

Multiple positions available at Yale University to work on transformation and genome engineering in Citrus

Multiple positions (e.g. postdoctoral researchers, technicians and/or postgraduate students) are currently available in the laboratories of Vivian Irish and Yannick Jacob at Yale University (Department of Molecular, Cellular and Developmental Biology). The research projects will be centered on improving, developing and applying transformation technologies and genome engineering (e.g. CRISPR/Cas9) in economically important Citrus species. For more information, please see the project website at: <https://crisprcitrus.org/>.

Highly motivated individuals with computational and/or experimental skills are encouraged to apply. The ability and inclination to work as part of a team is very important. In addition, experience working with Citrus species and/or plant transformation/regeneration would be an asset, but it is not required.

The initial funding for these positions is provided by a two-year award from the USDA that starts on January 1st, 2021. To apply, please send a CV to Vivian Irish (vivian.irish@yale.edu) or Yannick Jacob (yannick.jacob@yale.edu) that includes the names and complete contact information of three previous supervisors/mentors or referees. A brief cover letter describing your current scientific interests and career goals, and how they would fit with the research projects would be helpful. Please write "CITRUS APPLICATION" in the subject line of the email.

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