

## SEEKING NEW EMERGING/JUNIOR TEAMS



The Institute of Functional Genomics (IGF, [www.igf.cnrs.fr](http://www.igf.cnrs.fr)), located in Montpellier, France, is seeking two new emerging/junior teams.



The IGF is a multidisciplinary research centre with research teams developing basic and translational research focused on cellular/tissular mechanisms underlying cell signaling and communication in the fields of neurobiology, endocrinology, oncology and cardiology. IGF general strategy is to promote a multi-scale approach, from 'molecules to systems', bridging structural, biochemical, genetic, epigenetic, omics, physiological and behavioral research fields.

The IGF is located in the campus Arnaud de Villeneuve, which offers **an outstanding and stimulating environment for research dedicated to health**. It is directly connected to three other major institutes: the Institute of Human Genetics ([www.igh.cnrs.fr](http://www.igh.cnrs.fr)), the Center for Structural Biochemistry ([www.cbs.cnrs.fr](http://www.cbs.cnrs.fr)) and the Physiology and Experimental Medicine laboratory dedicated to heart and muscles (<http://u1046.edu.umontpellier.fr>), and to Montpellier university hospitals and medical school. The scientific environment benefits from a unique access to cutting-edge technologies, including genomics, proteomics, medium throughput pharmacological screening, imaging and animal facilities, and high-end instrumentation for structural biology and biophysics.

The IGF is currently hosting 21 independent research teams and seeks to recruit two emerging/junior teams that will develop research programs in Neurosciences, Physiology or Cancer Biology related and/or complementary to the research ongoing in the current teams. Technological innovations will be considered in candidate selection. Applicants are primarily expected to be at an early stage of their research career and should have demonstrated their ability to raise funding (e.g. Atip/Avenir, ERC-Starting/Consolidator, ANR...). Selected group leaders will have full autonomy to manage their team and receive lab space (~50 m<sup>2</sup>) to develop their research. They will be supported in setting up their team for certification by the IGF institutions for the next term (2027-2031).

The template for application can be downloaded [here](#). Application should be sent as a single pdf file to [eq-direction@igf.cnrs.fr](mailto:eq-direction@igf.cnrs.fr)

**The application deadline is October 31th, 2022, 5:00 pm CET. Shortlisted applicants will be notified by February 2023 and invited to an interview in March 2023. Successful candidates will be notified in April 2023 and offered to join the Institute in Summer/Autumn 2023.**