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## **Positions for Research Officers in Cancer Stem Cell Biology**

The Genome Institute of Singapore (GIS) is the national flagship program for genomic sciences in Singapore. The Agency for Science, Technology and Research (A\*STAR) is the parent funding body for the GIS with a long-term commitment to create world-class R&D infrastructure.

The GIS seeks to use biomedical sciences to improve public health and prosperity. As a center for genomic discovery, the GIS pursues the integration of technology, genetics and biology to address high impact biomedical research. In particular, we apply genomic approaches to gain fundamental and translational insights into human diseases, infectious diseases, cancer biology and therapeutics, and stem cells and regenerative biology.

The Cancer Stem Cell Biology Program is currently recruiting **Research Officers**.

### **Research Officers (Cancer Stem Cell Biology)**

Positions for Research Officers are available in the Cancer Stem Cell Biology Laboratory at GIS. The laboratory is broadly interested in understanding the contributions of cancer stem cells to malignant cancer progression. We focus on dissecting the distinctive properties of cancer stem cells in various carcinomas, and seek to exploit these traits as vulnerabilities towards the development of targeted cancer therapies.

Applicants should have relevant training in the field of biomedical sciences. Prior experience in cancer, stem cell, animal models or translational research is desirable. Candidates are expected to be highly motivated, possess strong organization skills, and work effectively in an interdisciplinary environment.

#### Requirements:

- Bachelor's Degree (with Honors) in Biomedical Sciences or other relevant disciplines
- Prior working experience with standard molecular biology and cell culture techniques
- Possess excellent analytical, technical and problem-solving skills
- Ability to work both independently and as a part of the team
- Exceptional organizational and administrative skills

Interested candidates are invited to send a cover letter stating your research interests and experience, curriculum vitae, and the names and email addresses of three references to Wai Leong TAM ([tamwl@gis.a-star.edu.sg](mailto:tamwl@gis.a-star.edu.sg)). The lab is funded by the Singapore National Research Foundation, A\*STAR, and National Medical Research Council.

#### Investigator Profile:

[http://www.a-star.edu.sg/gis/our-people/investigator-details.aspx?source=faculty\\_member&user\\_id=172](http://www.a-star.edu.sg/gis/our-people/investigator-details.aspx?source=faculty_member&user_id=172)

<http://www.csi.nus.edu.sg/ws/team/mem/tam-wai-leong>

<http://bch.nus.edu.sg/waileongtam.htm>

Please kindly note that only shortlisted candidates will be notified.