



The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) is a public sector institution that promotes and develops the research, innovation and biosanitary teaching of the Vall d'Hebron University Hospital. Through the excellence of our research, we identify and apply new solutions to the health problems of society and we contribute to spread them around the world.



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Pre-doctoral Researcher

Exocrine Pancreas Research Group

The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) offers vacancy/vacant position for a PhD student in the Group of Physiology and Pathophysiology of the Digestive Tract - Exocrine Pancreas Research Unit to **apply for a fellowship application (P-FIS contract)**.

The pre-doctoral researcher will work in an interdisciplinary biomedical environment in the project entitled "Enhanced fibroinflammatory phenotype of pancreatic stellate cells devoid of CFTR. Correction by autophagy modulators" funded by the Instituto de Salud Carlos III (Ministerio de Economía, Industria y Competitividad; PI18/00511). More information about our group can be found [here](#).

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- Degree in Biomedical Sciences (Biology, Biochemistry, Pharmacy..).
- Good academic qualifications (over 2.5).
- Informatics at user level.

Experience and knowledge:

Required:

- Communication skills and fluency in written and spoken English.
- Experience in genotyping, cell culture and western blotting.

Desired:

- Knowledge in flux cytometry and animal care will be appreciated.

Main responsibilities and duties:

- Performance of the planned experiments related to the main project previously discussed with the PI.

Labour conditions:

- Full time position (40 h / week).
- Length of the contract: 2 years.
- Gross annual salary: 20.600 €/year (according to the present AES 2019 announcement, grant name: PFIS).

What can we offer?

- Skillful and social colleagues in a dynamic environment.
- Challenging tasks and a wide range of responsibilities.
- Personal training opportunities.
- Flexible working hours.
- 23 days of holidays + 9 personal days.
- Flexible Remuneration Program (including dining checks, health insurance, transportation and more).
- Annual teambuilding events.

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference “Xavier Molero” to the following email addresses: xavier.molero@vhir.org and seleccio@vhir.org.