We have an opportunity for a PhD student to work within Monash University’s brand new Sleep and Biological Rhythms Laboratory at the Be Active, Sleep and Eat (BASE) research facility at Notting Hill. The successful candidate will work under the supervision of internationally recognised sleep scientists Dr Clare Anderson and Professor Shantha Rajaratnam, and speech pathologist Dr Adam Vogel at the University of Melbourne.

The successful candidate will work on an ARC Linkage funded project which aims to examine the residual effects of sleep promoting compounds on speech and performance markers. This is a joint venture between the University of Melbourne, Monash University and CogState, a global cognitive science and technology company that supports the use of cognitive measures in clinical science, academic research and occupational settings. The successful candidate will be trained in numerous techniques including electroencephalography, neurobehavioural assessment, comprehensive speech analysis, sleep disordered screening, sleep stage scoring and administration of pharmacological compounds.

We are seeking exceptional candidates who already have a successful APA or equivalent scholarship, or those with an H1 honours degree (or equivalent) who are planning on submitting a mid-year application for PhD scholarship.

A top up stipend of $12,000 ($4,000 per year for three years) will be awarded to the successful candidate who must have an already successful APA or other such scholarship.

A scholarship of up to one year ($18,000 pro-rata) will be provided for a student without an APA scholarship but who holds a H1 honours degree. This student will be expected to apply for an APA scholarship application in the mid-year round (see www.med.monash.edu/psych/students/scholarships.html)

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