

**International Call**  
**Head of a 4-year research group within the Scientific Platform Pasteur / USP**  
**São Paulo / Brazil**

In the framework of the Tripartite Agreement between Fiocruz, Institut Pasteur and the University of São Paulo, Institut Pasteur is launching an international call for applications for 4-years research group head, within the Scientific Platform Pasteur / USP, recently created and integrating the InovaUSP Center, localized in the University of São Paulo campus, São Paulo.

The scientist in charge of this 4-years research group will have to propose a program joining the scientific strategy approved by the three research centers, such as study of emerging or re-emerging vector-borne infectious diseases, impact of brain viral or parasitic infections on major neurological diseases, relationship between the immune responses triggered by infectious processes and brain damage. Translational medicine and transversal approaches must be prioritized, more specifically dealing with immunopathological approaches.

The project developed by the new 4-year research group will have to allow and favour collaborations with scientist of the Pasteur / USP Scientific Platform.

The candidate will be a promising scientist, already having a salary assured for the period of the 4-years research group (permanent position, salary grant...). He/she must have a 5 years' experience as investigator or a 3-7 years well succeeded post-doctoral experience in an international institution.

The selected candidate will be appointed head of a research group for 4 years. He/she will benefit from an initial subsidy to cover expenses of functioning of the group such as small equipment, missions. It is assumed that the young researcher will obtain fresh national and/or international funding needed to maintain his/her group for the longer term and to finance doctoral and post-doctoral grants.

The 4-years research group will have access to the facilities proposed by the Pasteur / USP Scientific Platform, including pooled, fully equipped BSL2 and BSL3 laboratories, an access to the equipped platform for *in vitro* and *in vivo* imaging of small animals under condition allowing the work with organisms type 1, 2 and 3.

**Closing date for applications: 10 of July 2018.**

You will find full detailed introduction for call on the website:  
<https://www.pasteur.fr/en/education/fellowships-and-mobility/4-year-research-groups-riip/4-year-research-group-within-scientific-platform-pasteur-university-sao-paulo>

Applications must include a Curriculum vitae including the 5 most significant publications and the contribution to significant grants, a complete list of publication, a cover letter, a brief summary of previous accomplishment (2 pages plus references), the future research plans for the G4 including a schedule for the 4 next years and a budget plan for the first year (4 pages plus references) and three recommendations letters of references."

All documents will be transmitted to [G4-SPPU-Application@pasteur.fr](mailto:G4-SPPU-Application@pasteur.fr)

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