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Institute for Research in Immunology and Cancer Université de Montréal 2950, Chemin de Polytechnique Pavillon Marcelle-Coutu, Rm. 4480 Montréal, Québec H3T 1J4

Dear Representative of the Institute for Research in Immunology and Cancer,

Please consider my application for a Postdoctoral Fellowship at the Smith Laboratoty at Institute for Research in Immunology and Cancer as advertised on December 11 on caindeed.ca. I am pursuing the Doctor of Philosophy degree at the Sorensen Laboratory at the University of British Columbia and am willing to get experience in studying cancer-initiated pathways. My supervisor, Dr. Sorensen, suggested a multidisciplinary approach in studying signalling causative of human disease will foster my own project and research output.

As you can see from my resume, I have earned my medical degree and have been working as a pathologist in the biggest pathology laboratory in western Ukraine for 3 years and as a histopathologist at the diagnostic center "MeDiS". Moreover, I researched thyroid cancer at the Department of Pathology at Lviv National Medical University using immunohistochemical methods. At all institutions I worked with specimens from patients with different kinds of cancer using a multidisciplinary approach to elucidate the important proteins in cancerogenesis. Additionally, working at the Sorensen lab, I trained in various approach of proteomics, namely NML spectroscopy and mass-spectrometry.

My medical background and research experience helped me to integrate both clinical and experimental approaches in identifying possible targetable proteins in cancer signal cascades. Additionally, my experience in genetic field could increase the multidisciplinary approach in cancer-causing pathways studying at your laboratory.

If my background find your need, If you find my previous experience suitable to your needs, please call any weekday after 3 p.m. at 604 2882 345 or email at tshyp@alumni.ubc.ca.

Sincerely,

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Encl.: Resume