



Research lab manager & postdoctoral fellow positions
Integrative Biomedicine Laboratory
CEDOC, NOVA Medical School, Lisbon, Portugal

The Integrative Biomedicine Laboratory (<http://cedoc.unl.pt/integrative-biomedicine-laboratory/>) at the CEDOC - Chronic Diseases Research Center, NOVA Medical School, Lisbon, Portugal, welcomes applications for 2 positions:

1 – Research Lab Manager - We are seeking a self-motivated and energetic researcher with a PhD in molecular genetics or related field to join our team as a Research Lab Manager. Previous experience (at least 2 years) in molecular biology and/or Drosophila genetics is preferred, but we can exceptionally consider candidates with other profiles. Previous experience in lab management is ideal. Experience with cell culture and/or Drosophila genetics would be an advantage.

The selected candidate will join a dynamic and multidisciplinary lab studying mechanisms of neuroendocrine control of development and neurodegeneration using Drosophila and human induced pluripotent stem cell-derived models, as well as developing computational and synthetic-biology-based genetic tools for therapeutic purposes.

The role involves administrative, strategic, and scientific responsibilities, including grant and personnel management, hands-on experiments (adaptable to the research profile of the candidate), and general wet lab organization (equipment, databases, protocols, lab safety regulations, and ordering and maintaining supplies).

The position is suitable for candidates that are proactive, teamplayers, have excellent organizational skills, are attentive to details, have excellent communication and record-keeping skills, are comfortable multitasking and handling multiple projects with competing deadlines, are able to work with minimal supervision, and are willing to interact with, co-train, and co-support students, postdocs, and staff at all levels in a diverse working environment.

2 - Postdoctoral Fellow - We are seeking a self-motivated and energetic researcher with a PhD in molecular genetics or related field, with experience in Drosophila neurogenetics, developmental genetics, and/or physiology to join our team as a Postdoctoral fellow.

The selected candidate will join an dynamic team studying how the Drosophila neuroendocrine system orchestrates development. Candidates should be proactive, teamplayers, have excellent organizational and communication skills, and be willing to interact with, co-train, and co-support students in a multicultural environment.

The position is suitable for candidates with different profiles, including recent graduates or more advanced postdoctoral fellows who wish to pursue an independent research career by the end of the project.

Funding for each position is available from October 2018 on (start date flexible) for up to two years and a half in a first instance. The salaries will be according to the national research and technology foundation guidelines. Interested candidates should send a single PDF file containing a motivation letter mentioning the position applied for, a CV, and contact information of 2 references to Alisson Gontijo (alisson.gontijo@nms.unl.pt). Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled.

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