

Anlage 1 der Betreuungsvereinbarung und der Leitfäden für Bewerber*innen

Overview of the Elements of the Postdoc Programmes at the University Medicine Oldenburg

Clinician Scientist-Programme

- **49% protected research time** throughout the duration of the programme, individually allocated and contractually agreed upon.
- Clinician Scientists are supported by two mentors from different departments and the scientific programme coordination of the faculty for the entire duration of the programme.
- Clinician Scientists are required to deliver teaching contributions amounting to 2 LVS (according to LVVO).
- A documented goal-setting discussion is conducted at the start of the programme, followed by a progress report after 12 months (both oral and recorded between mentors and fellows, and possibly also with the programme coordination). Copies of the minutes are sent to the programme coordination.
- **Preparation of an interim report** after 24 months of programme duration.
- **Preparation of a final report**, to be submitted no later than six weeks after the end of funding. A programme evaluation is included as part of the final report.
- **Presentation of the project twice** at the Faculty VI Research Day as a poster.
- **Presentation of the project once** as part of the UMO Research Highlights, with regular participation encouraged.
- Attendance at biannual retreats and regular meetings for the fellows.
- **Participation in the accompanying curriculum:** nine courses over a three-year period, with one course being mandatory:
- One full-day course on GWP (Good Scientific Practice) and GCP (Good Clinical Practice).
- One course on ethics in medicine.
- One course on statistics.
- Clinician Scientists are expected to produce publications that pave the way for their habilitation.
- Submission of a third-party funding application for the period following the end of the programme is encouraged.
- The habilitation regulations also require further training in didactics amounting to 60 hours.

This comprehensive framework is designed to ensure that clinician scientists not only advance their research skills but also contribute meaningfully to teaching and academic discourse, thereby enhancing their professional development within the field.



Junior Clinician Scientist-Programm

- **20% protected research time** throughout the duration of the programme, individually allocated and contractually agreed upon.
- Junior Clinician Scientists are supported by two mentors from different departments and the scientific programme coordination of the faculty for the entire duration of the programme.
- Teaching contributions amounting to 0.8 LVS (according to LVVO) are required.
- A documented goal-setting discussion is conducted at the start of the programme, followed by a progress report after six months (both oral and recorded between mentors and fellows, and possibly also with the programme coordination). Copies of the minutes are sent to the programme coordination.
- **Preparation of a final report**, to be submitted no later than six weeks after the end of funding. A programme evaluation is included as part of the final report.
- Participation in at least one publication is expected.
- **Presentation of the project** at the Faculty VI Research Day as a poster.
- **Presentation of the project once** as part of the UMO Research Highlights, with regular participation encouraged.
- Attendance at biannual retreats and regular meetings for the fellows is required.
- Participation in the accompanying curriculum is optional for Junior Clinician Scientists.



Medical Scientist-Programm

- **Mentorship**: Medical Scientists are supported throughout the programme by two mentors from different departments, along with the scientific programme coordination of the faculty.
- **Teaching Obligations**: Medical Scientists fulfil the teaching obligations specified in their employment contract.
- **Goal-setting and Progress Reports**: A documented goal-setting discussion is conducted at the start of the programme, followed by a progress report after 12 months (both oral and recorded between mentors and fellows, and possibly also with the programme coordination). Copies of the minutes are sent to the programme coordination.
- Interim Report: An interim report is to be prepared after 24 months of programme duration.
- **Final Report**: A final report must be submitted no later than six weeks after the end of funding. The programme evaluation is part of this final report.
- **Project Presentations**: Two project presentations are required at the Faculty VI Research Day in poster format.
- **UMO Research Highlights**: One project presentation is required as part of the UMO Research Highlights, with regular participation encouraged.
- **Retreats and Meetings**: Participation in biannual retreats and regular meetings for fellows is mandatory.
- **Supplementary Curriculum**: Attendance at a supplementary curriculum consisting of nine courses over three years is required, including:
 - One full-day course on GCP (Good Clinical Practice) and GWP (Good Laboratory Practice)
 - One course on ethics in medicine
 - One course on statistics
- **Publication Requirement**: Medical Scientists are expected to achieve a publication output that paves the way for habilitation.
- **Third-party Funding Application**: Submitting an application for third-party funding for the period following programme completion is a stated goal.
- **Didactic Training**: The habilitation regulations also require a didactic training course comprising 60 hours.
- **PhD Supervision**: The doctoral candidate employed through programme funding should pursue their doctorate within a structured programme (e.g., OLTECH) and be supervised by a doctoral committee. A supervision agreement must be signed.



General notes

- **Templates Available**: Templates for the documentation of goal-setting discussions and progress reports, as well as for interim and final reports, are available on the website.
- **Retreats**: The retreats are organised by the Faculty VI office as mini-symposia or workshops with varying thematic focuses. Participants are explicitly encouraged to express their own topic wishes and needs.
- **Jour Fixes**: These regular meetings take place online, with the frequency adjusted to meet the needs of the participants.
- **Supplementary Curriculum Overview**: An overview of courses for the supplementary curriculum can be found on our website.
- Important Dates: Key dates are provided in the Stud.IP event "6.01.00010 (Junior) Clinician/Medical Scientists."
- ✓ For any questions, participants can contact the Scientific Programme Coordinator at wiss.karrierefoerderung.fk6@uol.de.