



Junior Group leader positions at the IMP (Vienna, Austria)

An outstanding opportunity to establish your independent research group in a supportive, world-class environment.

We invite applications for junior group leader positions at the Research Institute of Molecular Pathology (IMP) in Vienna, Austria. The IMP is a curiosity-driven biomedical research institute, internationally recognised for research excellence and impactful discoveries. Situated within the Vienna BioCenter, a thriving, interdisciplinary campus, we offer an exceptional environment for ambitious scientists to develop and lead their own research groups.

The IMP provides internationally competitive salaries and generous, long-term funding to establish and grow your group, including multiple positions (students, postdocs, technician), investments and running costs. Research groups are supported by state-of-the-art core facilities, including high-performance computing, bio-optics, cryo-electron microscopy, next-generation sequencing, mass spectrometry, and more.

We seek outstanding scientists with innovative and independent research programmes in cell and molecular biology, synthetic biology, genomics, gene regulation, development, cancer, immunology and infection biology. We also welcome applications that incorporate artificial intelligence, proteomics, or novel methodological approaches.

The IMP is committed to building a diverse faculty and strongly encourages applications from female scientists. We offer on-site childcare and a range of family-friendly benefits. Our international community brings together scientists from over 40 countries, fostering open exchange and collaboration across disciplines. The IMP participates in the Vienna BioCenter

PhD Program and Summer School—among the most competitive graduate and undergraduate programmes in Europe—ensuring access to excellent trainees.

Vienna offers a vibrant, multicultural setting with an outstanding quality of life. The city is known for its safety, culture, green spaces and efficient public services, and consistently ranks among the top cities worldwide for liveability.

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Applications, including a CV, a summary of research achievements, future research plans, and the contact details for 3 referees, should be submitted via our application system (see website for details) by 9 January 2026.

Administrative questions can be addressed to Christopher Robinson (robinson@imp.ac.at).

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