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The Scottish Crop Research Institute

Lecturer/Senior Lecturer (Reader) – Ref no: CD7691

Salary: £36,715-45,155 (Lecturer)/£46,510-52,347 (Senior Lecturer/Reader) per annum

We are seeking to appoint an outstanding protein biochemist to enhance ongoing research on molecular virology of RNA viruses. The appointment is available as Lecturer and for those with a demonstrated track record of achievement as an independent group leader, at the Senior Lecturer/Reader level. The work will integrate studies within the Scottish Crop Research Institute (SCRI) and the University of St Andrews. You are expected to develop a collaborative programme of research on the structure and function of biomolecular complexes in virus disease.

This post is a key part of a new initiative between SCRI, internationally recognized for its research on plant virus diseases and the Biomedical Sciences Research Complex (BSRC) University of St Andrews, which has an international reputation in cell and molecular studies of infection and immunity.

The aim of the initiative is to link the complementary research strengths in structural biology, virology and protein chemistry to provide a new focus for the investigation of macromolecular complexes in virus diseases. Candidates who wish to be considered for appointment Senior Lecturer / Reader Level should specify this in their covering letter.

Informal enquiries can be made to Professor James Naismith (e-mail: [naismith@st-andrews.ac.uk](mailto:naismith@st-andrews.ac.uk) tel: +44(0) 1334 463792) or Dr Lesley Torrance (e-mail: [Lesley.Torrance@scri.ac.uk](mailto:Lesley.Torrance@scri.ac.uk), tel: +44(0) 1382 568525)

Closing Date: 25 November 2010

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