

JOB OPENING

Undergraduate Research Assistant/Intern (Biology)

We are currently looking for a highly motivated undergraduate student to join the Crinetics team. You will help support our team in many different aspects of our efforts to discover new drugs. During the academic year, this is a part-time position (15-20 hrs/week @ \$13/h) that will compliment your formal education. We are flexible in scheduling around academic calendars. This position is expected to be full-time during academic breaks. This is a great growth and learning opportunity in a small company environment where you will be surrounded by experienced and committed mentors.

Qualifications

- Undergraduate student studying in Biochemistry, Biology, or related field
- Completed coursework in biochemistry and at least one biochemistry or molecular biology laboratory course.
- An individual who is committed to a career in research, flexible, hard working, and eager to learn
- Students in their sophomore or junior year are preferred. Students in their final year will not be considered.

Responsibilities

Initially the successful candidate will focus on the following:

- General Biology Lab Maintenance: Ordering, and stocking of Biology supplies. Cleaning and sterilization of specific biology supplies. Maintaining accurate notebook and other records.
- Molecular biology: Bacterial & plasmid preps, plasmid construction and transformation/transfection using a variety of techniques.
- Biochemistry: Bacterial cultures and protein expression.
- Online research: Literature search & reprint retrieval

Time devoted to research activities will be dependent on the successful applicant's aptitude and availability.

Crinetics Pharmaceuticals Inc. (www.crinetics.com) is a startup company located in the heart of the San Diego biotechnology community that discovers and develops novel therapeutics targeting peptide hormone receptors for the treatment of endocrine-related diseases and cancers. Crinetics was founded and is operated by a team of scientists with a proven track record of drug discovery and development for endocrine diseases and endocrine related cancers. Crinetics is a pet friendly workplace. To apply, please email CV and cover letter to hr@crinetics.com. San Diego area residents only, please.