The Stem Cell Biology Training Grant will provide new opportunities for training predoctoral students at the University of Minnesota.

We are continually seeking new faculty mentors who will enhance the quality of stem cell biology training in one or more focus areas: basic developmental biology, molecular biology/gene therapy, cell biology, immunology, biomedical engineering, clinical and veterinary medicine, and bioethics.

The criteria for membership are:
- Full member of the graduate faculty
- Established, extramurally supported research program
- Commitment to strong research training in spirit of the program

Your responsibilities as a mentor will include:
When sponsoring a trainee, mentors will submit a proposal to the steering committee explaining a potential trainee’s project, its merits as a training experience, including cross-disciplinary elements and mentorship, and ancillary supporting experiences that will be provided to the trainee. The mentor will also submit an annual report to the Steering Committee, describing progress, performance, and a summary diary of mentoring of the trainee. Reports and trainee programs will be reviewed and approved by the Steering Committee to ensure compliance with the mission. If needed, the steering committee will provide recommendations for improvement.

To apply for membership, please complete the attached application form and provide us with the requested materials.

Applications from new prospective mentors will be reviewed and approved by the Steering Committee.

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UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
MENTOR APPLICATION

NAME:        DEPARTMENT:

PHONE:        FAX:       EMAIL:

MAILING ADDRESS:

GRADUATE FACULTY MEMBERSHIP(s):

(EXAMPLES: BMBB, MICAB (CANCER BIOLOGY Track), MD/PhD)

PLEASE APPEND YOUR NIH BIOSKETCH WITH OTHER SUPPORT (GRANTS AND CONTRACTS, INCLUDING TITLES, DOLLAR AMOUNTS AND INCLUSIVE YEARS), AND RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENT DOCUMENTS.

PLEASE DESCRIBE BRIEFLY:

1. LONG-TERM RESEARCH GOALS:

2. CURRENT ACTIVITIES AND STEM CELL BIOLOGY-RELATED TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES:

3. MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

4. RESEARCH FUNDING (CURRENT AND PENDING):

5. RECORD OF RESEARCH TRAINING (LIST PAST AND PRESENT PREDOCTORAL AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDENTS, AND CURRENT POSITIONS, PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF ANY MINORITY TRAINEES):

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