

Within the Cluster for Medical Neuroscience of the Medical University of Vienna a position as

# Assistant Professor (tenure track) in Cognitive Science/Neuroscience

according to § 99 (5) University Law 2002 (UG) is announced.

The Medical University of Vienna is one of Europe's premiere institutions for biomedical and clinical research. We are looking for a highly qualified scientist in the fields of Cognitive Science/Neuroscience with enthusiasm for inter- and multidisciplinary research.

The candidate is expected to have internationally competitive expertise in the field of bio-medically oriented cognitive/neuroscience with an emphasis on computational, molecular, cellular, neuronal circuit, or brain-level imaging approaches, preferably in, but not limited to, animal models.

The candidate is expected to establish an independent research group at the Medical University of Vienna and to build a unique research profile. Novel research directions connecting to, expanding on and bridging existing research topics within the Medical Neuroscience Cluster of the Medical University of Vienna: https://cluster.meduniwien.ac.at/mnc/.

The selection is a two-stage process. Applicants successful in stage one (selection at the Medical University of Vienna) must be willing to apply (stage two) for a https://wwtf.at/programmes/vienna\_research\_groups/#VRG21 (up to EUR 1.6 million of funding for 6-8 years, deadline 17 June 2021) with the Medical University of Vienna as the host institution. The offered tenure-track position depends on the successful funding by the Vienna Science and Technology Fund.

#### Your profile:

- Completed scientific or medical education with PhD or equivalent degree.
- A minimum of 2 years and a maximum of 8 years of postdoctoral experience; care duties may extend this period up to four years.
- Outstanding international recognition and competence in the respective research area.
- Successful and continuous acquisition of peer-reviewed third-party funding.
- Educational and didactic qualifications including supervision of Masters and PhD students.
- Diversity and gender competence.
- Only applicants currently working outside of Austria are considered.

## We offer:

The successful candidate will be offered an Assistant Professor position for a maximum duration of six years. Should the candidate meet the conditions stipulated in the qualification agreement, she/he will be promoted to tenured Associate Professor. Conditions and criteria are defined in the official career track guidelines of the university (Career scheme for the scientific University staff according to



Section 99 (5) Universities Act 2002 "New qualification agreement" - https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/web/karriere/karriereentwicklung-an-der-meduni-wien/).

The gross salary for this position will be based on the collective agreement for university employees (§49, A2) and may be adjusted depending on previous work experience.

The Medical University of Vienna provides an excellent research environment including state-of-the-art research core facilities as well as international PhD programs.

The MedUni Vienna aims to increase the proportion of women in executive positions and encourages qualified female candidates to apply. In case of equivalent qualifications, preference will be given to female applicants. The MedUni Vienna has child care facilities on campus.

#### **Application documents:**

Please submit your application in English to faculty-recruiting@meduniwien.ac.at by March 31st, 2021. All files should be merged into a single PDF.

Applications should include:

- · curriculum vitae
- list of publications
- list of five key publications with the possibility of electronic downloading
- · summary of research and teaching activities
- an exposé (2-4 pages) outlining future independent research plans including how these could connect to and strengthen the Cluster for Medical Neuroscience
- three letters of reference
- · contact addresses of three referees

Applicants are also requested to complete the application form (FactSheet) posted online and to attach it to their application (https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/Factsheet\_Professuren\_99\_5\_UG).

Information in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulation can be found at https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/Datenschutz\_Professuren/

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