

MONELL CENTER OPEN FACULTY POSITION 2023

The Monell Chemical Senses Center (<u>www.monell.org</u>) is currently seeking a chemical biologist/ecologist. Monell is the world's premier institution devoted to research on the mechanisms and functions of taste, smell, and chemesthesis and their impact on health.

We invite applications for a regular faculty position at all academic levels. The scientist will be expected to launch a laboratory that contributes toward one or more of the Monell strategic research aims (https://monell.org/research/). We desire candidates who combine a fundamental understanding of physiology, immunology, metabolism, or behavior with demonstrated expertise in all facets of quantitative analytical chemistry. We encourage experience at the organismal (e.g. chemical ecology) and/or cellular/molecular (e.g. chemical biology) levels of organization that yield insight into the chemical senses and their roles in chemical communication, nutrition, metabolism, or health.

As principal investigator, the chemical biologist/ecologist will seek external funding and will receive additional support for leading the <u>George Preti Research Support Core for Analytical Chemistry</u>. Approximately 15% effort will be required to direct and expand core capabilities in quantitative analysis.

Candidates must have a Ph.D. or equivalent professional degree and postdoctoral experience. Senior-level applicants should have an established and funded research program with potential for growth and collaboration. Junior candidates should have the potential to develop and fund an independent research program.

We are committed to promoting a diverse and inclusive culture and offer competitive startup packages, an outstanding environment for scientific innovation and collaboration, and mentorship to new faculty and applicants with underrepresented backgrounds are especially encouraged to apply.

Applicants should submit the following materials in electronic form to: http://apply.interfolio.com/132930

- Diversity statement (~one page)
- Curriculum vitae
- Three representative publications

- Statement of research interests, including ideas of where research links could be made with current faculty (~two pages)
- Contact information for three people willing to provide reference letters