Postdoc position at the National Autism Research Center of Israel

We are seeking candidates for a postdoc position at the National Autism Research Center of Israel, which is part of Ben Gurion University in Beer Sheva. The center was mandated by the Ministry of Science and Technology to lead autism research in Israel by building a national autism database and conducting collaborative multi-disciplinary research. Research at the center is focused on early autism development and includes projects regarding autism genetics, risk factors, neurophysiology, sensory processing, motor function, sleep disturbances, and behavior with an effort to translate findings into practical tools for improving diagnosis and treatment of young children.

Available positions are for developing and implementing research projects involving MRI, EEG, eye tracking, motion tracking, and other techniques with the goal of studying neural function and behavior in 1-6-year-old children with autism.

The position requires proven capabilities with neuroscience and/or cognitive psychology research techniques, independence, responsibility, assertiveness, preciseness, a love of children, a love of technology, great inter-personal skills, and a good sense of humor.

Candidates must have a PhD degree in a relevant field such as Neuroscience, Psychology, Cognitive Sciences, or Life Sciences as well as a publication record and experience writing research proposals in English.

Postdocs will be mentored by Prof. Ilan Dinstein, head of the center, and a faculty member in the Psychology and Cognitive & Brain Sciences Departments at BGU. Funding is available for exceptional candidates. Please send CV and relevant publications to Prof. Dinstein:

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