

## Research Assistant (Bioinformatics)

Biology Department

NYU Abu Dhabi

The Biology department at New York University Abu Dhabi, seeks to recruit an intern to work in the position of Research Assistant (Bioinformatics).

### **Brief Job Description:**

The Genetic Heritage Group at NYU Abu Dhabi seeks a research associate to support projects in human and animal population genetics and microbiome evolution. The role involves generating and analyzing large-scale genomic and metagenomic data to study human population history, host–microbe interactions, and evolutionary adaptation, using tools such as whole-genome sequencing, metagenomics, and statistical modeling. The successful candidate will work in a multidisciplinary team of population geneticists, microbiome scientists, and computational biologists.

Applicants must have M.Sc. in computer science.

**For consideration, applicants need to submit :** cover letter, cv to the internship supervisor. Please make sure to use the following email subject: “External Internship Application - position title”.

If you have any questions, please email **Aashish Jha** at [aj3013@nyu.edu](mailto:aj3013@nyu.edu).

The internship opportunity is competitive. Applications will be accepted during a short timeframe during Spring and Fall terms. Shortlisted candidates will be notified within a month of the application deadline.

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