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# Specialist in Innovation

## Innovation Unit

VHIR offers a vacant position for an Innovation Specialist to join the Innovation team and support it in the management of the projects currently being developed in the unit. The Innovation unit mission is to transform excellence in research and clinical care into new products, services and processes that improve the patient experience and population health and reduce the cost per capita of providing healthcare services.

### JOB DESCRIPTION

#### Education and qualifications:

- Bachelor's / Master's degree in Economics, Business Administration, Engineering, Biosciences or Health Sciences.

#### Experience and knowledge:

- Experience managing projects in Knowledge Transfer and Innovation Departments.
- Knowledge of agents and innovation system of biomedical research environments.
- Well-organized, proactive, results oriented professional with close attention to detail. Team player with excellent interpersonal skills and ability to interact with different units of the organization.
- Good level of Catalan, Spanish and English both written and spoken.

#### Main responsibilities and duties:

- Management of the portfolio of projects assigned.
- Evaluation and support managing and developing new projects, and the corresponding negotiations with companies and partners.
- Detection and promotion of business opportunities.
- Collaboration in the awareness activities among the research community of VHIR.



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- Participation in events and networking within the sector and area of specialty.
- Daily updating the data / information related to the activity and projects' unit portfolio, spin offs and start-ups. Verify the alignment of this information, with the information contained in the corporate ERP (additional supporting documentation, contracts, grants, orders, emails ...).

### Labour conditions:

- Full-time position: 40h/week.
- Starting date: immediate.
- Gross annual salary: 35.000 € (Remuneration will depend on experience and skills. Salary ranges are consistent with our Collective Agreement pay scale).
- Contract: temporary (6 months)

### 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.
- Training opportunities.
- 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 **“Specialist in Innovation”** to the following email address: [seleccio@vhir.org](mailto:seleccio@vhir.org)