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Clinical investigator

Chronic Liver Disease Group

We are seeking a highly motivated, organized researcher with MD background to conduct clinical and translational research in the field of alcohol-related liver disease (ALD), metabolic-dysfunction associated liver disease (MASLD), and the intersection between the former (MetALD). The candidate needs to have leadership and mentoring skills as well as critical thinking and be willing to enter a PhD program.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- MD
- Knowledge and experience in Biostatistics
- At least 3 peer-reviewed publications
- Fluency in English

Desired:

- Interest in laboratory research
- Experience in liver diseases
- Master's in sciences
- Medical specialty training approved in Spain
- Catalan, Spanish



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Main responsibilities and duties:

- Collect clinical data
- Analyze clinical data
- Conduct systematic reviews and meta-analyses
- Give support to ACLD lab
- Participate in training activities
- Fulfill PhD student duties within the PhD program at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona School of Medicine
- Collaborate with partners at the local and international level
- Prepare abstracts, articles and grant applications
- Mentor Masters' students
- Analyze experimental and bioinformatics' data
- Keep track of new opportunities for funding and educational activities

Labour conditions:

- Full-time position: 40h/week.
- Starting date: immediate
- Gross annual salary: Remuneration will depend on experience and skills. Salary ranges are consistent with our Collective Agreement pay scale)
- Contract: *permanent linked to project*



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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.
- Individual training opportunities.
- Flexible working hours.
- 23 days of holidays + 9 personal days.
- Flexible Remuneration Programme (including dining checks, health insurance, transportation and more)
- Corporate Benefits: platform through which you can obtain significant discounts on travel, culture, technology, gastronomy, sports... among many others.
- Healthy Offering: choose from a variety of wellbeing focused activities to be the healthiest you.

How to apply:

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference “Clinical Investigator Liver Diseases” to the following email addresses: maria.martell@vhir.org; meritxell.ventura@vallhebron.cat; juanmanuel.pericas@vallhebron.cat and seleccio@vhir.org

Deadline to apply: 18-12-2023