CALL FOR TEACHING ASSISTANT (TA) FELLOWSHIP

for the 2024/25 academic year

The Department of Molecular Biology at Semmelweis University offers teaching assistant (TA) positions for international students of the Faculty of Medicine for the 2024/25 academic year with the following terms:

1. Teaching assistants are supposed to assist at the laboratory (practical) lessons held at the Dept. of Molecular Biology in the following courses: Medical Chemistry and Molecular Cell Biology I (1st semester); Molecular Cell Biology II (2nd semester).

2. The applications are to be submitted to the Secretariat of the Dept. of Molecular Biology (H-1094 Budapest, Tűzoltó u. 37-47.) by 5th July, 2024 at the latest. The applications will be evaluated and ranked by the head of department and forwarded to the Dean’s Office within 10 working days after the deadline for submission of applications.

3. The teaching assistants' duties: active participation and assistance in the practical teaching of the abovementioned subjects (presentation of the theoretical background of the experiments, technical assistance and supervision of students in the laboratory lessons, sometimes independent conducting of laboratory lessons under the tutor's supervision, holding of consultations). TAs have to submit a detailed report on their activities to the head of department by the end of the study period of the spring semester, which is a condition for the recognition of the TA activity as an elective subject in Neptun.

4. The duration of the TA position covers both semesters of the 2024/25 academic year. The minimum working time corresponds to the duration of lab lessons of the selected course but cannot exceed 50 hours a month.

5. Teaching assistants receive a scholarship from the University.

6. TA candidates are required to meet the following criteria:
   (i) have an overall grade point average of at least 4.00 in the previous academic year, i.e., the academic year 2023/24; (ii) have passed Medical Chemistry and Molecular Cell Biology I and II with excellent (5) grades; (iii) have been a registered student research fellow at the Department of Molecular Biology for at least one year.

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