

April 21, 1964

Dr. Jovah Simeon, M. D.
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Dear Dr. Simeon:

Thank you very much for your letter of April 15 and inquiry, concerning a position as a Research Psychiatrist at this institute. While we have filled our positions for January 1, we would be pleased to consider an application for appointment as of the 1st of September 1964. We anticipate the opening of one position in the research programs in experimental psychiatry, under the direction of Dr. Samuel Gershon.

Dr. Gershon has developed an extensive program in the study of anticholinergic psychotogens and their blocking agents, as well as a clinical study of the treatments of manic states with lithium ion. In addition to these clinical programs, we have undertaken a series of laboratory studies in mammals, to develop new blocking agents to anticholinergic psychotogens. These combined laboratory and clinical study programs have been in progress since March, 1963 and are well supported by the Division of Mental Diseases in the State of Missouri and the National Institute of Mental Health of the U. S. Public Health Service.

We anticipate that the position of a Research Scientist (Psychiatry) would be open this fall, and would entertain an application. The position will be available to candidates on an exchange visa or permanent visa. However, the position requires satisfactory completion on the American ECFMG examination. With the DPM and that examination, the position carries an annual stipend between \$13,000 and \$14,500.

If this position interests you, I would appreciate receiving a complete curriculum vitae, a small photograph, and the names of at least two referees. I am taking the liberty of enclosing a copy of our latest annual report which can give you a better picture of our program.

Sincerely yours,

Max Fink, M. D.
Director

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