

September 30, 2008

## Security Screening and Credibility Assessment Laboratory

### Research Assistants (Full or Part-Time)

We are looking for bright and motivated candidates to work as research assistants (full or part-time) in our lab beginning in October 2008. MRAC, LLC is a research and consulting company that runs human subject testing for government agencies and pharmaceutical companies, in cooperation with industry and universities nationwide.

We are seeking research assistants for a high-profile project on security screening and credibility assessment for the Department of Homeland Security. The research assistants would be primarily responsible for screening and running participants for this project. The successful candidates will have excellent people skills and a demonstrated ability to work with a range of personalities. They will also have good organizational, multi-tasking, and problem-solving skills, especially under pressure.

In addition to running participants, the research assistants will be included in laboratory meetings, and consulted on the development of future projects, relating to both security screening and credibility assessment. A background in psychology or psychophysiology is thus desired, although not necessary.

The position will provide the candidates with experience in applied research that will inform issues of national security. In addition, the position will provide experience in working with various academic, industry, and governmental institutions. Hours are negotiable based on the needs of the candidate. Wage will be based on the experience of the applicant with a minimum starting rate of \$15/hour.

A longer-term research assistant would have a significant role in the creation and formulation of new research projects. His or her duties would also expand to include participation in meetings with government and pharmaceutical customers and research meetings with professors from prominent psychology departments such as Harvard and Yale.

The research assistants will be working directly under Dr. Daniel Martin, Ph.D., ABPP, a clinical psychologist on the faculty at Yale University. His current research laboratory is located in Kendall Square, Cambridge, MA. The research conducted in the laboratory is innovative and of national significance.

Interested individuals should send a cover letter outlining qualifications and a resume to [daniel.martin.phd@comcast.net](mailto:daniel.martin.phd@comcast.net) <<mailto:daniel.martin.phd@comcast.net>>.

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