



Interested in starting your own research group?

The Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry in Prague invites applications for the positions of **Junior Team Leaders** in the field of **modern Organic, Bioorganic, or Medicinal Chemistry, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**. We are interested in strong creative scientific personalities who would thrive at the interface of these disciplines.

This tenure-track position is comparable to an Assistant Professor at a US university, or to a new investigator position at the Max Planck Institutes. IOCB aims to enhance its character as an international research center and applications from non-Czech scientists are encouraged.

THE INSTITUTE:

- Has history of 60 years of successful basic research in the organic chemistry, biochemistry, chemistry of natural products and theoretical chemistry, often translated into successful commercial assets
- Is located in an attractive historic city of Prague, capital of the Czech Republic
- Has multicultural environment, with English as the language used in most laboratories
- Enjoys unprecedented financial position which allows for freedom to choose and defend your own project and scientific direction

THE INSTITUTE OFFERS:

- The possibility to build a team (with a maximum of 5 co-workers) and begin one's own scientific career
- Help in submission of grant applications which, if successful, may enhance further the size and scope of the research group
- Fully equipped laboratory
- Generous startup financial package
- Competitive salaries of the leader and co-workers
- Support of the institutional services

THE INSTITUTE REQUIRES:

- Completed education on the Ph.D. level
- A minimum of 2 years of postdoctoral experience
- Ability to lead a research team
- A research program complementing the scientific focus of the institute (<http://www.uochb.cz>)
- An age usually below 35 years



TIMING:

- Applications are to be submitted by May 19, 2013
- Interviews on June 17 – 18, 2013
- Expected start from January 1, 2014

Send your application in English along with CV, your proposal of a research program for 5 years (a maximum of 5 pages), and a full list of your publications including the number of citations according to WOS in an electronic form (pdf) to uochb@uochb.cas.cz by May 19, 2013. In the heading of the document, put **"Junior Team Leader"**. Two letters of recommendation from respected scientists should be sent directly to Dr. Iva Pichová at: pichova@uochb.cas.cz, who can also provide further information.

