Hammersmith Campus, located in East Acton, London.

The Research Associate will participate in a project funded by the Wellcome Trust to investigate and characterise new low bone mass phenotypes identified in the Wellcome Trust Sanger Institute gene targeting pipeline. The successful candidate will assist with experimental design, collaborate with experienced scientists and acquire new techniques such as state-of-the-art skeletal phenotyping, primary bone cell culture and gene expression profiling.

The project requires a post-doctoral scientist with experience in cellular and molecular biology techniques. A background in skeletal physiology or bone cell biology is essential. He/she will have a PhD in molecular biology, biochemistry or related discipline, good interpersonal and presentation skills and be required to train and assist other members of the group.

The post is available for up to 36 months.

For informal enquiries please contact Professor Graham Williams ([graham.williams@imperial.ac.uk](mailto:graham.williams@imperial.ac.uk)) or Dr Duncan Bassett ([d.bassett@imperial.ac.uk](mailto:d.bassett@imperial.ac.uk)).

Our preferred method of application is online via our website at <http://www3.imperial.ac.uk/employment> (please select "Job Search" then enter the job title or vacancy reference number into "Keywords"). Please complete and upload an application form as directed **quoting reference number HM2011184.**

Alternatively, if you are unable to apply online, please email [hmrecr@imperial.ac.uk](mailto:hmrecr@imperial.ac.uk) to request an application form.

**Closing Date: 20 December 2011 (Midnight GMT)**

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