

GROUP LEADER POSITIONS - 6 YEAR CONTRACTS  
SARS INTERNATIONAL CENTRE  
UNIVERSITY OF BERGEN, NORWAY

The Sars International Centre performs basic research in molecular biology, developmental biology and evolution, through genetic and comparative studies of marine organisms. The Centre is a partner of EMBL (European Molecular Biology Laboratory) and is located in the Bergen High Technology Centre together with several departments of the University of Bergen. It currently employs 50 scientists and other staff originating from twenty different countries.

We are seeking outstanding candidates addressing fundamental questions in organismal biology using marine animals, with priority on invertebrates. A contract of six years will be offered to successful candidates, with competitive resources for the research (scientific and technical personnel, and infrastructures related to the project). The contract may be prolonged after six years, depending on performance and institute priorities at the time of review. Group leaders at Sars Centre are expected to obtain additional funding through grant applications to national and international funding agencies.

For further information about the position please contact the Sars Centre Director ([Daniel.Chourrout@sars.uib.no](mailto:Daniel.Chourrout@sars.uib.no) tel +47 5558 4313) and/or visit our website (<http://www.sars.no>).

Applications for group leader positions should include a description of past and current research (3 pages), a proposal for the research at the Sars Centre (3 pages), a detailed CV and names of three references. Shortlisted candidates must be available for a seminar and interview by the Scientific Advisory Committee to be held in Bergen on 24-25 November 2014.