**Veronesi Foundation-IRCCS Neuromed in Pozzilli (Italy)**

**Fulltime Postdoctoral Fellowship in nutritional epidemiology**

The joint Laboratory of Veronesi Foundation-Department of Epidemiology and Prevention at IRCCS Neuromed in Pozzilli (Italy) invites applications for a **postdoctoral research fellowship**. The fellow will work with Marialaura Bonaccio, PhD, senior researcher in nutritional epidemiology, and will be supervised by Licia Iacoviello, MD, PhD, Head of the Department and full professor of Epidemiology at the University of Insubria in Varese (Italy). The fellowship is housed at IRCCS Neuromed and is to prepare for an independent research career in nutritional epidemiology.

The postdoctoral research fellow will be given the opportunity to work with a multi-disciplinary team on large epidemiological datasets from population-based studies, as the Moli-sani Study cohort on 25,000 adults established in 2005-2010 in Southern Italy, and the INHES survey on dietary habits of 10,000 Italians distributed throughout Italy.

The postdoctoral research fellow will work in innovative and transdisciplinary research projects with the aim of preventing and combating chronic diseases such as obesity, diabetes, atherosclerosis, cancer, cardiovascular and neurodegenerative diseases.

It is expected that the candidate is strongly self-motivated and productive. In addition to research work, the Postdoc fellow will also collaborate in grant applications, project management, lab management and student training.

The ideal start date for the position is January 1st 2022 (negotiable). Candidates from all over the world are encouraged to apply who are willing to conduct their research work in Italy.

The initial appointment is for one year and may be renewed for subsequent one-year terms up to five years, contingent on continued satisfactory performance and according to the needs of the program.

**Required Education, Experience and Skills**

Applicants must have a PhD in epidemiology, or a research experience in a field with an orientation towards public health nutrition (nutritional epidemiology). A strong record of original, first-author, publications in one or more of these areas is essential. Candidates should have research skills, experience using R, STATA, or SAS for both data management and analysis, excellent written and oral communication skills, and the ability to work independently and with collaborators. The candidate must have good English language skills – both written and oral.

**Application Instructions**

Application should include:

* Cover letter describing previous achievements, research interests and the reasons why the candidate is suitable for this position (maximum 2 pages).
* CV including a list of relevant publications.
* Copies of educational certificates (academic transcripts only)
* Names, e-mail addresses, and telephone numbers for two or more referees (e.g. previous employer, mentor or similar).
* A photo (passport type)

**Additional information**

More information about the research group can be found at: http://www.moli-sani.org/. If you have questions, please contact Dr. Marialaura Bonaccio at marialaura.bonaccio@moli-sani.org

**Application and closing date**

The deadline for application is **November 30, 2021.** The position is available from **January 1, 2022**.

The application should be written in English and submitted to Mrs. Teresa Di Prospero (teresa.diprospero@moli-sani.org)

**Position Type:**Fulltime Postdoctoral

**Position Location:**Pozzilli (IS), Italy

**Gross Salary, including taxes**: € 30,000 per year