

	<b>Description</b>
<b>Function</b>	Team Leader
<b>Location / Contact</b>	AC Immune SA, EPFL Innovation Park, Building B, 1015 Lausanne <a href="mailto:hr@acimmune.com">hr@acimmune.com</a>
<b>Percentage</b>	100 % available immediately
<b>Reporting Line</b>	Group Leader
<b>Company Profile</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>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</li> <li>140+ Employees, 20+ nationalities, IPO in 2016, listed on NASDAQ</li> <li>AC Immune SA is a progressive, equal opportunity employer</li> </ul>
<b>Job description</b>	AC Immune is seeking a highly qualified scientist to serve as a Team Leader to expand the company's efforts in research and development by leading the discovery and characterization of small molecules as therapeutic agents for neurodegenerative disorders. The candidate must possess experience with project and team leadership and have a track record in Discovery of new molecules with a special focus on Tau and Alzheimer disease.
<b>Key Responsibilities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop and implement a comprehensive strategy plan for the in vitro and in vivo biology and pharmacology studies in conjunction with management</li> <li>Represent the function as part of the project team providing recommendations for the in vitro and in vivo pharmacology activities, and by participating to the project plan and budget preparation</li> <li>Lead discussion and collaborations with key academic leaders</li> <li>Oversee day-to-day operations of a research team, providing technical support and helping prioritizations</li> <li>Monitor team performance and ensure the achievement of the company's objective according to timelines and budget</li> <li>Supports and supervises activities with external vendors and collaborators</li> <li>Review study protocol, ensure high quality standards in study execution as well as in data interpretation and reporting</li> <li>Review literature and propose new approaches</li> <li>Publish, present at scientific conferences</li> <li>Participate in submitting and supporting grant applications</li> <li>Seek and manage external funding through foundational grants</li> <li>Provide support and ensure the interface with other internal departments including clinical, regulatory and business development</li> </ul>
<b>Qualifications &amp; Skills</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ph.D. degree in neuroscience, biochemistry, cell biology or related discipline</li> <li>Previous experience in neurodegeneration and ideally in Alzheimer's disease and Tau pathology models</li> <li>A minimum of 6 years of work experience in industry with proven record of publishing, patent filings and people management</li> <li>Excellent work organizational skills, data documentation and communication</li> <li>Strong interpersonal skills to build network with KOL and collaborators</li> <li>Ability to adapt to priorities to meet company's goals while maintaining effectiveness</li> <li>Excellent oral and written skills in English is mandatory</li> </ul>