The Emory Vaccinology Training Program (VTP) will have open post-doctoral fellow positions (MD, PhD or MD-PhD) to begin in late May 2015.

**Qualifications:**
- MD, PhD, or MD-PhD (within 10 years of training)
- Able to participate in up to two years of training
- US Citizen, non-citizen national or permanent resident of the United States per NIH guidelines
- All trainees must commit full-time effort, defined as forty hours per week to the program and its related research activities.

Trainees will perform a mentored vaccinology research project with a VTP faculty member in one of five areas:
- Pathogenesis and Vaccine Discovery;
- Innate and Adaptive Immunity to Antigens;
- Translation, Delivery, and Clinical Trials;
- Vaccine Epidemiology and Health Policy;
- Vaccine Safety (1 slot earmarked in this area for the upcoming year).

Trainees accepted into the VTP will receive the following:
- An annual stipend at the appropriate NIH-specified level based on years of postdoctoral experience
- A travel allotment for attendance/presentation of research results at a national vaccine-related conference
- Tuition relating to required course-work: i.e., two graduate-level vaccinology courses entitled: “Vaccines and Vaccine Preventable Diseases” and “Immunization Programs and Policies”; and a third course, Ethics in Research

For more information please visit: [http://medicine.emory.edu/VTP-T32](http://medicine.emory.edu/VTP-T32)

**Application Process:**
1. Potential candidates should contact Dianne Miller, Program Coordinator at (404) 712-2467 or at dmill06@emory.edu, who will schedule a preliminary discussion with the VTP Program Director, Dr. Mark J. Mulligan, or the Program CoDirector, Dr. Walter Orenstein.
2. All preliminary discussions must take place prior to December 18, 2014, in order to apply to the program.
3. After discussions with the Program Coordinator and Director, eligible candidates will be encouraged to submit the following documents: • Cover letter specifying area of interest with statement of future goals/interest • current CV • a letter of support from the proposed VTP preceptor with VTP preceptor’s NIH Bio-Sketch • letter(s) of support from a recent mentor or a collaborator • a two-page description of the proposed research project • MD applicants from clinical departments must also provide a letter from the candidate’s Department/Division Chair indicating departmental commitment to provide protected time for the trainee applicant to devote full-time effort to the proposed research training.

**DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION:** January 6, 2015