

# Why ...

# ... Master's Programme in Comparative Biomedicine?

#### Research focus

The master's programme in Comparative Biomedicine is focused on two important areas of future research in molecular medicine:

- Tumor Signalling Pathways
- · Infection Biology

## Internationality

Approximately 90 percent of students in the master's programme of Comparative Biomedicine gain experience abroad in the course of their studies – either as interns or while performing the master thesis. As a result of the international reputation of this programme, the student body is made up of diverse cultures and citizens.

#### Personal attention

Due to the low number of students, intensive support by highly motivated faculty members including professors is guaranteed.

# Launch your research career

Master's programme graduates are optimally prepared to attend international PhD programmes at renowned institutions (e.g. Cambridge, London (UK), Harvard (US), Zurich (CH), IMP+IMBA (Austria)) and are qualified for such coveted university places.



# **Studies**

The master's propramme in Comparative Biomedicine offers scientific specialization and immersion through a research-based education. Particular emphasis is placed on independent scientific thinking and working, which is expressed in the concluding master thesis: Students are expected to formulate an appropriate question together with a leading scientist, present the current state of knowledge, choose working methods for solving the relevant problems and independently perform all necessary laboratory work and measurements.

#### Structure and Duration of Studies

**Duration:** 4 semesters (120 ECTS credits) **Practice:** 8 weeks

Study places: 15 every winter semester

Conclusion with Master's Thesis

Academic grade: Master of Science (MSc)

Language of instruction: English

Tuition fee per semester:

EU/EEA/CH citizens  $\in$  363,36 with temporary exemption | third country nationals  $\in$  726,72



# Curriculum

#### **Focus**

- · Tumour Signalling Pathways
- Infection Biology

#### 1st Year

- Molecular Biology
- Biomedicine
- Biomodels
- · Virology, Bacteriology, Parasitology
- Immunology and Pathology
- Bioinformatics
- Electives

#### 2nd Year

- Biomedicine
- · Molecular Biology
- Technology training
- · Bioinformatics
- · Biomedical Economy
- Electives
- 8 weeks practice
- · Master's Thesis: 1 semester

# Further Education

- · Doctorate Studies
- · PhD programmes



# Professional Fields

### Graduates of the Master Programme in Comparative Biomedicine may pursue careers in a number of fields:

- Research in the pharmaceutical and biomedical industry
- Product development and research in the biomedical field
- Universities and other post-secondary institutions of higher education
- · Non-university research institutions
- · Public and private research facilities
- · Public and private health facilities







MASTER'S PROGRAMME (MSc)

# Comparative Biomedicine

in Vienna

- 4 semesters
- Basic, applied and clinical
- Understanding and treatment of cancer & infectious diseases
- Focus 1: Tumour Signalling Pathways
- Focus 2: Infection Biomedicine
- 15 students, mentoring system

In the event of **questions concerning studies**, please contact: zulassung@vetmeduni.ac.at

Or visit our website for further information of the **Master's programme:** https://www.vetmeduni.ac.at/biomedicine

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