At Monsanto, we share a common goal - to help people lead longer, healthier lives. We are pioneering the use of lifescience technologies to understand how the connections between human health, nutrition and agriculture can be used to develop products to improve the quality of life for everyone, everywhere. To achieve this goal, we are selectively hiring the best and the brightest people in the world - people who can make a difference and want to leave their mark. Can you see yourself working on our dream of helping to improve food, health and hope in the world? Do you think about what you can achieve and the difference you, personally, can make? All of us at Monsanto can ask these questions daily. It's what brought us together and keeps us together. Imagine the possibilities - a better world, healthier families, a more enjoyable life. We are a team with a dream, and we would like you to be a part of it.

BIOINFORMATICS SCIENTISTS

We seek several highly motivated and experienced computational biologists to work closely with molecular biologists and multi-disciplinary drug discovery project teams. This position will involve providing bioinformatic analysis to address therapeutic challenges in inflammation, cardiovascular diseases and oncology. The challenge is to integrate and analyze large, complex data sets, such as sequences, array-based gene expression studies, human genetic studies and model organism studies. Expertise in standard bioinformatics tools (e.g. BLAST, GCG tools etc.) and any of the following areas: HMMs and profile methods, transcriptional profiling analysis, human genetics (SNPs etc.), protein fold recognition, homology modeling, inferential statistics, graph-theoretic methods will be considered. Candidates, in addition to providing support, will also be expected to develop independent research projects within Searle's therapeutic focus. Successful candidates will possess a Ph.D. with postdoctoral experience or demonstrated equivalent experience. Some experience in scientific programming skills, including scripting in PERL, Python, and or SQL/Oracle in a UNIX operating environment, as well as good communication and writing skills are essential.

For Consideration please send resume to: Monsanto Life Sciences, Job Code: BIO-PM, Mail Code BB5B, 700 Chesterfield Parkway North, Chesterfield, MO 63198. Fax 314-737-6419. EEO/AA. M/F/D/V.

