Announcement of a Professorship Position for Infection Medicine at the Medical University of Vienna

The Medical University of Vienna (MedUni Vienna) with more than 6,500 employees and about 8,000 students is one of the largest academic medical schools in the EU area. At the Ignaz Semmelweis Institute (ISI) – an interuniversity Institute for Infection Research – a Full Professorship Position for Infection Medicine according to §98 university act 2002 is available, starting January 1st 2023. We offer permanent employment according to the Austrian Employees Act. The successful applicant is expected to head the ISI. The Institute is a joint organizational unit of the Medical Universities of Graz, Innsbruck and Vienna, the University of Veterinary Medicine Vienna and the Faculty of Medicine of the Johannes Kepler University Linz according to § 20c University Act. The ISI will be established to promote and strengthen transdisciplinary research related to infectious diseases and will be located at the MedUni Vienna Campus AKH.

Employment requirements:

- Graduation in medicine or another life sciences discipline with a subject specific doctorate or an equivalent foreign university degree
- Outstanding scientific qualification in the field of infection medicine such as clinical, molecular and/or immunologic aspects of infectious diseases, prevention and control mechanisms, epidemiology, or development of new prophylactic and/or therapeutic interventions
- Successful and continuous acquisition of competitive third-party funds
- Leadership and management experience, including gender and diversity competence
- Experience in interdisciplinary research cooperation
- Educational and didactic qualification
- International work experience

Expected from the applicant:

- Establishment, scientific management and development of the new, interuniversity research institute
- Interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary research in cooperation with the research clusters described in the university’s development plan and the Comprehensive Center for Infection Medicine
- Representation of the subject area in the medical and doctoral curricula
- Competence in employee leadership and motivation
- Commitment to quality orientation and willingness to continuously enhance personal management skills

The MedUni Vienna aims to increase the number of women in executive positions and therefore expressly encourages qualified female candidates to apply. In case of equivalent qualifications, preference will be given to female applicants.

Please submit your application in English to the Rector of the Medical University of Vienna, Spitalgasse 23, 1090 Vienna (faculty-recruiting@meduniwien.ac.at) by September 30th 2022 at the latest. Applications should include (i) curriculum vitae, (ii) list of publications, (iii) summary of research and teaching activities, (iv) outline of future research plans, (v) presentation of experiences in management and leadership tasks and performance planning, (vi) list of ten most important publications according to the applicant (original scientific papers or reviews related to this call) with the possibility to download. Applicants are requested to complete the form (FactSheet) posted online and to attach it to their application: https://www.meduniwien.ac.at/Factsheet_Professuren.

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