

Group Leader Positions Institut Mondor de Recherche Biomédicale

The Institut Mondor de Recherche Biomédicale (IMRB, U955 Inserm – University Paris Est Créteil, UPEC) is one of the leading biomedical research centers in the Eastern Paris region, with national and international recognition. It comprises 500 persons belonging to 17 research teams, and an administrative platform in charge of the management of the Institute and logistic support for the teams and 5 core facilities.

The Institute is in close interaction with a strong and diverse clinical research center, including 3 University Hospitals, a Veterinary Teaching Hospital, a Clinical Investigation Center, a Biotherapy and Biological Resources Center, a Surgical Research Center, a Cell Therapy unit in the French Blood Establishment, and 7 rare diseases reference centers.

The research teams belong to 3 departments: “Viruses, Immunity, Cancer” (VIC, 5 teams); “Neurosciences, Neuromuscular diseases and Psychiatry” (ESPRY, 4 teams), and “Pathophysiology of cardiovascular and respiratory diseases, development and senescence” (PHYDES, 8 teams), closely linked to 3 thematically linked University Hospital Departments (DHU).

The IMRB welcomes applications from outstanding candidates interested in translational research, including basic research and pathophysiology, in preclinical animal models, clinical studies and innovative biotherapy approaches. The candidates should be dynamic and qualified investigators with strong track records, and are expected to apply for competitive funding. Applications from both Junior investigators (to establish a new group) and Senior investigators (to move with their established group) will be considered. IMRB actively promotes equal opportunities; applications from female scientists are especially welcome.

The selected candidates will benefit from newly renovated lab spaces and excellent core facilities for cell imaging, flow cytometry, genomics, bioinformatics, and animal housing. The IMRB will also help to develop strong interactions with on-site clinicians and access to patient cohorts. A start-up package will be provided to the appointed group leaders, who will also be assisted in applications to National and European programs (Inserm, ANR, ATIP-Avenir, Equipes FRM, ERC). Young researchers will be supported to obtain a permanent Researcher position at the CNRS, University and/or INSERM as an outcome from a very competitive selection. A special start-up package will be provided by the French Agency for Food, Environmental and Occupational Health & Safety (<https://www.anses.fr/en>) to the candidates showing a particular interest in research in environmental health.

Candidates are asked to provide:

- A curriculum vitae (max. 5 pages)
- A concise presentation of previous achievements and future research plans, with particular attention to their ground-breaking nature (max. 10 pages)
- The names of three referees.

Applications should be sent by December 31th, 2017, to jorge.boczkowski@inserm.fr

The pre-selected applicants will be auditioned by an international committee on the basis of their CV (field of interest, publications...), their track-records (PhD and post-doctoral experiences), the originality and strength of their proposed projects.