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March 23, 2009

Applications are invited for a post-doctoral fellowship opportunity in the field of adult brain stem cells.

The Alberta Heritage Foundation for Medical Research (AHFMR) is proud to present the 2008 **AHFMR Sam Weiss Fellowship Award**.

This award provides an opportunity for a highly qualified post-doctoral trainee to work under the supervision of 2008 Gairdner Award recipient, Dr. Samuel Weiss.

This is a one year award with potential for renewal of up to 3 years. The successful candidate will receive a stipend of \$50,000 per annum plus a \$3,000 research allowance. The fellowship will be held at the Hotchkiss Brain Institute (HBI), University of Calgary. The successful applicant will participate in multi-disciplinary research in the Weiss lab, in either: (1) The function of new neurons in the formation of social memories in the adult mouse brain, or (2) The cellular and molecular biology of human brain tumour stem cells and the development of novel, experimental therapeutics for glioblastoma.

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter indicating their research interests, a copy of their Curriculum Vitae, representative publications, and the names of three references. This package should be sent to:

Hotchkiss Brain Institute
Dr. Samuel Weiss
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3330 Hospital Dr. NW.
Calgary, AB. T2N 4N1
or send electronically to weiss@ucalgary.ca

The deadline for application is April 30, 2009