	Description
Function	Clinical Lead Parkinson's Disease / Clinical Scientist
Location / Contact	AC Immune SA, EPFL Innovation Park, Building B, 1015 Lausanne hr@acimmune.com
Percentage	100 %
Reporting Line	AVP Medical Sciences and Clinical Operations
Company Profile	• AC Immune is a clinical stage Swiss biotech company focused on the development of innovative therapeutics and diagnostics for Alzheimer's and other neurodegenerative diseases • 140+ Employees, 20+ nationalities, IPO in 2016, listed on NASDAQ • AC Immune SA (ACIU) is a progressive, equal opportunity employer
Job description	Clinical Lead Parkinson's Disease/ Clinical Scientist takes responsibility to lead the clinical development activities of one or more clinical programs with a focus on alpha-Synucleinopathies and in particular Parkinson's disease. She/He develops the clinical development plans and clinical project strategy, including a translational biomarker strategy. The Clinical Lead participates to the project team, representing the clinical team. As a key contributor She/He takes responsibility for developing study plans and protocols according to the agreed company's strategy. The Clinical Lead is responsible to implement the clinical and biomarker development strategy notably based on data from the competitive landscape and from the most recent state of the art, medical and scientific knowledge. She/He takes part in and supervises all the key steps related to the preparation, the conduct and the completion of the clinical studies, including the medical monitoring, associated to the related clinical program sponsored by ACIU. She/He also provides appropriate support to the activities related to clinical operations.
Key Responsibilities	• Leads the direction, planning, execution and interpretation of assigned clinical trials, with a focus on alpha-Synucleinopathies and in particular Parkinson's disease. • Takes part in the elaboration of clinical strategy and clinical communication, with a leading role for alpha-Synucleinopathies and in particular Parkinson's disease. • Leads the development of on the assigned clinical development program and 5-year clinical plans in alignment with ACIU strategy. • Ensures/supervises the interpretation of the data from internal clinical trials and from competitors. • Establishes/reviews/approves clinical study designs and implement clinical protocols, data collection systems and final clinical study reports. • Supervises adherence to protocols and to clinical study safety reports. • Supervises/takes part in the medical monitoring and reports promptly serious adverse events or any safety concerns considered of medical significance according to internal SOPs. • Takes part in the DSMB blinded meetings. • Supervises/takes part in investigator's meetings. • Generates presentations, publications and interfaces with KOLs, external experts, advisory boards, and health authorities. • Provides medical support to due diligences associated with in-licensing, acquisitions, and co-development agreements.

	• Ensures/handles clinical interfaces with external partners. • Ensures competitive intelligence in the related field in order to implement a state-of-the-art approach for the related clinical development program and clinical studies. • Supervises/provides support on the preparation, the review and the finalization of key clinical documents including, but not limited to, clinical development plan, clinical protocols and related amendments, clinical study reports, investigator's brochures, DSURs, and other key study documents as appropriate. • Provides support to the clinical operation team as needed.
Qualifications & Skills	*Required:* • MD or MD/PhD • Expertise or training in Neurosciences, especially movement disorders. • Experience in clinical development programs in Central Nervous System Diseases, including Parkinson's Disease. • 5+ years of experience in clinical development (academic and/or pharmaceutical or biotech companies) including preparation of key clinical study documents (e.g., but not limits to clinical study protocols, investigator's brochures). • Knowledge of clinical development process and related guidelines, GCP, ICH. • Experienced in the establishment and the maintenance of communication with KOLs, external experts and regulatory authorities. • Advanced communication skills, verbal and written. • Team player. • Demonstrated ability to synthesize, analyze and communicate key information. • Strong interpersonal skills for building networks with key experts and ensuring the interface with internal departments and project team members. • Ability to adapt priorities to meet company needs while maintaining effectiveness. • Leadership and project management skills. • Good spoken and written English. *Would be a big plus:* • Neurologist • Experience in pharmacovigilance. • Experience in translational sciences.