Research Associate, Cancer Immunology

Dragonfly Therapeutics seeks an enthusiastic and motivated Research Associate to support new cancer drug development. The successful candidate will work with Dragonfly’s team to discover and develop novel therapies that stimulate immune responses against solid and hematologic cancers.

Responsibilities:
- Primary immune cell isolation and propagation in culture
- Maintenance of cancer cell lines and development of cell line derivatives
- In vivo mouse studies (e.g. injection, tumor inoculation and growth monitoring, necropsy)
- Flow cytometry based phenotyping and functional analysis of immune cells
- Characterization of novel therapeutics by cell-based functional assays, and binding assays
- Execute SOPs, generate new assays and troubleshoot when needed
- Generate, analyze, interpret, organize, and present experimental data
- Manage daily work flow independently and seek advice when appropriate
- Work collaboratively within the Dragonfly team

Qualifications:
- B.S. or M.S. degree in biology, immunology, or relevant field
- 2+ years of relevant research experience, industry experience is a plus
- Understanding of immunology, cell and molecular biology, and cancer biology
- Experience with primary cell culture, preferably of T or NK cells
- Practiced in multi-colored flow cytometric analysis including phenotyping, and cytokine staining
- Knowledge of basic cell biology, molecular biology, and biochemistry techniques
- Proficiency with data analysis methods and software
- Strong organizational and record-keeping skills, and written and verbal communication skills
- Ability to multi-task with a high attention to detail
- Ability to work in concert with a team as well as independently
- Self-motivated, conscientious, and enthusiastic about curing cancer

Dragonfly Therapeutics is a discovery-stage company developing drugs to stimulate immune responses against cancer. We are developing novel first-in-class therapeutics targeted at natural killer cells and other cells of the innate immune system. These therapies are designed to counterbalance immune suppressive factors present in the tumor microenvironment and mobilize anti-cancer immune responses. Our molecules are expected to be potent as single agents as well as in treatment combinations with existing cancer immunotherapies. Our scientific founders are major figures in cancer biology and immunology and have launched Dragonfly to harness the power of the immune system to provide breakthrough cancer treatments for patients.

Please apply online at jobs.lever.co/dragonflytx.