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The Institute of Medical Microbiology, Immunology and Hygiene at the University Hospital of Cologne is inviting applications for a full-time

Technical Assistant

in the lab of Dr. Nirmal Robinson.

The focus of the group is to understand the mechanisms involved in the interactions between pathogens and the innate immune system. These studies involve in vitro and in vivo models of inflammation and infection. A variety of techniques, including standard cell culture, protein biochemistry, cell/molecular biology techniques, microscopy and flow cytometry, will be used in studies.

Your responsibilities will include:

- Establish and maintain basic laboratory methods and materials in a highly reliable standard
- Organize the routine laboratory work
- Perform experiments both independently and in close co-operation with the other group members

Minimum qualifications:

- Complete training as BTA/MTA
- Ability to work with in vitro and in vivo models of infection
- Familiar with standard molecular and cell biological methods
- Organized, motivated and able to work independently as well as in a team
- Able to communicate well in English and German

Your salary will be based on (TV-L / TV-Ä).

The Board of Directors of the University Hospital of Cologne places strong emphasis on gender equality and seeks to increase the proportional representation of women in this field. Thus applications from female scientists will be welcomed; suitably qualified women will be given preferential consideration unless other candidates clearly demonstrate superior qualifications.

We also welcome applications from disabled candidates, who will also be given preferential consideration over other applicants with comparable qualifications.

The position is suitable for staffing with part-time employees.

Please address telephone enquiries to Dr. Nirmal Robinson at 0221 - 478 - 32034

Further information is available on the internet at <http://immih.uk-koeln.de/>

Have we awakened your interest? Then please forward your complete application until by e-mail (in a single pdf document) to: Bewerbungsmanagement@uk-koeln.de or by regular mail to:

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