

## VHIR MASTER'S GRANTS CALL FOR APPLICANTS 2017-2018

### DESCRIPTION:

The Vall d'Hebron Institute of Research (VHIR) launches the **4<sup>th</sup> Call for Grants to attend the Master in Translational Biomedical Research**. This programme aims to attract international talent and highly qualified students seeking advance research training in all areas of biomedicine and clinical medicine at VHIR.

### CALL CALENDAR:



### REQUIREMENTS:

1. Have been accepted to the Master in Translational Biomedical Research for the academic year 2017-2018 ([please refer to admission requirements](#)).
2. Have finished graduate studies after January 1, 2015.<sup>1</sup>
3. Have a grade point average (GPA) on their academic transcript equal to or greater than 7,5. In case of studies taken abroad, grade point average must be calculated according to the [equivalence procedures of the Spanish Education Ministry](#).
4. High level of English.
5. At the time of acceptance selected candidates must state that they are not holding other grant that covers the cost of tuition for the master's degree.
6. Upon acceptance of the grant candidates have to enrol to the Master in Translational Biomedical Research by full-time (60 ECTS year).

### APPLICATION FORM AND DOCUMENTATION:

Application must be submitted online, by a standard [application form](#) which will have attached the documents below:

- Attested copy of the official and complete academic transcript of the degree stating the grade point average, the number of credits of each subject or, if this is not possible, the number of hours. In case of studies taken abroad, the transcripts equivalence study of the Spanish Education Ministry.
- Attested copy of the academic degree or the proof of payment thereof.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> In case of severe illness, disability or other exceptional situations, VHIR's Direction can exempt candidates to fulfil this requirement.

<sup>2</sup> If the student still not have the official degree certificate, complete academic transcripts will be enough whenever the provided document states that all credits of studies are achieved.

**AMOUNT:**

The beneficiaries will be exempted from paying tuition fees (up to 3180€) for the Master in Translational Biomedical Research. Academic and administrative taxes are not included.

**SELECTION CRITERIA:**

Candidates will be selected by the weighted average rating of their transcripts.

**EVALUATION COMMITTEE:**

The Evaluation Committee will be formed by the Master's Coordinator and the responsible for the Academic Affairs Office at VHIR.

**ACCEPTANCE OF THE GRANT:**

Selected students must accept the grant before the 15<sup>th</sup> of September 2017.

If any of the award-winning students renounce to the grant, it will be allocated to the next candidate on the reserve list.

The failure to issue the master certificate for academic reasons, attendance or abandonment of the candidate, will imply that the recipient has to repay the aid.<sup>3</sup>

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