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## **Postdoctoral position in stem cell and matix biology and bioengineering research**

The Department of Bioengineering at the University of California, San Diego invites applications for a postdoctoral research fellow position under the supervision of **Assistant Professor Adam J Engler**. The successful candidate will join a multidisciplinary research group that studies the influence of intrinsic extracellular matrix (ECM) properties on developmental biology and the differentiation of adult and embryonic stem cell. Our group creates novel materials and techniques for studying ECM's role in these processes using a broad range of quantitative cell biological, mechanical, and material science-based approaches. Applicants must have a PhD in a relevant field (e.g. molecular biology, cell biology, or bioengineering) earned no earlier than September 2007 or to be earned no later than December 2009. Proficiency in English, both written and verbal, and demonstrated leadership skills are requirements. Applications will be accepted until all positions have been filled. Qualified candidates should contact Dr. Adam J Engler at [\*\*aengler@ucsd.edu\*\*](mailto:aengler@ucsd.edu).

To apply, send a curriculum vitae, a brief description of research interests and accomplishments, and the names and contact information of three references. Additional research information can be found at <http://ecm.ucsd.edu/research.html>.

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