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Pre-doctoral Researcher to submit a fellowship application

Psychiatry, Mental Health and Addictions Research Group

The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) offers vacancy/vacant position for a PhD student in the Group of Psychiatry, Mental Health and Addiction.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- Degree in Biological sciences
- Good academic qualifications
- Master's Degree in Bioinformatics

Experience and knowledge:

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- Experience working in a research environment
- Communication skills and fluency in written and spoken English
- High motivation and team work abilities
- Background in genetics and analysis of omics data

Desired:

- Scientific publications



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- Presentations at scientific conferences

Main responsibilities and duties:

- To analyse genome-wide genetic and transcriptomic data using publicly available and in-house resources mainly focused in Attention Deficit/ Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) and related traits
- To test the effect of polygenic and transcriptomic risk scores and their interaction with environmental variables on the risk of ADHD
- To undertake literature searches, write papers and present results at different scientific meetings

Labour conditions:

- Full-time position: 40h/week.
- Starting date: immediate.
- Gross annual salary: 21.700 euros
- Contract: 1 year

What can we offer?

- Incorporation to Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR), a public sector institution that promotes and develops the biomedical research, innovation and teaching at Vall d'Hebron University Hospital (HUVH), the biggest hospital of Barcelona and the largest of Catalan Institute of Health (ICS).
- A scientific environment of excellence, highly dynamic, where high-end biomedical projects are continuously developed.
- Continuous learning and a wide range of responsibilities within a stimulating work environment.
- Personal training opportunities.



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- Flexible working hours.
- 23 days of holidays + 9 personal days.
- Flexible Remuneration Program (including dining checks, health insurance, transportation and more).

How to apply:

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference to María Soler Artigas to the following email addresses: maria.soler@vhir.org and Raquel.ibarz@vhir.org before 5/10/21