



### **3 YEARS POSTDOCTORAL POSITION IN TRANSLATIONAL CONTROL RESEARCH**

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RNA viruses are a major threat to human health. They also provide a fascinating window into cell biology since they interact intimately with the infected cell. Aims of the project are to decipher how emerging mosquito-borne viruses such as Zika virus efficiently translate their genomes in both mosquito and human translation machineries and how they modify the host gene expression program to their benefit.

#### **THE INSTITUTE**

Our group is integrated into the Biomedical Research Park of Barcelona (PRBB), one of the largest hubs of biomedical research in Europe. For more information please visit the web sites: <http://www.prbb.org>; <http://www.upf.edu/virologyunit/>

#### **CANDIDATE REQUIREMENTS**

- PhD in a relevant field (Translational control, RNA biology) with at least one publication in a reputable international journal.
- Fluency in spoken and written English.

The candidate should be highly motivated, self-driven and passionate about science. He/she is expected to set up work standards in research quality and reproducibility, to tutor PhD students, to be involved in grant writing and to be a team player.

#### **CONDITIONS**

3-year contract (estimated annual gross according to Spanish standards, 30.000€).  
Starting date: April 2017 (or by agreement).

#### **HOW TO APPLY**

To apply please submit the following to [juana.diez@upf.edu](mailto:juana.diez@upf.edu) indicating in subject "postdoctoral position":

- 1- A letter of interest that includes your laboratory experience, long-term career goals and data of availability to begin.
- 2- CV including the contact details of 3 referees.