

Lab manager at the Archaea Biology and Ecogenomics Division, University of Vienna

A Lab manager position (20 or 40 hours/week) is available in the Department of Ecogenomics and Systems Biology, Archaea Biology and Ecogenomics Division (group Schleper), University of Vienna. The ideal candidate is experienced in lab organization and management and practiced microbiological, cellular, molecular, and/or biochemical methods.

Job Responsibilities

Lab organization and management, as well as assisting researchers on a variety of cellular and molecular studies, *e.g.* microbial cultivation, isolation of nucleic acids and proteins, PCR, gene cloning and sequencing, cDNA synthesis, as well as immunostaining and *in situ* hybridization techniques.

The Candidate

We are looking for a highly motivated candidate who is:

- enthusiastic about working in an international, multidisciplinary team
- an experienced technician (i.e., who has worked in the fields of Genetics, Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Microbiology and/or a related field)
- understanding the principles of common techniques in microbial, cellular and molecular biology
- interested in organizing and managing a running laboratory, including ordering technical equipment and consumables, maintaining functional technical equipment and implementing safety rules
- is willing to acquire further skills and contribute to the development of new methods
- having a good command of the English language (spoken and written), computer literacy and mastering Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint.

The position will be filled as soon as a suitable candidate has been found. The working contract will be initially limited to 1-year, with possibility of extension subject to successful evaluation.

To apply for this position please send a CV to Christa Schleper (christa.schleper@univie.ac.at) and silvia.bulgheresi@univie.ac.at).