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# PhD Medical Candidate

## Lupus Unit Research Group

Lupus Unit Research group is looking for a PhD medical candidate to apply for predoctoral PFIS contracts

The Carlos III Health Institute has published its Grant Program for the year 2021. VHIR offers a vacant position to apply for PFIS Predoctoral Fellowships within the LUPUS Group to join the project entitled “**Single-cell multiomic analysis to cluster patients with Lupus Nephritis according to clinical response: towards precision medicine. (PI21/00287)**”, under the supervision of Dra Josefina Cortés-Hernández. The group has strong and worldwide-recognized expertise in Lupus Research.

More information about our group can be found here (<http://www.vhir.org/portal1/grup-presentacio2.asp?s=recerca&contentid=216874&idrefer=216875>).

## JOB DESCRIPTION

### Education and qualifications:

#### Required:

- Candidate must hold a Degree in Medicine.
- An official university master's degree leading to a doctorate (do not be necessary until the vacancy will be accepted).

#### Desired:

- Fluency in Catalan, Spanish, English (business level).

### Experience and knowledge:

#### Required:

- Communications skills and ability to work in multidisciplinary team.
- Interested in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus and in basic translational research.
- Strong sense of responsibility, initiative, self-motivation and team work abilities.



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### Desired:

- Basic laboratory techniques knowledge.

### Main responsibilities and duties:

- Collaborate in the design of the experiments, their performance, as well as the subsequent statistical analysis and interpretation of the data.
- Ability to work both independently and within a team.
- Manuscript and grant writing.

### Labour conditions:

- Full-time position: 40h/week. Possibility to combine with clinical healthcare.
- Start: Second semester 2022.
- Flexible hours (in order to combine with clinical healthcare).
- Length of the contract: 4 years
- Gross annual salary: 20.600€ first and second year; 21.800€ third year and 26.900€ fourth year
- Contract: temporary/permanent linked to project

### 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).
- Skilful and social colleagues in a dynamic environment.
- 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.
- 23 days of holidays + 9 personal days.
- Annual teambuilding events



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### How to apply:

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference “PredocLupusNephritis\_PFIS” before 21/02/2022 to the following email addresses: [fina.cortes@vhir.org](mailto:fina.cortes@vhir.org), [cristina.sole@vhir.org](mailto:cristina.sole@vhir.org) and [seleccio@vhir.org](mailto:seleccio@vhir.org)



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