



## *CALL FOR APPLICANTS*

# **POST-DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS at the INSTITUT PASTEUR IN PARIS, FRANCE**

These three-year fellowship positions are open to U.S. citizens not currently in France wishing to work in the laboratories of the Institut Pasteur. Located in Paris and founded by Louis Pasteur in 1887, the Institut Pasteur is one of the world's leading private nonprofit centers for infectious disease research. With 2500 people of over 70 nationalities, its 130 research labs are devoted to the basic science of improving global public health. The first step is to identify a host lab; a complete list of laboratories may be found by visiting: [www.pasteur.fr/recherche/unites-en.html](http://www.pasteur.fr/recherche/unites-en.html). Fellowship packages are \$70,000 (stipends & bench fees) annually for three years.

**Upcoming Deadline: February 8, 2008**

**There will also be a call for applicants in May and September 2008**

**N.B. Calls for applicants are held multiple times per year. February applicants are notified in April and must commence by December 1st; May applicants are notified in July and must commence by March 1st; September applicants are notified in November and must commence by June 1st.**

**Please see application guidelines at:  
[www.pasteurfoundation.org](http://www.pasteurfoundation.org)**

420 Lexington Ave, Suite 1654  
New York, NY 10170  
Phone: (212) 599-2050  
Email: [PasteurUS@aol.com](mailto:PasteurUS@aol.com)



## Pasteur Foundation Post-Doctoral Fellowship Program in Paris

**UPCOMING DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 8, 2008**  
**SEE WEBSITE FOR FUTURE DEADLINE INFORMATION**

In collaboration with the Institut Pasteur, the Pasteur Foundation has launched a program to bring U.S. post-doctoral researchers to work in Pasteur laboratories in Paris thanks to the generosity of U.S. donors. Guided by the institute's administration which seeks to develop international exchanges to ensure the vitality and quality of Institut Pasteur labs, this program is for American citizens and does not apply to candidates already in France. Fellowships are \$70,000 (\$55,000 fellowship plus \$15,000 bench fees to support the research) per year for a term of three years and are not renewable. Financing for the second and third years is contingent upon positive annual review by the host lab head. Candidates are expected to commit to a three-year stay. Attention will be given to fellows so that their time on the Parisian campus of the Institut Pasteur is an enriching experience not only scientifically, but also personally and culturally.

### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

#### ■ 1 COPY OF EACH OF THE FOLLOWING:

- ❖ A passport-size photo,
- ❖ Reprints of candidate's most significant publications (1 copy of each),
- ❖ 2 sealed letters of recommendation addressed directly to the Direction de l'Évaluation Scientifique,
- ❖ A letter of support justifying the project from the head of department (Institut Pasteur) to be sent directly to the Direction de l'Évaluation Scientifique.

#### ■ 13 COPIES OF EACH OF THE FOLLOWING:

- ❖ A letter of request from the sponsoring head of the host laboratory or unit at the Institut Pasteur. **The first step is to identify a host laboratory head so that he or she may serve as your sponsor; a list of Institut Pasteur laboratories may be found at [www.pasteur.fr/recherche/unites-en.html](http://www.pasteur.fr/recherche/unites-en.html);**
- ❖ Candidate's Curriculum vitae (2 pages) with an indication of any current grants and/or funding (plus their origin and duration), and a list of publications;
- ❖ A synopsis of scientific accomplishments (3 pages);
- ❖ A brief description of the research program to be written by the candidate (3 pages), with emphasis on how this relates to the work-in-progress in the host unit or lab. The project must be described within the context of the actual international state of the subject (with three key bibliographic references), and must state the project's objectives, experimental strategy and feasibility; \*
- ❖ Summary of the research program (15 to 20 lines + a title and 5 key words) placed in the context of international competition with the project's goals, experimental strategy and feasibility. \*\*

#### ■ PDF VERSION OF CANDIDATE'S CV, PROGRAM DESCRIPTION (\*) AND SUMMARY (\*\*) MUST ALSO BE EMAILED TO BOTH: **[BOURSES@PASTEUR.FR](mailto:BOURSES@PASTEUR.FR) AND [PASTEURUS@AOL.COM](mailto:PASTEURUS@AOL.COM) BY FEBRUARY 8, 2008.**

Complete applications must be received by the Secrétariat de la Direction de l'Évaluation Scientifique, Attn: Dr. Isabelle Saint Girons, Institut Pasteur, 25 rue du Docteur Roux, 75724 Paris Cedex 15, France **no later than the cited deadline**. Selection adheres to guidelines for fellowships attributed by the Institut Pasteur.

**For more information, please visit [www.pasteurfoundation.org](http://www.pasteurfoundation.org) or contact Caitlin Hawke at the Pasteur Foundation • 420 Lexington Ave • Suite 1654 • New York, NY 10170  
Email: [PasteurUS@aol.com](mailto:PasteurUS@aol.com)**