



The Vall d'Hebron Research Institute (VHIR) is a public sector institution that promotes and develops the research, innovation and biosanitary teaching of the Vall d'Hebron University Hospital. Through the excellence of our research, we identify and apply new solutions to the health problems of society and we contribute to spread them around the world.



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Senior Innovation Project Manager

Innovation Unit

VHIR offers a vacant position for a **Senior Innovation Project Manager** to join the European Joint Programme on Rare Diseases (EJP-RD) Project, in order to accelerate the translation of high potential projects and improve outcomes of clinical studies carried out by the members of the Consortium

JOB DESCRIPTION

Education and qualifications:

Required:

- Degree or PhD in Life Sciences

Experience and knowledge:

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- 2-3 years' experience managing projects
- Preference will be given to candidates with previous experience in pharmaceutical, or biotechnology companies (in rare disease preferred) regarding areas of drug/diagnostic development, regulatory, pre-clinical and clinical development, IPR
- Valued previous experience in European projects management
- Proven knowledge of the biomedical translational research process and the innovation and funding system, particularly in rare diseases
- Well-organized person with strong inter-personal skills, methodical, proactive, business and results-oriented, and vocation of service
- Good level of Spanish and English written and spoken.

Main responsibilities and duties:

- Participate in the generation of an innovation management toolbox
- Fostering and assessment of ongoing and new translational research projects
- Establish and manage mentoring teams for translational research projects in rare diseases
- Participation and organization of networking events (researchers, clinicians, funders, promoters.)
- Detection and promotion of business opportunities
- Collaboration in the innovation awareness activities among the Rare Diseases Research Community

Labour conditions:

- Contract type: 5 year temporary contract associated with the (EJP-RD)
- Part-time position (20h/week)
- Annual Gross salary: € 22.500
- Immediate incorporation
- Availability to travel

How to apply:

Applicants should submit a full Curriculum Vitae and a cover letter with the reference "*Senior Innovation Technician*" to the following email address: seleccio@vhir.org.