A postdoctoral scholar position is available in the Goldstein Research Group at UC Berkeley focused on development of the new Comprehensive Thermal Desorption Aerosol Gas Chromatograph (cTAG) instrument through a DOE SBIR Grant, and its application to measure emissions from biomass burning during the NOAA sponsored FIREX field campaigns. Responsibilities will include working as part of the development and application team for cTAG, development of data analysis tools for chromatographically separated high resolution time of flight mass spectrometer data, collection and analysis of field measurements, collaborating with the cTAG and FIREX science teams, preparation of reports to funding agencies and manuscripts for peer reviewed publication.

**Basic Qualifications (by time of application)**
Candidates must have completed all degree requirements except the dissertation or be enrolled in an accredited PhD or equivalent degree program in Atmospheric Chemistry (e.g. Engineering, Chemistry, Physics, Atmospheric Science) or related field.

**Additional Qualifications (by start date)**
Candidates must have a PhD or equivalent degree in Atmospheric Chemistry (e.g. Engineering, Chemistry, Physics, Atmospheric Science) or related field. Candidates must also have experience measuring and interpreting data for atmospheric organic trace gases and/or particulate matter, and have demonstrated knowledge of mass spectrometry and gas chromatography.

**Preferred Qualifications (by start date)**
Experience developing analytical measurement instrumentation, experience developing data analysis tools/software for high resolution mass spectrometry, experience studying biomass burning emissions, and demonstrated computer coding skills.

**Appointment**
The targeted start date for this position is between September 2017 and January 2018. The initial appointment is for one year, with renewal based funding and performance. This is a full-time appointment.

**Salary and Benefits**
Salary will commensurate with qualifications and experience level and based on UC Berkeley salary scales. The annual salary range for this position is $48,216 to $56,400. Generous benefits are included: http://vspa.berkeley.edu/postdocs

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This recruitment will remain open until filled.

Questions regarding this recruitment can be directed to Professor Allen Goldstein, ahg@berkeley.edu

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