Postdoctoral Research Position

Computational modeling of low temperature plasmas and rarefied gas flows

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The Plasma Dynamics Modeling Laboratory (PDML) in the Department of Aeronautics and Astronautics at Stanford University is seeking a postdoctoral research fellow. The position is focused on development of computational and theoretical models to understand the physics of low-temperature plasmas in cross-field discharges and interactions between rarefied gas (neutral and charged) and light.

The postdoctoral research fellow must have a Ph.D. degree in Physics or Engineering, with a particular focus in plasma physics, rarefied gas flows, computational fluid dynamics, numerical modeling, or closely related fields. Expertise in developing kinetic models (particle- and grid-based) and numerical algorithms of partial differential equations, preferably with experience in high-performance computing, is strongly desired. Highly motivated and hardworking candidates with a strong background in computational fluid and plasma dynamics are encouraged to apply.

More information about the research group is available at https://pdml.stanford.edu/

Applicants are invited to send a resume/CV, including a list of publications, a brief statement of research interests, and a list of three references to Prof. Ken Hara (kenhara@stanford.edu).