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The Institute of Molecular Cancer Research of the University of Zurich is looking to fill the post of a

### **Technical Assistant**

to work on projects focused on the **DNA damage response and DNA replication** in the context of **genome instability** and **cancer**. This position is linked to the group of the Assistant Professor Lorenza Penengo, and carries a competitive salary (70.000-90.000 SFr./year, depending on title and experience). The starting date on this job is set to **Spring 2019**.

We are seeking for a **highly motivated and fast learning person**, able to work in a team and to contribute to many different methods and research lines. Besides **direct involvement in multiple research projects** (ca. 60%), the job includes **lab management** (20-30%; orders, stocks, organization) and **general duties for the Institute** (10-20%).

The successful candidate will be a young, flexible and independent technician, with strong **organizational skills** and a good sense of **leadership**. A solid training in cell culture, biochemistry and molecular biology techniques is required. Two or more years' experience in assisting technically multiple projects is strongly preferred. A good knowledge of both **German and English** languages is **strictly necessary**. In light of the strong emphasis on technical assistance, an academic background (Master/PhD) is not required.

The IMCR is part of the Faculty of Medicine, as well as the Faculty of Science, of the University of Zurich. It is situated on the main Irchel Campus and is equipped with state-of-the-art facilities. Moreover, IMCR employees have full access to the central facilities of the University and the ETH. The IMCR currently employs about eighty staff from many different parts of the world, active in several areas of DNA repair and cancer biology. General information about IMCR, as well as more detailed information on the Penengo laboratory, can be found on the institute's web page <http://www.imcr.uzh.ch>

Applications, including a motivation letter, a short *curriculum vitae/publication list* and the contact information of at least two references, should be sent directly to Prof. Lorenza Penengo (E-mail: [\*\*penengo@imcr.uzh.ch\*\*](mailto:penengo@imcr.uzh.ch)). Shortlisted candidates will be interviewed in person.