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**External Job Announcement**  
**Registration number: 7-015/17-H**

The Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg, Medical Faculty, Research Group RNA biology & Pathogenesis (Head: Jun.-Prof. Dr. Tony Gutschner), is seeking a

**PhD Student (13 TV-L, 65%)**

The position is **available immediately** and limited to three years.

**Requirements:**

- Master degree in the field of life sciences (biochemistry, biology, or related disciplines)
- Basic skills in biochemical and molecular biology techniques (e.g. Cloning; RNA-IP)
- Experience with RNA biology and/or gene editing (RNA isolation, qRT-PCR, CRISPR/Cas9)
- Basic skills in mammalian cell culture (FACS, Generation of clonal cell lines)
- Experience with the generation and handling of lentiviral preparations
- Knowledge of different data bases (Pubmed, COSMIC, cBioportal)
- Basic knowledge in statistics and bioinformatics would be advantageous
- Basic knowledge in the field of "cancer biology"
- Fluency in English, both spoken and written
- Innovative, independent and reliable working behavior
- High level of motivation and team spirit

**Responsibilities:**

- Functional characterization of RNA-binding proteins and their role in cancer
- Attendance of a lab animal training course
- Participation in teaching activities offered by the Research group RNA-Biology and Pathogenesis

The Martin-Luther-University Halle-Wittenberg is an equal opportunity employer. Disabled candidates with equal qualifications will be given preference. Women are strongly encouraged to submit an application.

Please submit your full application (in electronic form as single pdf file) with **registration number: 7-015/17-H** in the subject line **until March, 02, 2017** to Jun.-Prof. Dr. Tony Gutschner, E-mail: [tony.gutschner@uk-halle.de](mailto:tony.gutschner@uk-halle.de).

Applications should consist of (I) a motivation letter, (II) a recent curriculum vitae, (III) a list of publications, (IV) academic degrees and certificates, and (V) contact information of two individuals who could provide an evaluation of the candidate upon request.

The announcement takes place pending on fund availability and any possible budget restriction. Application expenses cannot be reimbursed by the Martin-Luther-University.