The University of Veterinary Medicine, Vienna is active in teaching and research and provides services in connection with ensuring animal health in Austria. These tasks represent our contribution to maintaining the health of humans and their animal companions as well as to producing healthy food.

To meet our objectives, our Institute of Parasitology, 2. Department of Pathobiology, is looking for a

Postdoctoral Researcher

Grade: Postdoc/B1
Level of employment: 40 hours
Length of employment: 4 years
Deadline for applications: Sept. 3rd, 2021

Responsibilities

- Leading the TopVetScience project “Expression and Evaluation of Glycoengineered Vaccine Candidates against Parasite Haemonchus contortus (Barber’s Pole Worm)” jointly with the responsible scientist from the University Clinic for Ruminants, Vetmeduni Vienna, with a focus on expression and characterization of vaccine candidates in vitro
- Supervision of a PhD student in this project
- Presentation and publication of the project results at scientific conferences
- Handling of the project administration including invoices in cooperation with the University’s Department of Finances

Necessary knowledge and qualifications

- Graduation as PhD or equivalent in life sciences or related areas
- Excellent knowledge and skills including several years of practical experience in the areas of glycobiology and glycan biochemistry, especially expression of glycoconjugates
- Experiences in funding acquisition and project management
- Experience in supervision of student thesis projects
- Good command of English (B2)

Further Skills and Abilities

- Team spirit

Contact /Further Information

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Minimum salary

The minimum salary for university staff is regulated by the collective contract and at the level given above amounts to EUR 3,945.90 gross per month (14 times/year). The minimum salary may be increased when previous employment and other salary components are taken into account.
Applications
Please submit applications quoting the reference number 2021/0802 via e-mail (preferably) to bewerbungen@vetmeduni.ac.at or by post to the Personnel Department of the University of Veterinary Medicine, Veterinärplatz 1, 1210 Vienna. Please do not forget to include the reference number or we shall be unable to relate your application to the correct vacancy announcement.

The Vetmeduni Vienna is attempting to increase the proportion of female staff, particularly in senior positions, and in accordance with § 41 of the 2002 Universities Act it is striving to attain a balanced representation of men and women, especially on its scientific staff. Applications from qualified women are thus particularly welcomed. If women are underrepresented (below 50%), female applicants who are as well qualified as the best qualified male applicants will be given preference, provided that there are no strong reasons for favouring a particular male candidate.

Applicants have no entitlement to reimbursement of any travel or accommodation costs they may incur as a result of the application procedure.

The Vetmeduni Vienna is proud to have been awarded the certificate “hochschuleundfamilie” (career and family). We should thus be especially pleased to receive applications from people with families. Applications from persons with disabilities are similarly welcome.