Paradox Immunotherapeutics is a Toronto-based pharmaceutical company developing immunotherapies for rare diseases that cause organ failure. Using a proven-successful immunotherapy drug design platform, they design drugs that harness the body’s own immune system to clear lethal deposits from affected organs and reverse organ damage. Their current research pipeline includes a potential treatment for immunoglobulin light chain (AL) cardiac amyloidosis, another cause of heart failure for which no first-line therapy currently exists and a US market opportunity of ~$3.2B. With a team of experts in immunotherapy drug design, they possess an orphan drug discovery platform for the potential treatment of ~30 rare diseases, a platform technology which has already sparked the interest of major players in the pharmaceutical industry.

For more information: https://tedrogersresearch.ca/2019/06/world-first-technology-to-clear-the-heart-of-dangerous-protein-deposits/

**Job Description**

**Job Title:** Mitacs Accelerate Post-doctoral Fellow, 6-8 months contract

**Number of openings:** 1

**Position start date:** Feb/March 2021

**Job site:** UHN, Toronto, ON

**Position Description:** The successful candidate will be required to report to the chief scientific officer and co-founders while performing standardized laboratory research techniques and procedures described below:

**General skill sets required:**

- Keep accurate, detailed, up-to-date laboratory notebooks
- Summarize data for presentations and reports
- Contribute to technical reports, study reports and manuscripts
- Collaborate with research development team members to accomplish organizational and corporate goals
- Maintain good laboratory practices
- Assist with general lab management tasks as needed
- Maintain laboratory facility and supplies

**SEEKING SPECIFIC SCIENTIFIC EXPERTISE:**

**PROTEIN EXPRESSION, IMMUNOASSAY ASSAY DEVELOPMENT OR DESIGN AND EXECUTE BLI/SPR**

Knowledge, skills and experience:

- PhD in biochemistry, biological sciences, or related discipline
- Demonstrated experience with immunoassays, affinity binding assays or flow cytometry is preferred
- Able to conduct experiments, analyze data and perform troubleshooting without supervision when needed
- Quick learner, entrepreneurial spirit and work ethic, able to work with a small and versatile research team committed to meeting tight deadlines
- Strong interpersonal skills that inspire and earn trust with team members, partners and collaborators
- Superior written and verbal communication skills; able to communicate clearly and credibly with business partners, executive leadership, and exterior collaborators
- Flexible and adaptable working style; willing to take on new assignments and resilient to respond to new challenges
- Proficiency in English with excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Legally allowed to work in Canada

Education:

- PhD required (graduate within 5 years)
  Candidates interested should send a cover letter and CV to info@paradoximmuno.com

  *Candidates without a cover letter risk immediate application rejection*

Benefits:

- Vacation & paid time off
- Work from home opportunities
- Flexible working hours
- Health & Dental Package Available

Salary: $45,000.00 /year