



**University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute
Medical Biotechnology Center
Baltimore, Maryland**

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

- Title:** Research Associate (Postdoctoral)
- Category:** Faculty, Non-Tenure Track
- Qualifications:** PhD in biophysics, biochemistry, structural biology or related field
- Responsibilities:** Research Associate position is available study biophysical mechanisms of prion conversion and interaction of prions with nucleic acid. Training in biophysics, biochemistry, protein/RNA folding or structural biology is required. Experience in the following areas is highly desirable: protein-nucleic acid interactions, molecular imaging, atomic force microscopy, solid-state NMR. Highly motivated candidates are encouraged to apply.
- Salary:** \$34,000-\$45,000
- Position Available:** Upon completion of search
- Applications:** Please send curriculum vitae, statement of research interests (referencing **position# 300954**), and the names of three references to:
- University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute
Medical Biotechnology Center
Iliia Baskakov, Associate Professor
725 W. Lombard St
Baltimore, MD 21201
- OR by email to:** baskakov@umbi.umd.edu
- Closing Date:** Application review will begin on **June 4, 2008** and will continue until a suitable candidate is selected,

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