

A Postdoctoral Researcher (full time) in the Sociodemography Research Group (DEMOSOC), Department of Political and Social Sciences, Pompeu Fabra University

Job description

The postdoctoral researcher will work on the Human-Mosquito Interaction Project (H-MIP) funded by the European Research Council. The researcher will carry out field work and analysis on disease vector mosquitoes and host-vector interactions at research sites throughout Catalonia. This will include collection of adult mosquitoes using traps and entomological aspirators, recruitment and interviews of human participants, planning and management of field work, taxonomic identification, and data analysis.

The position is initially for 1 year but may be extended for longer depending on project needs. The annual salary range is 24.420,50 to 36.629,75 euros.

Qualifications

We are looking for a candidate with:

- Ph.D. in natural sciences;
- Experience with planning and carrying out field work;
- Experience with collecting mosquitoes in proximity to their human hosts;
- Experience with interviewing people;
- Interest in human-mosquito interaction and the social aspects of mosquito-borne disease;
- Ability to work as part of a large research team;
- Good writing skills and fluency in written and spoken Catalan, Spanish, and English;
- A great curiosity and enthusiasm for scientific research.

Procedure

Send a cover letter and CV to Dr. John Palmer by email at john.palmer@upf.edu by 25 February 2020.