

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.



In April 2015, the Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) obtained the recognition of the European Commission HR Excellence.
This recognition proves that VHIR endorses the general principles of the European Charter for Researchers and a Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers (Charter & Code).

Thus, there are no restrictions of gender, national origin, race, religion, sexual orientation or age and candidates with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.





Project Manager Infectious Disease, Tropical Medicine Unit

Project Manager (Part time position) for a project on food security and reduction of chronic malnutrition and mortality in children under 5 years. Experienced Project Manager integrated in the Infectious Diseases research group in Tropical Medicine. The general objective of CRESCER Project is to contribute to the transfer of evidence and knowledge about the effectiveness of different specific and nutrition-sensitive actions in the context of the Angolan crisis during and after the Covid-19 pandemic, to contain malnutrition and reduce child mortality under five in the provinces of Huíla and Cunene.

CRESCER Project aims to determine, through operational research and innovation, the impact of various equitable and scalable, specific and sensitive to nutrition strategies, in reducing malnutrition and mortality of children less than 5 years. To this end, the progress and implementation of FRESAN's multisectoral strategies and projects will be evaluated, as well as their relevance, adequacy, coverage, effectiveness, efficiency, sustainability and scalability that may be the basis for recommendations on future scalable interventions in reducing the indicators of chronic malnutrition in children under 5. More information about our group can be found here.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- University Degree in Social Science or Biomedical.
- Postgraduate in Project Management.

Experience and knowledge:

Required:

- Working experience in Europe, Latin America or Africa, managing European and International research projects.
- Proactive, and objectives and results oriented person.
- Relational skills and teamwork in a multicultural work environment.
- Good skills in oral and written English

Desired:

- More than 10 years of experience in managing international projects in Biomedical and Social Research.
- Professional career strongly focused on infectious and tropical diseases, cooperation and public health.

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Good adaptation to teamwork, cordiality, communication and respect.

Main responsibilities and duties:

- Monitor the project activities of the different partners.
- Update of reports to the European Commission.
- Update of the Logical Framework of the Project and corrective activities.
- Continuous contact with the project coordinator.
- Active participation on the different activities of the project.
- Monitoring of the costs of the different partners with the assigned budget.
- Planning, steering and controlling activities, problem solution activities and corresponding administrative work.
- Contact point for both superior and subordinate units, thus playing a pivotal role in the management structure of the project.
- To ensure that projects will be carried out in accordance with the project plan (time, cost, scope and quality).
- The area of responsibilities will include Promotion of new projects, writing and submission of proposals.

Labour conditions:

- Part-time position (20h/week).
- Starting date: January 2021.
- Length of the contract: until end of the project.
- Gross annual salary: 15.000 euros.

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.

How to apply:

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference "Project Manager-Part time (Angola)" to the following email addresses: esperanza.esteban@vhir.org and esperanza.esperanza.esteban@vhir.org and esperanza.esteban

