CALL FOR APPLICATIONS:

PRE-ANNOUNCEMENT

NORDIC STEM CELL MOBILITY PROGRAMME 2007-2010

NordForsk will launch a Nordic Stem Cell Mobility Programme on 15 May 2007, aimed at promoting future stem cell research in the Nordic countries.

The mobility programme offers funding for a 3-year post-doctoral research post within stem cell research. Eligible applicants are PhD degree holders based in a Nordic country or returning to the Nordic region. The 3-year grant comprises a main mobility part of 2.5 years, carried out in a stem cell research group/institution in a Nordic country. The last six months, funding will be granted for the post-docs to return to their Nordic home country or go to another Nordic country. Such a programme will be ideally suited for knowledge exchange and the creation of Nordic networks and synergies. It will create win-win collaboration constellations over laboratory and national boundaries. In addition, it will provide a possibility for young researchers to start building their own research group.

The call for applications will be officially launched 15 May 2007 and the application deadline is 21 August 2007. For further information, please visit the NordForsk website <u>www.nordforsk.org</u>.

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