Job posting

**Type of position**  
☒ scientific  
☐ administrative

**Target group**  
☒ graduates  
☐ post docs  
☐ other

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**Title**  
University Assistant Prae Doc

**Institution**  
At the University of Vienna more than 10,000 personalities work together towards answering the big questions of the future. Around 7,500 of them do research and teaching, around 2,900 work in administration and organisation.

Among the many reasons to research and teach at the University of Vienna, there is one in particular, which has convinced around 7,500 academic staff members so far. They see themselves as personalities who need space for consistent striving for a top international research and scientific excellence. At the same time they enjoy support and liberties that are not a given at other institutions. Does that sound like something for you? Welcome to our team!

**What we offer:**
The contract period upon employment is 3 years. Initially limited to 1.5 years, the employment relationship is automatically extended to 3 years if the employer does not submit a non-extension declaration within the first 12 months.

- **Work-life balance:** Our employees enjoy flexible, family-friendly working hours, remote/hybrid and/or part-time work (upon agreement).
- **Inspiring working atmosphere:** You are a part of an international academic team in a healthy and fair working environment.
- **Good public transport connections:** Your new workplace is easily accessible by public transport.
- **Internal further training & Coaching:** Opportunity to deepen your skills on an ongoing basis. There are over 600 courses to choose from – free of charge.
- **Fair salary:** The basic salary of EUR 3277.30 increases if we can credit professional experience.
- **Equal opportunities for everyone:** We look forward to diverse personalities in the team!

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**Position**  
Job vacancy starting: 11/01/2023  |  Working hours: 30.00  |  Classification CBA: §48 VwGr. B1 Grundstufe (praedoc)  
Limited contract until: 10/31/2026  
Job ID: 1381

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**Responsibilities**  
As a university assistant prae doc, you will complement the research team around Prof. Ahrends’ working group. The focus of the planned research is on the analysis of small molecules that play an important role as modulators of biological signaling processes, such as oxidized fatty acids, endocannabinoids and bile acids.
The research project takes place in an interdisciplinary framework, and combines analytical method development with biologically relevant questions. Thus, this position requires a high level of commitment and communication.

You actively participate in research teaching & administration, which means:

- You will be involved in research projects and scientific studies in the field of analytical chemistry.
- We expect you to finalize your dissertation agreement within 12-18 months.
- You are actively involved in the DigiOmics4AT infrastructure project.
- You hold courses independently to the extent of the provisions of the collective agreement.
- You will take on administrative tasks in research and teaching.

Requirements

- You have completed a master’s/diploma degree in chemistry, preferably in the field of analytical chemistry or equivalent qualification
- First practice in scientific writing and with research methods such as method skills: bioanalytical chemistry, liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry
- Didactic skills / experience in e-learning
- IT skills: MS Office desired, optional: R, Python, databases
- Knowledge of: Chromatographic techniques coupled with mass spectrometry is desirable
- Very good knowledge of German and English
- You are a team player with high social/communicative skills.

Application procedure (deadline etc.)

It is that easy to apply:

- With your scientific curriculum vitae / letter of intent (max. 2 pages)
- With your summary of research interests / ideas for a prospective doctoral project proposal (max. 1 p.)
- Master Degree / Diploma
- Via the job portal of the University Vienna

We look forward to new personalities in our team! The University of Vienna has an anti-discriminatory employment policy and attaches great importance to equal opportunities, the advancement of women and diversity. We lay special emphasis on increasing the number of women in senior and in academic positions among the academic and general university staff and therefore expressly encourage qualified women to apply. Given equal qualifications, preference will be given to female candidates.

Data protection

Application deadline: 17/10/2023

Contact

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