



Dr. Timna Wyckoff

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Timna Wyckoff is a biochemist broadly interested in infectious disease. In her research, she seeks to understand bacterial molecular processes that could be targeted for the development of new antibiotics to combat the threat of resistant pathogens. Timna is currently on leave from her position as an Associate Professor of Biology at the University of Minnesota—Morris, a small liberal arts campus of the U of MN system. Timna has enjoyed spending the past 15 years sharing her passion for biochemistry and microbiology with her students. In addition to her work in undergraduate education, Timna devotes time to outreach activities with K-12 students and teachers. During her AAAS fellowship, she is contributing to NSF STEM education policy within the Office of the Assistant Director of the Directorate of Education and Human Resources.