

Research Specialist position in the Laboratory of Cell Biology (role in Research Task: Technical Support LCB)

The Laboratory of Cell Biology https://bit.ly/3p1pPCK at the International Institute of Molecular and Cell Biology in Warsaw (IIMCB) headed by Prof. Marta Miączyńska is inviting applications for a Research Specialist.

You will join the Team of the Research Task entitled "Horizon for Excellence in messenger RNA applications in immunoOncology" (WIB-1/2020-O11) financed by the Virtual Research Institute (WIB) from the Polish Science Fund. The primary objective of this Research Team is to develop a highly effective therapeutic mRNA design and apply it for cancer immunotherapy. The Research Task will be carried out by a team of scientists from the IIMCB (coordinator), the University of Warsaw, the Institute of Physical Chemistry of the Polish Academy of Sciences and the Medical University of Warsaw.

As a Research Specialist, you will be involved in performing experiments in the field of molecular cell biology, including culturing of primary mouse cells and their biochemical and microscopic analyses. Role in the Research Task: Technical Support.

Requirements for the candidate:

- 1. MSc in biological sciences or a related discipline
- 2. Laboratory experience in molecular cell biology, especially cell culture techniques (experience in primary cell cultures and/or working with laboratory animals, attested by appropriate certification, would be an advantage)
- 3. Experience in techniques such as Western Blot, immunofluorescence staining, fluorescence in situ hybridization, basics of confocal microscopy will be desirable
- 4. Command of spoken and written English
- 5. Commitment and initiative, and the ability to work as part of a team
- 6. Reliability, accuracy and timeliness in the implementation of tasks
- 7. Compliance with the non-compete policy in accordance with the WIB Program guidelines

Selection criteria:

- 1. Education, completed courses and training
- 2. Technical competence, experience and fit of the expertise to the position
- 3. Command of English language
- 4. Soft skills motivation letter, communication skills, effective work organization, ability for effective teamwork, likelihood to fit to the group, compatibility of plans for individual development with the goals of the group

Candidates will be selected in an open competition, according to the procedure complying with the rules of the European Charter for Researchers and the Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers as a part of HR Excellence in Research strategy https://bit.ly/3fNRBN8

We offer:

- 1. Full employment contract initially for 6 months and extending up to 25 months or more (if an extension of the Research Task is granted)
- 2. Salary in the range of 6500-7500 PLN gross, depending on the candidate's experience and skills
- 3. Benefits including reduced-rate for an individual private medical care package and membership in the MultiSport programme
- 4. Full administrative and organizational support from professional English-speaking personnel
- 5. Participation in courses, training, and support from peers

Deadline for applications is **November 22nd**, **2024**. Job starting date is **January 1st**, **2025** or later.

How to apply:

- 1. Applications should be sent via recruitment platform: erecruiter
- 2. Your application can be submitted in Polish or English, and should contain a CV and a motivation letter with description of your achievements and experience, and contact details (e-mail and telephone number) of a potential referee, such as a master's thesis supervisor.
- 3. Please include the following statement in your CV: "I hereby agree to the processing of my personal data, included in the application documents by the International Institute of Molecular and Cell Biology in Warsaw, 4 Księcia Trojdena Street, 02-109 Warsaw, for the purpose of carrying out the current recruitment process." Your personal data will be processed for the purpose of the recruitment procedure by the International Institute of Molecular and Cell Biology in Warsaw. Full information is available under the link https://bit.ly/2QWu83X
- 4. Procedure for reporting irregularities, taking follow-up actions, and protecting whistleblowers: https://shorturl.at/u2mww

The competition may be extended until a suitable candidate who fulfils all requirements is found.

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- https://wib.port.org.pl/
- https://cent.uw.edu.pl/pl/
- https://www.fuw.edu.pl/
- https://bip.iimcb.gov.pl/pl/bip/oferty-pracy-wib
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