



Bioinformatics Summer Internship

The Boyce Thompson Institute at Cornell University



Be part of an exciting research project in the summer of 2009. The project is a large international effort to sequence the tomato genome. You can learn more about the project by visiting the SOL Genomics Network (SGN; www.sgn.cornell.edu) and clicking on the link for the International Tomato Project.



Students will work under the direction of a small team of bioinformaticians. We are seeking highly motivated individuals with strong interests in computers and/or biology to work on computational projects such as web-programming of new tools for plant scientists and designing and implementing relational databases for genomics applications. Knowledge of programming languages such as Perl, the database query language SQL, and the Linux operating system are desired, but not required.

If needed, a predetermined amount of funds are available towards travel expenses and to cover housing for students outside the Ithaca, NY area.

The position is an hourly paid position. Applications are available at www.sgn.cornell.edu and can be accessed from the outreach link on the SGN homepage. The application deadline is March 15, 2009. For additional information, contact Dr. Joyce Van Eck (jv27@cornell.edu).

