

**Department of Health and Human Services
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National Cancer Institute**

**Tenure-Track Investigator in Cancer Biology and Inflammation,
Cancer and Inflammation Program, Center for Cancer Research**

The National Cancer Institute (NCI) Intramural Center for Cancer Research (CCR) has a Principal Investigator position opening at the Cancer and Inflammation Program (Giorgio Trinchieri, M.D., Director) at NCI-Frederick. The Cancer and Inflammation Program (CIP, <http://ccr.cancer.gov/labs/lab.asp?labid=790>) was established three years ago and currently consists of fifteen principal investigators studying the role of inflammation and innate/adaptive resistance in controlling or promoting carcinogenesis, immunosurveillance and immunoediting, tumor progression, growth, and dissemination. An individual is sought with research interests in these areas. Expertise in peptide or lipid biochemistry or an interest in advanced flow cytometry technologies would also be attractive.

The Laboratory of Experimental Immunology and the Laboratory of Molecular Immunoregulation constitute the Cancer and Inflammation Program (CIP), which is the major immunologic component of the CCR's inflammation and cancer initiative, spanning the NCI's two major campuses in Frederick and Bethesda. This initiative seeks to partner NCI's expertise in inflammation and immunology with its cutting edge cancer etiology and carcinogenesis program. Applicants should have a Ph.D. and/or M.D. degree, a strong publication record, and a demonstrated potential for imaginative research. Salary will be commensurate with experience. Applicant will independently direct a research group of postdoctoral fellows and technicians funded by the NCI intramural program and will be provided sufficient space, equipment and supply budget. The applicant's research activity will be expected to be cooperative and well integrated in the Program's scientific focus of advancing the understanding of the inflammatory mechanisms involved in cancer initiation, promotion, progression, and dissemination with the ultimate goal to identify new therapeutic targets for cancer prevention and therapy. Several state of the art technical facilities in Frederick and in Bethesda, MD, will be accessible to the selected candidate including a fully staffed flow cytometry facility (<http://web.ncifcrf.gov/research/flow-cyto-lab.asp>). A one- or two-page statement of research interests and goals should be submitted in addition to three letters of recommendation and a curriculum vitae to: Ms. Lisa Virts, Administrative Officer, NCI-Frederick, PO Box B, Bldg. 578, Frederick, Maryland 21702-1201, Tel. 301-846-5079, FAX 301-846-6053, E-mail: virtsl@mail.nih.gov.

Applications must be postmarked by July 22nd, 2009.

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