Postdoc scholarship in cancer biology

Scholarship
A postdoc scholarship in brain tumor biology is available at the Division of Translational Cancer Research. Members of Alexander Pietras’ lab use in vivo, ex vivo, and in vitro modeling to characterize phenotypic plasticity, regulation of brain tumor stemness, mechanisms of therapeutic resistance, and stem cell niche—tumor cell interactions, primarily in high-grade glioma.

Selected publications:


Qualifications required
Candidates must have a PhD or equivalent degree in a relevant field (ideally cancer or stem cell biology), and experience and expertise in one or more of the following: cell- and molecular biology, in vivo modeling of cancer, bioinformatics. The successful candidate is expected to have first author publication(s) in journals relevant to the field, and strong communication skills in English. Candidates must be highly motivated to pursue postdoctoral studies independently within an international and interactive research group.

Formal requirements for scholarship eligibility:
The applicant should not have been employed by Lund University within the last two years in order to be able to receive a scholarship. PhD degree should not be more than three years old at the last day of applying,

Placement: Division of Translational Cancer Research, Medicon Village, Department of Laboratory Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Lund University, Lund, Sweden  
Ref No: V2019/2153  
Duration: 2 years  
Starting time: 2020-02-01 or later  
Last day for applying: 2020-02-11

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Other  
Lund University encourages both men and women to apply for the position.

Information regarding postdoc scholarships at Lund University  
• The scholarship amounts to 28400 SEK/month and is normally paid three months in advance.

• The scholarship is intended for the recipient's own education and does not constitute compensation for work carried out for the University.

• The scholarship is a grant and therefore not subjected to tax deduction.

• The scholarship does not entitle the recipient to compensation in case of illness.

• The scholarship does not constitute a pensionable income.

• The scholarship does not entitle the recipient to vacation.
• The scholarship does not include financial compensation for parental leave.

• The scholarship does not entitle the recipient to allowance during travels in the line of duty.

• The scholarship awarded is to be reviewed by the head of department every six months and the supervisor is to inform the head of department before each review of any significant circumstances.

• Scholarships set up by Lund University for any individual may not run for a period of more than 24 months.

• The scholarship follows the regulations established by the Vice-Chancellor of Lund University (June 27th 2013; Reg. No PE 2013/356).

**Application**
Application stating the reference number **V 2019/2153** and containing a CV, a personal letter, proof of dissertation and relevant documents should be addressed to: alexander.pietras@med.lu.se.

**Last day of application is 2020-02-11**