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OUTSTANDING FACULTY LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITY CLINICAL & ACADEMIC DIRECTOR, HISTOCOMPATABILITY LABORATORY

The Department of Medicine and the Comprehensive Transplant Center at Cedars-Sinai Medical Center seeks to recruit Assistant Director of the HLA and Immunogenetics Laboratory. Cedars-Sinai has the largest heart transplant program in the U.S. with a significant desensitization program. Our Transplant Immunotherapy Program for highly HLA sensitized patients performs 80-90 incompatible kidney transplants per year. The HLA Laboratory is fully accredited in all areas of histocompatibility testing including DNA-based HLA class I and II typing, STR engraftment analysis, solid phase antibody testing, and crossmatching. The laboratory is also accredited for non-HLA antibody analysis. This large laboratory program supports preeminent solid organ (kidney, heart, lung, pancreas) and stem cell transplant programs.

The successful candidate will work under the direct guidance of the ASHI qualified Director of the Laboratory for clinical reporting, implementation and validation of novel tests, administrative duties related to the laboratory, and teaching, including training of clinical residents and fellows. The candidate will also assist the Director conduct research within histocompatibility and immunogenetics in collaboration with the clinicians, research scientists, and laboratory personnel.

The candidate must have earned MD or a PhD in immunology, genetics or in related biological science from an accredited institution. In addition to the education requirements, the applicant must have at least 2 years full-time post-doctoral laboratory training or experience in immunology, histocompatibility, or related biological science, or a residency in clinical and/or anatomic pathology or other related medical specialty, and have at least 2 years full-time post-doctoral training in directing or supervising high complexity testing in human Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics in an ASHI-accredited or approved laboratory. The candidate must be Board eligible or Certified by American Board of Histocompatibility and Immunogenetics (ABHI). The candidate must be eligible for the California Histocompatibility Laboratory Director's License.

Please submit your curriculum vitae, three references, and a brief description of relevant experience to: AcademicRecruiting@cshs.org

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