Position: A postdoctoral position is available in the Allergy, Immunology and Rheumatology Division of the Department of Medicine at the University of Rochester. We are particularly interested in a postdoctoral candidate with research experience in flow cytometry and molecular biology. The research project will focus on the role of B cells, the microbiome, and mucosal immunity with the long term goal of developing strategies to prevent allergic and autoimmune disease. This project will compare samples from Old Order Mennonites, a group with very low rates of allergic disease, and Rochesterians. The project will involve studies of peripheral blood plasmablasts and stem cells as a function of gut microbiome. This position is available immediately.

Qualifications: We are seeking a highly motivated individual who wants to influence his/her own development and is flexible, proactive, creative, detail-oriented, and has top teamwork competency but can also work highly independent. A strong candidate will have:
- MD or PhD in Immunology, Biochemistry, Molecular Biology or related disciplines
- prior experience in flow cytometry and molecular biology
- proven ability to present and publish research data
- excellent inter-personal and communication skills / ability to build good working relations
- proficiency in spoken and written English.

Application: Candidates should provide a cover letter and CV electronically to:
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