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Dear Dr. Davidson,

Hope all is well.

I reached out earlier this year inquiring for promising graduates to fill a research position in my lab at Penn and CHOP. Our lab is growing fast, and we have 1-2 Lab Tech II positions open again for highly motivated college graduates who are interested in cutting-edge research in translational immunology. My colleagues spoke highly of the candidates from Swarthmore, could you please pass on this opportunity to any candidate who might be interested and help spread the words to the upcoming graduates?

My lab focuses on immune engineering and immunotherapies (<https://www.malabimmuneng.com/>). Successful candidate will be joining a vibrant multidisciplinary lab to develop cutting-edge biomaterials, protein and cell-based immunotherapies for cancer and autoimmunity. The candidate will be mostly responsible to support the senior lab members' projects. However, if the candidate is motivated and has enough bandwidth, the candidate is welcome to carry out an independent project under the direct guidance of the PI. For candidates who are planning for graduate or medical school application, we will offer school application advice and networking opportunities.

The ideal candidate will have 3-12 months of laboratory experience and knowledge of biomedical research. Familiarity with basic laboratory techniques such as tissue culture work, molecular cloning or engineering, is desired. Comfort to handle lab animals, i.e., mice, is a must.

The Lab Tech II position will have an initial two-year appointment with options for promotion to a research associate position if a long-term hire is desired. Candidates could directly email to Dr. Leyuan Ma (Leyuan.ma@pennmedicine.upenn.edu or MAL5@CHOP.EDU) with a CV, a brief statement of research experiences and interests, and contact information for three references.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Leyuan Ma'.

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