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Scientists at the Lausanne Branch focus on tumor immunology and immunotherapy. This includes the mechanisms by which tumors thwart immune attack and the development of novel immunotherapies, especially those in which the treatment is tailored to a patient’s cancer—such as dendritic cell vaccines and therapies that involve the manipulation and reinfusion of a patient’s T cells.

The laboratory of Dr. George Coukos at Ludwig Lausanne is seeking a technician with expertise in the fields of cell biology and biochemistry. The primary role of this technician will be to set up and implement parallel readouts of immune cells in the tumor microenvironment at the levels of gene expression, signal transduction, cell function and phenotype. The technician will work both independently and with researchers focused on the tumor microenvironment and tumor infiltrating lymphocytes.

The ideal candidate will possess the following qualifications:

- Technical degree or equivalent.
- Demonstrated experience in the fields of cell activation, signaling, phenotype and functions.
- Skilled at implementing novel technologies and readouts and using a wide variety of instruments.
- Dedication and willingness to troubleshoot technical challenges and to implement and master new methods.
• Documented experience in tissue culture related techniques and FACS.

Candidates may submit a CV, copies of certificates and references to Dr. Marie-Agnès Doucey at Marie-Agnes.Doucey@unil.ch.