



## **(Junior) Lab Technician – Virology**

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**Location:** Vienna, Austria

### **About HOOKIPA:**

HOOKIPA Pharma Inc. (NASDAQ: HOOK) is a clinical stage biopharmaceutical company developing a new class of immunotherapeutics, targeting infectious diseases and cancers based on its proprietary arenavirus platform that is designed to reprogram the body's immune system.

### **Position Summary:**

We are looking for a Lab Technician (m/f) with a good experience profile in molecular biology techniques, virology and immunology to join our highly motivated and dedicated Virology team. The focus of our Virology department is the generation & characterization of novel vaccine candidate vectors as well virological research. The advertised position is primarily laboratory based.

### **Main Responsibilities:**

- Generating and characterization of TheraT<sup>®</sup> and VaxWave<sup>®</sup> vectors (BSL-2) using cell- and molecular biology-based techniques
- Supporting GMP-relevant production and characterization of recombinant vaccine candidates
- Providing highly accurate records of all work processes and results in compliance with industrial documentation standards
- Assist in projects focusing on research and platform optimization
- Assist in establishment of new molecular biology techniques and protocols
- Maintaining condition of laboratory and equipment, preparing test items for preclinical studies, assist in organizational tasks

### **Qualifications & Skills:**

- MTA, BTA, Dipl. Ing. (FH), B.Sc. or M.Sc. in relevant field (e.g. Biology, Microbiology, Biotechnology)
- Minimum 1 year hands-on laboratory experience
- Experience with immunological, virological or molecular biological and cell culture techniques
- Experience with Quality systems (e.g. GMP; GLP) is an advantage
- Independent and proactive work style, detail-oriented, well-organized
- Open-minded and communicative team-player
- Ability to multi-task and work under time pressure on multiple projects
- Work experience in biopharmaceutical or biotechnology industry is a plus
- Fluent in written and oral English and German

### **What we offer:**

- Strong team with dedicated and passionate scientists
- State of the art infrastructure
- Excellent working atmosphere
- Opportunities for personal development
- Working in a multinational and multicultural environment



We are required by Austrian law to post a minimum salary. The minimum monthly gross salary for this position is EUR 2.246,- (Junior Lab Technician) or EUR 2.429,- (Lab Technician) based on fulltime (40 hours per week); depending on experience and qualification salary can be negotiated. In addition, we offer a performance-related bonus payment and participation in our stock option compensation program.

Starting date: January 2020

**Contact:**

If you (m/f) are interested in this challenging position, please send your CV including cover letter and credentials to: **talent@hookipapharma.com**

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