

Cleveland Clinic Lerner College of Medicine
of
Case Western Reserve University
Department of Molecular Medicine

Dear Program Director,

The PhD program in Molecular Medicine, offered through a partnership between the Cleveland Clinic and Case Western Reserve University, is now accepting applications for Summer 2010 enrollment. The focus of this PhD program is training translational researchers who can apply basic science research principles to the discovery of mechanisms of disease pathogenesis and who can contribute to the development of new treatments to prevent and ameliorate human diseases. The innovative and rigorous biomedical science curriculum trains students in both basic and clinical research. Each student will have a Research Thesis Advisor and a Clinical Mentor who will help design an independent study, "Clinical Experience", in addition to core coursework. All coursework is completed in the state-of-the-art facilities of the Lerner Research Institute on the main campus of Cleveland Clinic. Students can choose rotation and thesis labs from a diverse environment of faculty and research departments on both the Cleveland Clinic and Case Western Reserve University campuses. This innovative program receives support from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute. Please distribute the attached electronic and printable brochure to faculty advisors and students who may be interested in learning more about our PhD program in Molecular Medicine. Details and the online application can be found on our website, www.lerner.ccf.org/molecmed/phd.

Thank You,



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