



Science Foundation Arizona
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM OFFICER

Science Foundation Arizona (SFAz) is seeking applications for a Scientific Program Officer to direct investment programs for use inspired science, innovation and education in the Biosciences. A PhD in a relevant scientific/engineering field is expected. A minimum of 5 years of independent research beyond the PhD is required.

The successful candidate will be joining a small staff of highly dedicated individuals in building a new model for funding use-inspired science in Arizona that has national and global implications for the future of use inspired science and engineering and education. The State of Arizona is uniquely positioned to test the model with three public universities and a broad range of high technology industries. Further, Arizona's population is among the fastest growing in the nation and has special environmental, health, employment, and educational needs that are highly dependent on science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).

Now in its second year of operation, SFAz was created as a 501(C)(3) not-for-profit foundation and is a unique public/private partnership. In its first year, investments in research totaled almost \$30M.

Review of the applications will begin June 15, 2008 and the search process will remain open until a successful candidate has been selected. Interested applicants are invited to submit a letter of interest, resume and salary requirements to:

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