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Postdoctoral Researcher

Clinical Neuroimmunology

VHIR offers vacancy/vacant position for a Postdoctoral Researcher within the Clinical Neuroimmunology Group. More information about our group can be here (<https://www.cem-cat.org/>).

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- Have a PhD degree in the field of biomedical research, and additional post-doctoral training in neurobiology and neuroimmunology.
- Effective written and oral communication skills in English and Spanish.
- Ability to conduct independent research, with the capacity to obtain independent funding)

Experience and knowledge:

We required previous experience in:

- Strong background in neurobiology.
- Extensive experience in animal models of neurological disorders.
- Proven experience in induced pluripotent stem cells and their differentiation to oligodendrocytes and astrocytes.
- Experience in functional studies related with cells of the central nervous system, particularly oligodendrocytes and astrocytes.
- Experience in histological and imaging techniques, particularly confocal microscopy.
- Publications as first or senior author in the field of neurobiology.



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Main responsibilities and duties:

- Differentiation of induced pluripotent stem cells from patients with multiple sclerosis into oligodendroglial cells and astrocytes.
- Generation of human glial chimeric mice and in vivo analysis of oligodendroglial cells and astrocytes.
- Manuscript and grant writing.
- Collaboration with other researchers in all tasks necessary to achieve the working team objectives.
- Supervise staff or students as needed

Labour conditions:

- Full-time position: 40h/week.
- Starting date: 01/09/2024.
- Gross annual salary: 34.999,57 euros /// (Remuneration will depend on experience and skills. Salary ranges are consistent with our Collective Agreement pay scale).
- Contract: *Technical and scientific activities contract linked to the project activities*
- Program: Modelos humanizados basados en células madre pluripotentes inducidas para estudiar la patología oligodendroglial y estrategias de remielinización en pacientes con esclerosis múltiple

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.



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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)
- 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 motivation letter with the reference "Postdoctoral Researcher" to the following email addresses: manuel.comabella@vhir.org, recursoshumans@cem-cat.org and seleccio@vhir.org

Deadline to apply: 15-08-2024

The Fundació Hospital Universitari Vall d'Hebron-Institut de Recerca - "VHIR"-, with NIF G-60594009, address in Barcelona -08035-Passeig Vall d'Hebron 119-129, Edifici Mediterrània, 2a planta and telephone (34) 934 89 30 00 is the data controller for the processing of your personal data. The data will be processed exclusively for the purpose of managing your participation in the selection process, as well as, if necessary, managing your participation in other selection processes.

Unless you give your informed consent to keep your personal data for future selection processes, in the event that the selection process is completed and you are not the person selected, your personal data will be deleted and blocked in order to be able to respond to any possible liabilities that may arise.

The legal basis of the processing is the execution of a contract to which the data subject is party or in order to take steps at the request of the data subject prior to entering into a contract.

The recipient of the data will be the VHIR's Professional Development personnel and no transfer of personal data is foreseen, except for the fulfilment of legal obligations applicable to the data controller. International data transfers are not foreseen. No automated decisions will be taken, including profiling. In general, personal data will not be communicated to third parties, except for legal obligations in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 (GDPR) to persons who are entitled to request them. You have the rights of access, rectification, deletion, portability, limitation and opposition that can be exercised at any time through the email dpd@ticsalutsocial.cat or lopd@vhir.org. In compliance with Regulation (EU) 2016/679, the VHIR has appointed a data protection officer, whose contact details are dpd@ticsalutsocial.cat. You can also lodge a complaint with the competent Data Protection Authority by contacting www.apdcat.cat or www.aepd.es.



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