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NIST NRC ARRA Postdoctoral Research Associateships Program

Enhance your research skills and prepare for a career in science and engineering through a postdoctoral research associateship at the National Institute of Standards and Technology. NIST, a federal agency in the U.S. Department of Commerce, promotes U.S. innovation and industrial competitiveness by advancing measurement science, standards, and technology in ways that enhance economic security and improve our quality of life.

The NIST NRC Postdoctoral Research Program supports a nationwide competitive postdoctoral program administered in cooperation with the National Academy of Sciences/National Research Council. The NIST NRC ARRA postdoctoral research associateship program is a special subset of NIST's current NRC postdoctoral program.

Research opportunities in:

- Chemistry
- Physics
- Materials Science
- Information Technology
- Engineering

Program details:

- Associateships are awarded for a two year period
- Awardees of the NIST NRC ARRA program will come to NIST as guest researchers
- The stipend, paid through the NRC, will be \$68,000 per year.
- Application deadline is November 1, 2011
- Opportunities are available in both Gaithersburg, MD and Boulder, CO locations.

Eligibility:

- You must possess a doctoral degree to begin the Associateship
- You must have held the doctoral degree less than five years at time of application
- You must be a U.S. citizen

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