INSTITUT PASTEUR

Call for applications 2025

Creation of new research groups at the Institut Pasteur

The Institut Pasteur launches an international call to recruit new junior research group leaders in the application of cutting-edge transdisciplinary approaches to the exploration of host-microbe, tissue-tissue, or host-environment interactions. Research areas include:

- Vaccinology & immunotherapies.
- Infectious diseases, with a specific focus on anti-microbial resistance, medicinal chemistry and chemical biology.
- Neuro-immunology and neurodevelopment.
- Maternal and child health (immunology, infection, pregnancy, development).

We also welcome applications from researchers developing innovative AI methodologies to advance these areas of biology and health sciences.

Why Institut Pasteur?

The **Institut Pasteur** is a non-profit private foundation dedicated to fundamental, interdisciplinary research and to the translation of knowledge into medical and public health applications (https://research.pasteur.fr/en). Located in central Paris, it offers an unparalleled research environment with state-of-the-art laboratories, and core facilities (technological platforms, animal facilities, bioinformatics resources). We are member of the international Pasteur Network that provides unique opportunities to expand and develop your research projects globally.

Our offer

Highly attractive packages to match the experience of the candidate will be provided, including institutional salaries (Principal investigator, technician, post-doctoral fellows), a substantial contribution to running costs and equipment, access to on campus state-of-the-art technology core facilities, as well as support for relocation expenses and administrative issues. More details here.

Commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

The Institut Pasteur is deeply committed to fostering a diverse, equitable, and inclusive research community. We believe diversity in all forms—be it race, ethnicity, gender, disability status, sexual orientation, socioeconomic background, or nationality—enriches scientific inquiry and drives innovation. We are committed to creating and maintaining an inclusive and supportive work environment where all individuals feel welcome and valued. We actively encourage candidates who will contribute to the diversity and excellence of our community to apply. We are dedicated to providing equitable opportunities for all individuals and maintaining a welcoming, respectful work environment.

Eligibility

Eligible candidates typically have between **between 2 and 12 years of post-PhD experience**. For primary caretakers, eligibility is extended **to 14 to 16 years post-PhD**. Applicants with questions about their eligibility are encouraged to reach out for clarification before applying.

Application Details

To apply, please complete the application template available at [link]
Send your completed application as a **single PDF file to** CFP2025@pasteur.fr**.**

- **Deadline for submissions:** February 28, 2025, 4:00 pm CET.
- **Notification of shortlisted candidates:** March 10, 2025.
- **Interviews on campus:** March 31–April 4, 2025.
- **Final ranking by the Institut Pasteur Scientific Council:** June 3–4, 2025.
- **Offers extended:** Late June 2025.

Successful **junior candidates** (equivalent to Assistant Professor) will be appointed with a permanent position, and as head of a group of 6 people. These groups will be created for a period of 5 years and may thereafter compete for a full research group.

Contact: For further inquiries or clarifications, please reach out to: CFP2025@pasteur.fr